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HONORED DEAD HEROES.

PATRIOTIC MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES HELD YESTERDAY.

The Graves Decorated in the Morning and Appropriate Exercises Taken Part in by G. A. R. and Friends.

The inclemency of the weather yesterday morning did not in the least dampen the enthusiasm of those who took part in the Memorial Day exercises under the auspices of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., and in accordance with the custom the day was appropriately observed. Early in the morning the comrades assembled at headquarters and prepared for the day's exercises. At 9:30 the line of march was formed for the parade, and considering the condition of the weather it was an excellent parade. Those who participated were obliged to walk on the sidewalk as the streets were too muddy. Grand Marshal L. E. Livermore was in charge, and he made it a point to see that the programme was carried out on schedule time. The line of march as previously published, was followed, and along the line there were a number of attractive decorations which stirred the hearts of the veterans. The line of march included all of the cemeteries, and at each one the comrades stopped long enough to decorate the graves of the dead soldiers. At Evergreen cemetery a short service was held over the grave of the late Isaac Brokaw, who was a prominent member of the G. A. R. The service was conducted by Commander McVoy, assisted by Rev. L. E. Livermore and other comrades.

In addition to the comrades in the line of march there was a good-sized delegation of Sons of Veterans and school children, while the Plainfield Cornet Band discoursed appropriate music at intervals. After several cemeteries had been visited the Sons of Veterans withdrew and went to Scotch Plains where interesting services were held over the grave of the late John Hand, after whom the camp is named.

The Sons of Veterans were met at the Plains by members of the fire department and Jr. O. U. A. M., who assisted them in the celebration at the latter place. At the grave an address along the line of patriotism and devotion was delivered by Rev. Dr. Parks, former pastor of the Scotch Plains Baptist church. The address was enjoyed by everyone who heard it. The other exercises were similar to those held last year and they were in charge of Captain H. C. McVoy. Previous to the close of the exercises the firing squad fired three volleys over the grave. The visitors were then escorted through the town to the stages which were in waiting to bring them to Plainfield.

At 2 o'clock the comrades and Sons of Veterans together with the school children assembled and marched to Music Hall where exercises of an interesting nature were held. The hall was filled to overflowing with a patriotic audience. The stage was occupied with the children all dressed in white, with red, white and blue caps. Each one represented a state and later in the afternoon each one recited a verse appropriate to the state represented.

The exercises were opened with a selection by the band after which Rev. Dr. Snodgrass offered prayer. Adjutant E. C. Morse, of Post No. 73, then read the National and Department orders of the G. A. R.

This was followed with a few words by Commander McVoy who called on the comrades to salute the dead. Another selection by the band and a selection by the chorus of children under the direction of H. J. Martin as leader and Miss Nash as pianist, was rendered.

Adjutant Morse then read an extract of President Lincoln's famous Gettysburg address which was delivered November 19, 1862 Immediately afterward the officers of the Post took an interesting part. Senior Vice Charles Stephens represented the navy; Junior Vice William Hand the army; Officer of the Day William C. Smith had a few words to say regarding peace, while Chaplain John Goodwin spoke of victory after which he offered prayer. Commander McVoy had his part and it was well given as was also the other parts.

At this time the address of the afternoon was delvered by Rev. Dr. Lowry. The speaker said that nowadays it looked as though the golf stick threatened to knock out Memorial Day and the memories of the war. When he was a boy, Dr. Lowry said, they used to celebrate July 4th, but now it is not thought much of by those who should see that the day is properly observed. In the days of old everyone was brimful of enthusiasm, now it is hard to get up

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SEVENTH-DAY ADVOCATES

OFFICERS CHOSEN BY THE EASTERN ASSOCIATION CONVENTION.

Many Rhode Island Members Chosen to Fill Offices—The Closing Exercises Held Sunday Evening in New Market.

The sixty-first annual session of the Eastern Seventh Day Baptist Association, held at the New Market Seventh Day Baptist church, came to an end Sunday evening. The session began on Thursday morning last and continued with three services a day until Sunday evening. The delegates were given lunch and dinner at Friendship Hall.

Sabbath school was held on Saturday afternoon and was followed by Junior Endeavor exercises, led by Mrs. H. M. Maxson. In the evening, young people's hour was held and Rev. S. H. Davis made an address on "A Higher Standard."

Sunday morning there was a brief business session, the Women's Board hour, conducted by Mrs. Anna Randolph, and a sermon by Rev. W. L. Burdick. At the Layman's hour, in the afternoon, there were addresses by Corlis F. Randolph, John P. Mosher, A. H. Burdick, and D. E. Titsworth. The Tract Society hour was conducted by Rev. A. H. Lewis, D. D.

The principal business session of the convention was held and the officers for the ensuing year was as follows:

President, Hon. A. S. Babcock, Rockville, R. I.; vice-president. Hon. Frank Hill, Ashaway, R. I.; recording secretary, Curtis Randolph, Hopkinton City, R. I.; assistant recording secretary, Allen C. Whitford, Westerly, R. I.; treasurer, Rev. G. J. Crandall, Ashaway, R. I.; engrossing clerk, Rev. F. E. Peterson, New Market, N. J.; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Harriett W. Carpenter, Ashaway, R. I.; committee on ordination, A. E. Main, D. D., O. U. Whitford, D. D., Rev. Ira Lee Cottrell; committee on missionary work, Rev. J. G. Burdick, Rev. G. H. F. Randolph, Ella F. Swinney, M. D.

The evening service opened with a song service, led by D. E. Ti sworth. The closing sermon was preached by Rev. T. J. Van Horn. The conference meeting, which ended the service, was led by Rev. F. E. Peterson.

FOR A FRESH AIR FUND.

Successful Sale Conducted by Little Children.

The success attending the ice cream sale in aid of The Tribune Fresh Air Fund, which was held last Saturday afternoon from 3 until 6 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Hallock, 39 Willow avenue, was most gratifying to Leslie W. Hallock, John Valiant and Ralph E. Hallock, the originators of the affair. The large and spacious lawn surrounding the house was used to good advantage and there was on sale in addition to the ice cream, a good assortment of candies and cake, while the sale of lemonade and popcorn was good.

There were about 125 people present who succeeded in putting the young men out of business, for they purchased everything on sale, much to the enjoyment and pleasure of the boys. The latter managed the sale and they were assisted by Miss Bessie Valiant at the lemonade table, and Miss Sadie Howell at the candy table, while Reggie Roome was among the most enthusiastic workers. In all there was about 200 tickets disposed of and the sale will net about $25 for the fresh air fund. Those who assisted in donating cake, ice cream and candy were: Mrs. J. P. Northrop, Mrs. Howard J. Runyon, Mrs. J. H. Howell, Miss Lillian Fritts and Mrs. Robinson Pound.

HOSPITAL OFFICERS.

George H. Goddard Re-elected Pr sident of the Board.

The annual meeting of the Board of Governors of the Muhlenberg Hospital was held at the Public Library last evening. The election of officers and the annual reports of the officers were the principal business that came before the meeting.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, George H. Goddard; first vice-president, Samuel Huntington; second vice president, William L. Saunders; secretary, W. R. Cock; treasurer, E H. Ladd, Jr. The committees were selected as follows: Managing committee, Samuel Huntington, E. B. Clark, W. R. Cock, W. L. Saunders and H. P. Reynolds; finance committee, Francis Wood, J. M. Whiton, W. E. Lowe, Charles J. Fisk and Charles Schipper.

The reports of the officers were listened to with great interest. A summary of them will be published by The Press at a later date.

Alfred Garland and Ralph Tolles, of this city, spent Saturday at South Beach.

MEMORIAL DAY SERMONS.

APPROPRIATE SERVICES CONDUCTED IN LOCAL CHURCHES.

G. A. R., Woman's Relief Corps and Sons of Veterans Hear a Patriotic Discourse by Rev. J. W. Richardson in His Church.

It may be truly said that the memorial service held at the Park Avenue Baptist church last Sunday evening was one of the best in the history of the G. A. R. of this city. Nearly every member of the latter organization, the Woman's Relief Corps and Sons of Veterans were present in a body and the sight was an impressive one. The church was decorated substantially for the occasion.

Special music was rendered by the church choir and this added not a little to the interest in the service. A very impressive part of the service was that portion arranged and carried out by the veterans. Commander McVoy, assisted by Charles Stephens, Wm. Hand, E. C. Morse, John Goodwin and Past Commanders Collier and Coriell, participated in this service. Each of the above were given a part to repeat, after which the last two named veterans assembled about the platform and placed beautiful wreaths thereon. The words spoken by each composed a story and the crowning point was grand.

After these exercises Rev. J. W. Richardson, the pastor, delivered a powerful patriotic sermon. His text was taken from the 22d verse of the 11th chapter of Hebrews: "By faith, Joseph, when he died, made mention of the departing of the children of Israel, and gave commandment concerning his bones." From the above text the speaker drew many strong lessons applicable to the occasion. He then traced the history of the country from the formation of the government and paid especial attention to the part which the Union soldiers took in the preservation of the country. The different battles in which the Union army played an important part were described in a vivid manner, and at times the audience was almost inclined to applaud. Especially was this true of the veterans.

Mr. Richardson paid the veterans many compliments and praised their deeds in helping to save the Union, which was and is so dear to the heart of every loyal American. He pictured the life of a soldier in the prisons of the south, and told of the many hardships which they were obliged to pass through.

At the close Mr. Richardson presented several scriptural truths, which were brought very strongly to the heart of each one. A novel and interesting feature closed the service when Comrade Berg sounded taps. The benediction was pronounced by the pastor.

Memorial Day was very pleasantly observed at the Congregational church on Sunday morning. The desk was draped with a handsome American flags, patriotic hymns were sung, and the pastor, Rev. Charles Lyman Goodrich, preached a stirring Memorial Day sermon. He spoke especially of the fine record of the soldiers of New Jersey; how they quickly responded to the first call for men, sending to Washington the first thoroughly organized and equipped troops which arrived there, and how, when later appeals came, they never slackened in their devotion, but sent more than the required number of men. He told how nobly they sustained the honor of their State on the field of battle, and how, when Lee entered Pennsylvania, many whose time of service had expired turned about and returned to active duty.

The latter part of the sermon referred to the duties that lie before the citizens of New Jersey in these days of peace; the no less noble and patriotic duties which all owe to God, the Church, and the commonwealth.

BEAUTY AND JOY.

Things That Will Attract and Amuse at the Fete Champetre.

The proposed Fete Champetre for June 5th, advertisement of which can be found in another column, promises to be full of entertaining features for old and young. The items, pony carriages, boating, gypsy camp, winding of the May pole, music, fruit, flowers, refreshments, dances, flapjacks and fortune telling, supply a skeleton on which even the unimaginative can rear possibilities of pleasure. The fact that the enjoyment is not to end with the day and hour, but that the money spent is to be applied to our city park, gives a motive for spending that does not come to the pleasure seeker. "A thing of beauty is a joy forever," and the ladies of the Town Improvement Association hope to make the city park both a thing of beauty and a perpetual joy.

Dr. Endicott has arrived home from the Catskill Mountains.

KENTUCKY COLONEL, SAH

A PISCATAWAY FARMER FLIM-FLAMMED OUT OF BOARD.

The Kentuckian Said He Would Buy 11 Acres of L. D. Martin's Farm, But it Was All a Scheme to Beat the Farmer

L. D. Martin, a Piscataway farmer, has been flim-flammed out of several days board by a slick talking man who posed as a Kentucky Colonel by the name of Swansey. Martin was visited one day last week by the Colonel, who said that he wanted to buy a small farm in the vicinity, and asked Martin if he desired to sell. The latter told him that he had 11 acres that he was willing to dispose of, and that that would make him a very nice country place. The Kentuckian was very much struck with the idea, and as he hated travelling he would esteem it a great favor if Martin would entertain him while he sent for his daughter, whom he wished to approve of the contemplated purchase. Martin gave him the previlege of staying with him, and the Colonel enjoyed New Jersey farm life in a sumptous manner until last Saturday.

That day Martin was told by the Colonel that he expected a letter to be sent to him at the New Brunswick postoffice. As the Colonel presumed to be a man who kept his good health by out-of-door exercise, he said that he would walk to New Brunswick. Martin remarked that he was going there that same day, and he, just for the novelty of the thing, would take shanks' horses, too.

The two men had proceeded about a mile from Farmer Martin's home when the Colonel stopped suddenly in the road and said, as he planked his hand in his trouser's pocket and took on a look of astonishment:

"By gad, sah, I'll be blowed if I haven't left my pocketbook, containing $210, on the bureau in my room."

Still acting as the gracious and hospitable host, Farmer Martin volunteered to return and get the money while his guest waited beside the road. The Colonel agreed, and Martin started back after the missing cash. When the latter got home he could find no trace of the money and fearing that it had been stolen, and that the theft might be laid at the hands of some member of the family, he hastened to the point where he had left the Kentuckian in the road. Farmer Martin found the road still there but the stranger non est. Farmer Martin still has his eleven acres of land, and no prospect of selling.

FIFTY YEARS WEDDED.

CELEBRATION OF A NUPTIAL EVENT OF AN OLD COUPLE.

The Golden Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Shotwell, of Hoboken, Observed Here Yesterday.

To be joined in wedlock for half of a century, and to have that period characterized by bliss and prosperity, is not the fortune allotted to every couple that come under the bans of Hymen, but such it is in the life of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Shotwell, of Hoboken, who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in this city, yesterday, at the home of the groom's nephew, Wm. H. Shotwell, of Fairview avenue. Such an event is worthy of more than a passing observance, and the affair of yesterday was one of congratulation of the past, celebration of the present and good wishes for the future.

The groom is one of New Jersey's oldest citizens, having been identified with Plainfield when a mere cluster of twenty-five houses graced "the lovely village of the plain." Though a resident of Hoboken at present he has always taken a lively interest in the affairs of his old home. He was a brother of the late Freeman Shotwell. The bride's maiden name was Miss Compton, who came from the oldest families in Perth Amboy.

The celebration, yesterday, was arranged by Mrs. William H. Shotwell and was carried out in a way to prove that time has increased the love of friends for the happy couple who were the honored guests. Among those present were:—Mr. and Mrs. J. Clarkson, Mr. and John Goodwin, Mrs. E. V. Shotwell, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cadmus and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Garretson and daughter.

A distinguishing feature of the celebration was the youthful appearance of the couple, neither one of whom appeared to be over fifty years of age.

Mr. Shotwell was one of the charter members of the Second Presbyterian church, now known as the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, and it was in the edifice of this society, situated where Whitney's dry goods store now is, that the wedding ceremony was performed. Mr. Shotwell is one of the very few charter members of the society left.

CRESCENT'S CLUBHOUSE

WHEELMEN TO PROBABLY REORGANIZE AND BUILD QUARTERS.

The Members to be Made Stockholders and Thus Create an Intimate Interest in the Welfare of the Club—Plans Drawn

A crisis is approaching in the existence of the Crescent Wheelmen, which, if successfully passed, will add new life to that organization and make it more prosperous than ever. One of the features of the new club life will be a clubhouse to be built on a site close to the Crescent Oval, the racing track of the club.

Tomorrow evening, there will be a meeting at the clubhouse of the Crescent Wheelmen. It is the purpose of those who are behind this movement to reorganize the club on a firmer footing, making all the members stockholders in the club. There has not been the unity of object among the members of late, and the efforts of those in charge have not been seconded by the members as they should have been. There will be undoubtedly some resignations to act upon after the change, but there are those who wish to come into the club and they will soon swell the membership to its limit.

As already stated, it is the intention of the members to build a clubhouse and that, too, in the very near future. The business men of the city, who are included in the membership of the Crescent Wheelmen, have been canvassed and a sufficient sum has been promised to assure the payment of the cost of the new clubhouse.

It is proposed to build the new clubhouse at the corner of Park avenue and Randolph road, about a hundred yards from the Oval. The building will have a front of fifty feet and a depth of seventy-five feet. It will be a frame structure of pretty design. It is proposed to have the house equipped with all the fixtures of an up-to-date clubhouse, including a restaurant, shower baths, billiard and pool rooms, bowling alleys, and in fact everything that can make club life pleasant. Ample provision will be made for the care of the members' wheels and lockers for members will be conveniently arranged.

It is the intention of those who are backing the plan to have a thoroughly respectable clubhouse to which they need not be ashamed to take their wives and friends. A "ladies' day" is proposed and various pleasant social features for the winter months when wheeling is at a discount. The bowling alleys may not be put in at first as the members do not wish to go beyond their means. It is estimated that the new clubhouse will cost about $3,500, almost all of which has been promised.

WORK OF THE BOYS' CLUB.

A Creditable Exhibition Made to Visitors Last Saturday.

Few people realize the practical work that is daily being done at the Boys' Club. The annual exhibition of the club, held in the clubhouse on Sycamore street Saturday evening, gave some idea of the advantages offered to the boys of the city. A number of the boys were at work in the different departments, while a very creditable exhibition of the work already done was shown.

First there was shown the drawing of some portion of machinery or iron work. The drawing was made by the boys and also the tracing of it and the accompaning blue print. The blue print was given to the boys in the carpentering department who made a pattern, which was given to the boys in the moulding room and a regular mould made, ready for its charge of molten iron. As the handling of molten metal is as yet beyond the resourses of the club, plaster of Paris is used instead. The complete series of drawings, patterns and castings were shown. Samples of carpenter work also attracted attention.

All the instruction is given by Olaf Sangstad, whose abilities make him just the man for the place. The exhibition was excellent and received well deserved praise.

Plainfield Girl Graduated.

The graduation exercises at the School of Ethical Culture on Fifty-fourth street, New York, were held last Friday evening. Diplom .s were awarded to a class of twenty young woman among whom were Miss Florence G. Burt, of West Seventh street, Miss Grace M Bonny, of Mercer avenue, and Miss Caroline E West, of East Orange, who is well known in this city and visits here frequently. The school is the best in New York for preparing young women as kindergarten teachers. The composite class essay, the work of all the members of the graduating class, was read by Miss Florence G. Burt. The commencement exercises were followed by a reception.

A 17-YEAR OLD BRIDE.

MAY SHARKEY MARRIED WITHOUT HER PARENTS' KNOWLEDGE.

The Nuptial Knot was Tied Last Thursday Night, But the Parents D'd Not Know of It Till Last Night.

A hard-working mother, broken-hearted at the desertion of her daughter, for whose future she had hoped and planned much, has made serious charges against the alleged husband of her daughter. May Sharkey has been living with her parents, Patrick and Mary Sharkey, at 23 Harmony street, until Saturday night, when she mysteriously disappeared and was not seen until late yesterday afternoon, when the anxious mother found the missing child walking with an Italian on the outskirts of the borough. Ere the mother could reach her daughter the Italian stepped between them and commanded Mrs. Sharkey to leave her daughter alone as she was now his wife.

Mr. Sharkey is employed at Sharkey's grocery, on Richmond street, as a driver. Mrs. Sharkey works at McVey's hotel on North avenus. They claim that their daughter is only a few months over seventeen years of age. May has always been brought up as carefully as the parents' circumstances permitted. She was never asked to work, but father and mother toiled unceasingly to provide her with such of the comforts of life as they could afford. They wished her to hold up her head with the best in the country, the mother said.

A year ago May made the acquaintance of a young Italian known as Sullivan. Mr. and Mrs. Sharkey objected to the young man and told their daughter that she must have nothing to do with him. May promised. Circumstances go to prove, however, that she did not keep her word. She told her mother that she spoke to him no more and Mrs. Sharkey did not worry.

Last Thursday there was a clandestine meeting and May and her Italian lover went to some minister or justice of the peace and were married.

Mrs. Sharkey claims that her daughter did not go of her own free will, but that the villainous foreigner threatened to kill her if she did not marry him at once, and that fear, not love, was the cause of the untimely marriage. Mrs. Sharkey told a Press reporter this morning that the Italian drew a knife on her daughter and threatened to cut her throat at once if she made any objection to being married.

Friday night, May returned home but said nothing of the marriage. Saturday night, May offered to go down town for her mother who was tired after a hard day's work and make the necessary purchases for Sunday. May left the house at 9:45 o'clock while her parents retired. She went down town and made the purchases for they were in the house the next morning, but May was not there and could not be found.

Thoroughly alarmed, Mrs. Sharkey hunted over the borough. She knew that her daughter had once been subject to fainting spells and she feared that she had met with an accident had been robbed or murdered, or, perhaps, abducted.

A friend told her, late in the afternoon, that she had seen May walking with the Italian and directed Mrs. Sharkey to the spot. Thither the anxious mother hurried to find her daughter in company with the man whom she had been forbidden to associate with. Sullivan, Mrs. Sharkey claims, threatened to kill her if she touched him or his lawfully wedded wife and ordered her away with scornful tone.

Mrs. Sharkey has taken no action to recover her daughter as yet but she claims that the marriage was illegal for the reason that her daughter was forced to the marriage by threats of personal violence.

Horse Strayed Away.

A large bay horse attached to an open-top buggy was found on Park avenue, last evening, by Herbert Martin, of Sandford avenue, and William Lorton, of New Market. There was no one in charge and the finders drove the horse to Plainfield and turned it over to Patrolman Saffron. The horse was stabled at Cole's. J.B. Guttridge, of Netherwood, lost a horse and buggy answering to that description, last evening. He lent it to a friend, who drove to Campbell's clubhouse and forgot to tie the horse.

Bridge Committee to Meet.

The joint bridge committee of the Union and Somerset County Boards of Freeholders will meet this afternoon at Tier's lake-house for the purpose of deciding what style of bridges are to be erected on Watchung and Sycamore avenues. Plans and specifications will also be presented for inspection.

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CALHOUN DENIES IT.

Says That No Secrets Have Been Divulged by Him.

GENERAL FITZ HUGH LEE ALSO HEARD

He Disclaims Exercising Any Influence Over Newspaper Reports and Resents Insinuations Made That He Prompts Correspondents.

Havana, June 1.—Mr. W. J. Calhoun, the United States commissioner who is investigating the death in the prison at Guanabacoa of Dr. Ricardo Ruiz, a naturalized American citizen, has been interviewed with reference to the article in The Diario de la Marina making an indirect attack upon the commissioner by criticising articles which have appeared in a Washington newspaper over the signature of Mr. Pepper, who accompanied Mr. Calhoun to Cuba and who is said to be a friend of President McKinley.

Mr. Calhoun said:

"Mr. Pepper is in no way connected with the commission. On the contrary, he came to Havana on his own account, as other correspondents might have come.

"No secrets of the commission have been divulged, nor has any special information been supplied to him which was not obtainable by other correspondents. I suppose Mr. Pepper's information was gathered from personal information or from hearsay."

Mr. G. W. Fishback, the secretary of Mr. Calhoun, was also interviewed and expressed opinions similar to those of the commissioner.

General Fitz Hugh Lee, the United States consul general, disclaims exercising any influence over newspapet reports sent from Havana to the United States and resents the insinuation of the Diario de la Marina that resident American correspondents draw inspiration from him.

Mr. Pepper says he is much amused by the attack of the Diario de la Marina. He has returned from Guanajay, where, accompanied by Mr. Fishback, he had been on a visit. He says his trip was highly interesting. While returning to this city the car in which he was traveling was derailed by a railroad accident, but all the passengers escaped without injury.

Died Aged One Hundred and Two.

Malone, N. Y., June 1.—Mrs. Laura Hackstaff died at Peru, Clinton county, N. Y., at the age of 102 years. She was born in November, 1794. She was the grandmother of N. M. Marshall, vice president of the People's bank of Malone, and was a cousin of Captain Lawrence, the author of that well known phrase, "Don't give up the ship." Mrs. Hackstaff retained the use of all her faculties to a wonderful degree until within a few days of her death. She remembered distinctly all the incidents connected with the war of 1812 and took great delight in talking over the early history of the country.

Indian Murderers Killed.

Winnipeg, June 1.—Almighty Voice and the two Indian murderers who have been holding Bellevue bluff, near Duck lake, for the past two days against the mounted police, have been killed. A rush was made on the bluff yesterday and an Indian was slain. It was found that Almighty Voice and another Indian had been killed by the shells fired earlier in the day. The rebellious Indians have been brought in. The father of Almighty Voice is under arrest here as an accomplice. No further trouble is anticipated.

Flood Anniversary Observed.

Johnstown, Pa., June 1.—The eighth anniversary of the Johnstown flood was appropriately observed in this city, when thousands of people, many of them having lost relatives and near friends in the mast appalling disaster of recent times, visited the beautiful cemetery of Grand View. The unknown plot that contains the unidentified bodies of over 800 victims of the disaster was literally covered with flowers, contributed mostly by persons who lost dear ones in the flood and whose bodies were never recovered.

Medical Publishers Meet.

Philadelphia, June 1.—The fourth annual meeting of the American Medical Publishers' association was held at the Hotel Hanover. President L. B. Edwards of Richmond presided. A number of papers were read by members from this city and from Ohio, Missouri, Michigan, Virginia, Oregon and other states. The seventh annual meeting of the National Confederation of State Medical Examining and Licensing Boards was also held at the Hotel Walton.

Object to City Borrowing.

Harrisburg, June 1.—The Pennsylvania supreme court has handed down an important opinion, deciding that the proposed loans of $8,000,000 and $3,000,000 by the city of Philadelphia for municipal purposes are not authorized by the eighth section of the constitution and that the indebtedness by the municipality beyond 2 per cent of the assessed valuation, except by a vote of the people, is illegal.

Shot by Her Husband.

New York, June 1.—Virginia Johnson, 25 years old, was shot and killed at 533 West Forty-second street. Her common law husband, Edward Ronn, was shot in the left side and is thought to be serious hurt. Austin Steward, 40 years old, who lives in the same house, did the shooting. He has been locked up. The shooting occurred after a disagreement over a dice game.

His Parents Will See Him Hanged.

San Quentin, Cal., June 1.—Theodore Durrant has made the declaration that if he must meet his fate on the gallows he will die like a man. The mere suggestion of suicide is repulsive to him, he says. He also declares that he will die in the presence of his parents, who will insist on attending the execution as his invited guests.

Overcome by Gas.

New York, June 1.—Mary Pasteur, aged 25 years, unmarried, residing at 117 East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, was taken to Presbyterian hospital suffering from the effects of asphyxiation. She was discovered in her room in an unconscious condition.

DEATH ON A TALLYHO

Five Killed and Many Injured at a Grade Crossing.

STRUCK BY A LONG ISLAND TRAIN.

Unhappy Fate of a Gay Party of Brooklyn People on a Coaching Excursion. Not One Escaped Uninjured. Several Will Die.

Brooklyn, June 1.—A tallyho coach loaded with members of a society attached to the Greene Avenue Baptist church of this city was run into at Valley Stream by a passenger train of the Long Island railroad. Five persons were instantly killed, seven were mangled so seriously that their lives are despaired of, and all the others were more or less hurt.

The dead were taken to Inwood and the wounded removed to St. John's hospital in this city.

The conductor and engineer of the passenger train were placed under arrest.

Eyewitnesses say that the horses ran away and, despite the endeavors of the drivers, dashed upon the track just ahead of the train.

The following were instantly killed:
Lester Roberts of Putnam avenue.
Miss Burch, 259 Stuyvesant avenue.
Gilbert Smith.
George Pashley, 824 Halsey street.
W. W. Lewis, 1081½ De Kalb avenue.

The following are believed to be fatally injured:
John J. Lewes, 882 Greene avenue.
Mrs. Andrews, 524 Macon street.
Flora Stewart, 306 Macon street.
Miss Burch, sister of one killed, 259 Stuyvesant avenue.
Earl Barnes, 257 Stuyvesant avenue.
Lawrence Barnes, Jr., 257 Stuyvesant avenue.
Walter Welbroch, 695 Quincy street.

The others injured are Bessie Gibson, Edna Bulmer, Tillie Hahn, Ray Stellman, Flora Debetts, Mrs. Bates, Miss Pashley and Henry McCormack.

The accident occurred at the point near Valley Stream where the Merrick road crosses the West Hampton branch of the Long Island railroad. The party was on its way to Rockville Center.

There were 22 of the party in all, many of them riding on the outside of the coach. It was those who escaped with their lives. All those inside the coach were instantly killed.

At the point where the accident occurred the Merrick road is surrounded by dense shrubbery. High trees, now in full leaf, prevent any view of the track being obtained from the road, and beneath the trees bushes grow thickly.

Just before the tallyho reached the tracks the horses became frightened at the whistle of the passenger from Mineola bound for Valley Stream, which was approaching.

Horses Became Unmanageable.

Sounded as a warning, the whistle caused the accident, for it rendered the horses unmanageable.

Realizing the danger of his position, the driver tried to stop the team. They had become too frightened to obey, and then the driver decided to try to cross the tracks.

Lashing the horses to their full speed, he endeavored to force them across the tracks.

The animals had cleared the rails, and the coach was just upon the track when the locomotive struck it.

The persons in the tallyho had not realized their danger until it was too late. When they saw the locomotive it was almost upon them. Several leaped from their seats, but only to be crushed in the fearful wreck that followed. The locomotive struck the coach squarely in the center and carried it for many yards before the train could be stopped. Not until then did the engineer realize the extent of the catastrophe.

The accident had been witnessed by many persons who live near the crossing, and they hurried to give aid. On reaching the scene, they found six persons dead, while the wounded, so badly hurt as to be helpless, were groaning with pain. Word was sent at once to Valley Stream and from there to Long Island City.

Medical aid was asked, and Drs. Bradbury and Ayer of Linbrook and Hutcheson of Rockville Center responded. They did what they could to relieve the sufferings of the wounded, but were so hampered that they were able to do little.

As soon as word of the accident reached Long Island City a relief train was sent out and the wounded men removed to Brooklyn and taken to hospitals.

The dead were left on the turf close to the spot where they lost their lives, and Coroner Coombs was notified. He hurried to the spot and began an investigation.

From the story of those who saw the accident it is said that blame cannot be justly placed upon either the engineer of the train or the driver of the tallyho. They say that had not the horses been so frightened the driver would have been able to control them and would not have driven upon the track. Strange to say, the horses escaped unhurt.

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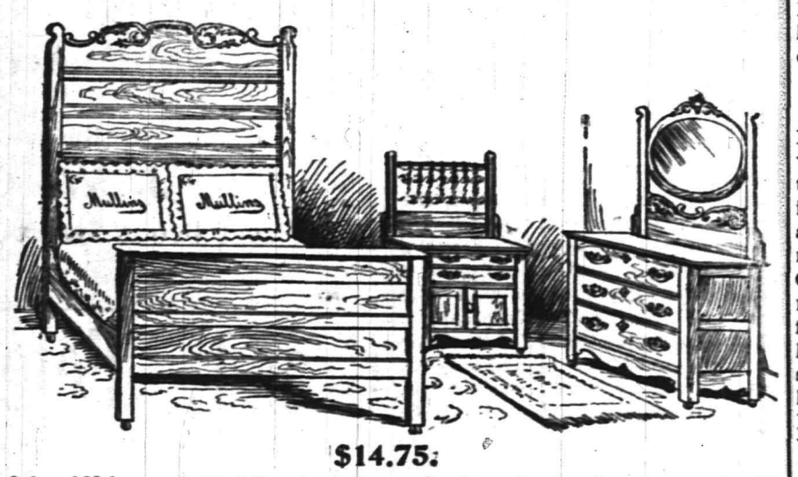

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pope, of this city, spent Sunday and Monday with relatives in Newark.

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A Valuable Prescription.

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Mrs. J. H. Ackerman, of West Seventh street, has returned from New York, where she has been stopping for some time.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman for the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Mrs. G. Thorn and daughter, Miss Lillian, of East Second street, and Mrs. A. C. Wyckoff and daughter, Helen, of LaGrande avenue, spent last Monday with Miss Grace Blackwell, of Brooklyn.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

THE LATEST WAR NEWS.

The Greeks Desire Peace—Germany Said to Be Playing a Bold Game.

Athens, June 1.—The Ephemeris demands the immediate prosecution of the leaders of the Ethnike hetairia for recent illegal acts. It states that M. Melas, a former mayor of Athens, is president of the governing body of the brotherhood, which includes also the legal adviser of the ministry of finance, two professors of the University of Athens and seven officers of the Greek army.

Greeks Want Peace.

London, June 1.—The Athens correspondent of The Times urges the powers to make a speedy and firm statement as to the Cretan difficulty and to insist upon Turkish evacuation, after which, he says, the Cretan chiefs would be willing to accept autonomy. If, on the contrary, Turkey is allowed to send more troops to Crete, there will be a renewal of the horrors of 1866-8.

Greeks Hear Good News.

London, June 1.—The corresponden: of The Standard at Athens says the Greeks are greatly encouraged by the rumor that a navy contractor named Kolla has received an order to provision the British fleet of 40 men-of-war, to be concentrated at Phalerum.

Germany's Bold Game.

London, June 1.—The correspondent of The Standard at Constantinople says that the prevalent opinion there is that Germany is playing a bold game in order to force Russia to declare openly either for or against Turkey.

PICTURES IN MIDAIR.

A New Idea In Photography Successfully Carried Out.

New York, June 1.—William A. Eddy took the first double photograph in midair that has ever been secured. He did this with special apparatus after a year of study.

By his invention it will be possible to take from midair a perfect photograph of the entire horizon line. With such an apparatus Eddy claims that a photograph can be taken at sea which will show a ship approaching when it is 10 miles beyond the horizon line as seen from a ship's deck.

The inventor is confident his apparatus can be used to great advantage during war. The photographs were taken with two cameras, but it is proposed to arrange eight so that they will photograph the entire horizon at once.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At New York—
New York ..... 8 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 *—10
Pittsburg ..... 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0— 2
New York—Hits, 11; errors, 3. Pittsburg—Hits, 13; errors, 9.
At Brooklyn—
Brooklyn ..... 2 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 *— 5
Cleveland ..... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1— 2
Brooklyn—Hits, 12; errors, 3. Cleveland—Hits, 10; errors, 1.
At Philadelphia—
Philadelphia ... 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0— 2
Louisville ..... 0 0 1 0 0 0 3 0 *— 4
Philadelphia—Hits, 8; errors, 0. Louisville—Hits, 8; errors, 2.
At Chicago—
Chicago ..... 3 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0— 4
Baltimore ..... 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 2— 6
Chicago—Hits, 13; errors, 4. Baltimore—Hits, 10; errors, 1.
Second game—
Chicago ..... 2 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 0— 6
Baltimore ..... 4 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0— 6
Chicago—Hits, 13; errors, 4. Baltimore—Hits, 10; errors, 1.
At Cincinnati—
Cincinnati ..... 1 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 1— 4
Washington ... 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0— 3
Cincinnati—Hits, 8; errors, 0. Washington—Hits, 6; errors, 1.
Second game—
Cincinnati .... 0 2 0 2 0 0 0 0 *— 4
Washington ... 1 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0— 3
Cincinnati—Hits, 8; errors, 4. Washington—Hits, 6; errors, 0.
At Brooklyn—
Cleveland ..... 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0— 2
Brooklyn ..... 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 1— 5
Cleveland—Hits, 10; errors, 1. Brooklyn—Hits, 12; errors, 4.
At Boston—
Boston ..... 1 1 2 4 3 4 5 5 0—25
St. Louis..... 0 4 0 0 0 0 1 0 0— 5
Boston—Hits, 29; errors, 3. St. Louis—Hits, 11; errors, 6.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	23	8	.777
Cincinnati	23	11	.666
Pittsburg	18	11	.621
Boston	18	12	.600
Cleveland	17	13	.507
New York	13	14	.482
Louisville	16	14	.533
Brooklyn	15	16	.484
Philadelphia	15	18	.455
Chicago	11	22	.333
Washington	9	21	.300
St. Louis	6	26	.187

Bicycle Collision.

Atlanta, June 1.—Miss Anna Hunter, a young society woman of this city, while bicycling with her escort on Whitehall road, was run down by a negro bicyclist, Charles Tate. The negro is dead, and the young woman is not expected to live.

Two Men Blown to Atoms.

Cripple Creek, Colo., June 1.—William Carr and Frank Curtis, miners in the Normal tunnel, five miles south of this place, were instantly killed by a premature explosion of dynamite. The bodies were hardly recognizable.

Weather Predictions.

Fair; northerly winds, becoming variable.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

An earthquake shock was felt in Washington, Cleveland and Zanesville.

Eight little children were killed at Denver, Colo., by the collision of a train with a wagon.

H. B. Niles, president of the Equitable Mercantile company of New York city, killed himself.

Charles Brown, one of the boys to whom their mother gave poisoned soda water in Brooklyn, is dead.

Memorial day was observed with parades and the decorating of graves in New York and neighboring cities.

Former Assistant Secretary of State Joseph D. Hall, who fell from a second story window at Trenton, has died from his injuries.

Official reports state that over 200 cases of black plague occurred in two of the largest towns in Formosa during early May.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS

Reports From Different Places Show Their Wide Range.

FELT IN THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Although They Caused Some Alarm, but Little Damage Was Done In Any Place. Seem to Have Been Prevalent Over a Wide Territory.

Washington, June 1.—An earthquake shock was felt here. It lasted about 50 seconds and caused chandeliers to sway and doors to tremble perceptibly.

It was noticed at the capitol, in the Telephone Exchange and in several of the high buildings.

In the Associated Press office, in The Post building, the vibrations were felt very distinctly.

A watchman at the Naval observatory said that the shock lasted nearly a minute, and that the movement was from south to north.

The self recording instrument in the weather bureau shows that the disturbance began at 1:58¾ and lasted five minutes. The movement was from south to north.

Two Distinct Shocks.

Knoxville, June 1.—Two distinct shocks of earthquake were felt in Knoxville. Reports vary as to the length of the shocks, some claiming they were at least half a minute in duration. Several large buildings were badly shaken, and two chimneys fell. The movement of the disturbance was from west to east. Reports from all over east Tennessee and southwest Virginia indicate that in some places the shock was felt stronger than in Knoxville. At Bristol it continued 30 seconds. It came from the southwest and shook buildings so that persons ran into the streets. Several chimneys were thrown down. Middlesboro, Ky., also felt the shock.

Two Shocks at Norfolk.

Norfolk, June 1.—Two distinct earthquake shocks were felt here, lasting seven and eight seconds respectively. There was an exodus from several office buildings and dwellings and considerable alarm caused in various parts of the city, but no damage was done. The shocks were about ten seconds apart.

People Ran From Their Houses.

Charleston, W. Va., June 1.—A severe earthquake shock was felt here. In many buildings the furniture was moved by the vibrations. The people were panic stricken, and many ran out of the large business houses. The vibrations were from north to south and lasted about 15 seconds.

Alarm at Danville.

Danville, Va., June 1.—An earthquake shock was felt here and caused much alarm. Buildings were shaken, but no damage resulted. The shock, which consisted of three distinct vibrations and lasted over one minute, was preceded by a roaring sound, resembling that by a conflagration.

Pictures Shaken at Charlotte.

Charlotte, N. C., June 1.—A very perceptible earthquake shock of 30 seconds' duration was felt here. Many of the pictures in the art rooms of the Woman's exposition were found hanging out of their correct positions after it was over. Bricks were thrown from chimneys.

Only Slight In Savannah.

Savannah, June 1.—Savannah felt a slight earthquake. Its direction was from east to west. The tremor was recorded at the weather bureau, seventy-fifth meridian time. Windows and doors were shaken throughout the city, and many were made dizzy by the vibrations.

Distinct Shock at Wheeling.

Wheeling, June 1.—A distinct earthquake shock was felt all over this city and in the surrounding towns. No damage was done so far as could be learned. The earthquake lasted about 30 seconds and was violent enough to shake brick buildings slightly.

Chimneys Shaken Down.

Lynchburg, Va., June 1.—A shock of earthquake was experienced here. Bricks were shaken from a number of chimneys and furniture and crockery jostled. Considerable alarm was created in some quarters. No damage of consequence was done.

Slight In East Tennessee.

Chattanooga, June 1.—A slight earthquake shock was felt throughout east Tennessee from Bristol to Chattanooga. No damage is reported, but the shock was very perceptible.

Slight at Newport News.

Newport News, Va., June 1.—A slight earthquake shock was felt here. The disturbance was so mild that it was imperceptible to many persons, and no damage is reported.

Greensboro Shaken.

Greensboro, N. C., June 1.—This city was severely shaken by an earthquake, but no damage was done. Similar shocks are reported from many surrounding towns.

Felt Over the State.

Raleigh, June 1.—Reports from all over the state report an earthquake shock. Very little damage was done. In a few instances chimneys were shaken down.

Felt Over Several States.

Cincinnati, June 1.—Special dispatches report earthquakes felt distinctly all over Ohio, Kentucky and West Virgina.

At Wilmington, N. C.

Wilmington, N. C., June 1.—A slight earthquake shock was felt here. The motion was from north to south.

Severe at Lexington.

Lexington, Va., June 1.—A severe earthquake shock was felt here. It lasted for one minute.

Slight Shock Felt.

Petersburg, Va., June 1.—An earthquake shock was felt here of 30 seconds' duration.

Sudden Death of an Editor.

Syracuse, June 1.—Will T. Hall, editor of the Skaneateles Democrat, died suddenly at his home.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Threatening Tonight; Wednesday Possibly Showers Near the Coast; Warmer Wednesday.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 62 Degrees.

BOROUGH GOVERNMENT.

The many boroughs of the State formed under the several laws since declared by the courts to be unconstitutional, are apparently not yet out of the woods so far as their legality goes, notwithstanding that the act of 1896 sought to give a legal existence to those boroughs that confessedly at that time were only de-facto municipalties. The Court of Errors and Appeals in a decision rendered a few days ago in a Belmar case, refused to pass upon the constitutionality of the act of 1896, and referred the case back to the Supreme Court for a decision on this point. If the act of 1896 should be declared unconstitutional the scores of boroughs formed under the acts of 1890 and 1891 and the act for the formation of seaside boroughs would be as badly off as ever. Their only hope then would be in taking refuge under the general borough act of 1897. Good lawyers who have given the matter study, say that the act 1897 is not so open to attack on a question of constitutionality as is the act of 1896, and that it is probable that legislation has at last been enacted which will at last convert these de-facto boroughs into boroughs with an unquestionable legal existence.

NEWSPAPER KICKERS.

An observing contemporary says it is worth remembering that no paper is printed for one person, any more than a hotel is built especially for one guest. People who become displeased with something they find in a newspaper, should remember that the very thing that displeases them is often the very thing that pleases somebody who is just as important as they are.

Cooking Lectures.

The Plainfield Gas and Electric Light Company has engaged Mrs. Lemcke, of Brooklyn, to deliver a series of three lectures on cooking on gas stoves, with a view of demonstrating the fact that anything done on a coal range can be equally as well done on a gas stove. The first lecture was delivered this morning in the Casino of the Union County Country Club at 10:30 o'clock and the two remaining ones will be at the same place and hour tomorrow and Thursday. The menus will be different at each lecture, so that all three may be attended with interest and profit.

An Opportunity You Now Have of testing the curative effects of Ely's Cream Balm, the most positive Cure for catarrh known. Ask your druggist for a 10 cent trial size or send 10 cents, we will mail it. Full size 50 cents. ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City. My son was afflicted with catarrh. I induced him to try Ely's Cream Balm and the disagreeable catarrhal smell all left him. He appears as well as any one.—J. C. Olmstead, Arcola, Ill.

Bitten by a Dog.

Harold Fenno, of Watchung avenue, nine years old, was bitten by a dog while on his way to school this morning. The canine was following a carriage but left it and ran at the boy who was passing at the corner of Watchung avenue and Franklin place. The boy's leg was badly torn and lacerated so that it was necessary for Dr. Murray to cauterize the wound.

Accepted a Call as Pastor.

Arthur Ernest Crane, the son of Rev. Arthur Crane, the evangelist, who is pursuing his studies in Crozer Theological Seminary, has received a call as acting pastor of the Baptist church of Milton, West Virginia, during the summer vacation. He has accepted and will enter on his studies the second Sunday of June.

Arguing for a New Trial.

Counselor W. K. McClure went to Trenton today to argue for a motion for the purpose of securing a new trial in the case of Phelps against Howell. On Friday an effort will be made to show cause why a new trial should be granted.

A New Law Firm.

Robert M. Clark and Charles J. McNabb, two rising young lawyers of this city, have gone into partnership and formed the firm of McNabb & Clark. Their offices will be in the City National Bank building.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—More people should use Olive Oil. It has served as a food for a considerable portion of mankind from earliest times. Mr. Rowley, the Somerset street druggist, invites everyone to get a sample of his Italian Oil. He says he has the best oil in the world. His advertisement appears on another page.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Mrs. and Miss Drake, of Newark, are visiting friends in town.

P. Galbraith, of Orange, was the guest of Plainfield friends yesterday.

Mrs. Cora Ryno, of Condington avenue, is visiting her sister at Phillipsburg.

Max Munger, of the borough, was the guest of Bound Brook friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Corter, of Newark, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emmons, of the borough.

Miss Mary Farrell, of Brooklyn, is the guest of the Misses Kane, of West Third street.

Mr. Smith and family, of Somerset street, spent yesterday with relatives at Somerville.

Councilman W. A. Westphal and wife, of West Fourth street, spent Sunday in Philadelphia.

Miss Turton, of Brooklyn, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Jessie Little, of East Ninth street.

Miss Eva Noe, of East Sixth street, has joined the chorus choir of the Grace P. E. church.

Mrs. M. H. Pike, of Baltimore, is a guest at the home of Martin J. Cooley, of Rockview avenue.

Mrs. Frank Sargent Grant and her daughter, Miss Smock, have been visiting friends in town.

Miss Mary E. Robinson, of East Fifth street, has been spending a few days with friends in Albany.

Mrs. Thomas J. Stead, of New York, is visiting Mrs. Harrison Coddington, of Mountain avenue.

Mrs. M. T. West, of Crescent avenue, has gone to Haddan Hall, Atlantic City, to spend several weeks.

Mrs. Hendenbergh, of Orange, is visiting at the home of her father, Mr. P. Thompson, of Central avenue.

W. Wertz, of Newark, spent last Wednesday afternoon with Miss Lillian Thorn, of East Second street.

William B. Force, of LaGrand avenue, passed his examination in New York last week and is now a dentist.

Mrs. John H. Kitchen and son, William Judson, of Somerset street, is visiting friends at Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. H. S. Phillips, of Elm place, spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks, of Weston, Somerset county.

Mr. and Mrs. Folger and child, and Miss Folger, of Newark, are guests at the home of Dr. Carman, of Franklin place.

Will Rosell, of Brooklyn, youngest son of the late John Rosell, spent Sunday and yesterday with relatives in Plainfield.

Nathan E. Lewis, of West Eighth street, and Sydney R. Titsworth, of West Fifth street, have been visiting friends in New York.

Miss Helen Savage, of Rahway, who has been visiting her friend, Miss Leila Cruikshank, of Belvidere avenue, has returned home.

Dr. Carman and daughter, Miss Louise Carman, of Franklin place, spent several days wheeling through Long Island to Sag Harbor.

E. C. Pease, from New York, formerly of Plainfield has been visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Worth, of Washington avenue.

Miss Leila Cruikshank, of Belvidere avenue, returned to her studies at Tarrytown, Saturday, but will return to Plainfield on her summer vacation tomorrow.

George Bedford, an employee at the Walter Scott Printing Works, has just returned from England where he has been erecting a large press for the above firm.

William G. VanAlstyne and sons, Louis VanAlstyne and William B. VanAlstyne, of Watchung avenue, have returned from a short trip to Old Point Comfort.

Mr. Newkirk, a crackajack member of the Manhattan Athletic Club, of New York, spent yesterday with his brother in law, Nicholas Terhune and family, of Sandford avenue.

Miss Florence G. Hawkins, of La Grande avenue, started for Burlington, Vt., yesterday, where she will act as bridemaid at the wedding of her friend, Miss Florence Campbell.

"Uncle" Dan and Mrs Roberts, of North avenue, will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary on July 4th. Arrangements are being made to make the event an auspicious one.

Chief Engineer Storm, of the Long Branch Fire Department, was the guest of Chief T. O. Doane, of this city, yesterday. Mr. Storm was highly pleased with the Plainfield department.

Mrs. Morgan S. Taylor and her daughter, Miss Taylor, who have been abroad for two years, returned on Saturday in the steamer Lucania. They are being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Cooley for a few days previous to their going to Belmar for the summer.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Is Peck's the best place to buy corsets? Of cors-et is.

—The McAll Auxiliary will meet tomorrow morning at the Public Library.

—Measurements were taken yesterday to lay a sidewalk on the Madison avenue side of the Jackson building.

—John Darling, of Prospect avenue, is improving the appearance of his property by having his house painted.

—E. S. Gordon, a Long Branch mill hand, has fallen heir to $250,000 through the death of a brother in Texas.

—The closing exercises of the Junior Endeavor Society of the Congregational church will be held on Friday afternoon in the church parlors.

—White tells of seven special good things that they will put on sale tomorrow at interesting prices and it will pay you to investigate.

—Mr. and Mrs. Beveridge, the famous Neoraska vocalists, will give a free musical entertainment in Amphion Hall, on West Second street, Tuesday evening. 5 29-2

—The General Synod of the Reformed church will convene in Educational Hall, Asbury Park, Wednesday Rev. John B. Thompson, D. D., the retiring president, is expected to deliver the synodical address.

—Col. John C. Owens, assistant inspector of rifle practice of the National Guards of the State, and who has been in charge of the Sea Girt rifle range, has asked to be retired. Col. Owens has been in the guard thirty one years and will be retired as brevet brigadier general.

—Owing to the condition of the weather the social features at the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club were dispensed with yesterday and will be held at a future date. There was not a large attendance of the fair sex, and without them this part of the programme would be a failure.

—Mrs. Brokaw, of 507 West Fourth street, widow of the late veteran Isaac Brokaw, is disirous that her friends should know that she still has the agency of the soap and the wax block or iron cleaner her husband formerly held, and will be pleased to supply all who will thus help her to gain a livelihood. 5-29-2

—The louse plague continues to increase in Gloucester county, and unless its ravages are stayed there will be little if any fruit left. The lice appeared about two weeks ago, first attacking the apple trees, but now the cherry and pear trees are also becoming infested. The insects locate on the under side of the leaves and suck the substance from the trees.

—A meeting of Miantonomoh Tribe of Red Men, was held on Friday evening. The invitation of Iona Council to attend the presentations of the chiefs regalias was accepted and the Tribe will attend in a body. The committee on the recent dance and entertainment reported that it had been a financial success. A pleasant time in the good of the order followed.

—This evening at Trinity Reformed church the greatest achievement of optical science will be exhibited when the Bio-Cinematoscope, together with beautiful fatamorgana effects will be shown. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the Sunday-school and an excellent opportunity is given all to witness a wonder of the 19th Century and at the same time assist a worthy cause. The price of admission will be 25 cents.

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

For More School Room.

At a meeting of the Washington ville school trustees on Friday evening of last week, three propositions were summitted to provide increased room for the present overcrowded building One was to build an addition to the present building and two others were presented for buying a joining ground and erecting a new schoolhouse, either one or two stories high, as the votors in the school district may decide at a meeting to be held on the evening of June 15th.

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HONORED DEAD HEROES

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any sort of a celebration. So with Memorial Day, it is not what it used to be when it was instituted by Gen Logan. The speaker dwelt on the fact that in 1861 it was the best men the country had that enlisted to save the Nation and to preserve it from destruction. While the men in blue were fighting on the battlefield he was doing his part in the pulpit and on the platform. The doctor related the story of how the Prince of Wales came to this country just before the war broke out and how the First Division, New York Regiments, refused to turn out and act as an escort, but when the call came for men to go to the front and fight for the country they were very quick to respond.

The war, he said, was the crisis of elements which has been simmering for years and it was no child's play. There were many partisan forces and these all worked against the soldier to his own destruction. It was not the politicians that secured the victory, but a hard and desperate struggle on the part of loyal, patriotic men. Washington adopted the idea of liberty, and ever since there has been a fight to maintain it.

Dr. Lowry related many personal incidents during his address which were greatly enjoyed by all, and at the end his remarks were given a hearty round of applause, and he was presenten with a beautiful bouquet of flowers by the members of the Woman's Relief Corps.

After a selection by the chorus of children a recitation was given by Miss Try Mattox, which was followed with an act entitled "Decorating the Graves of the Unknown Dead." On the stage was an improvised grave beside of which stood Charles Stephens representing the veteran with one arm, and while Retta Nash sang a solo the grave was decorated by Gene Knowland and Frank Weigmann. In this part Mrs. Clarence Leland represented the Daughter of Veteran, H. S. Thatcher the Son of Veteran, while W. R. Mattox took the part of a Comrade. The last number on the programme was a tableau arranged by W. R. Mattox entitled "America." Then there were recitations from forty girls representing each State in the Union. In this Mrs. Summers acted the part of Liberty, Charles Stephens the wounded soldier, Raymond McVoy the Son of Veteran. Miss Sadie Mattox the Daughter of a Regiment, and I. Stites a sailor. All were arranged in an attractive and picturesque manner, and the burning of different colored lights made a pretty effect. The scene closed with the singing of America in which all took part. Miss Nash was the efficient accompanist, and she was also presented with a large bouquet of flowers.

This concloded the exercises, and as the band played a patriotic air the assembled audience gradually left the hall, all feeling as though they had passed a most instructive and profitable time

Wrecked His Wheel, Saved Himself.

William Johnson, the colored janitor at the Seminary, met with an accident Saturday evening that resulted in the wrecking of his wheel and a very narrow escape for himself. He was riding down West Seventh street, near Central avenue, on the left hand side of the street, when he suddenly encountered a carriage coming in the opposite direction. Johnson crashed into the horse but escaped by throwing himself off the wheel into the gutter. The horse trampled on the wheel and wrecked it. The driver of the carriage was evidently afraid that he was to blame for he refused to give his name, and afterwards drove away as fast as possible.

Taking Law Examinations.

William Newcorn and Frank Blatz, of this city, went to Trenton today for the purpose of securing the proper papers to be permitted to take the examinations for admission to the bar. The examinations will be held next Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Van Emburgh, of East Second street, spent Sunday and Monday with friends at Freehold, Monmouth county.

Richard Field, a brother to the late Dr. C. M. Field, has accepted a position as assistant county clerk of Dade county, Fla., and leaves Plainfield today for Juno, the county seat, to enter upon his duties.

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—Additional locals on page 3.

Mrs. A. S. Nichols and sons, of New York, have been spending a few days at the home of B. J. Shreve, of Grove street.

Former Borough Councilman John Valiant and family left the city today for Maryland where they will visit relatives.

Miss Markwith and Mr. Doull, of East Orange, spent Decoration Day with their friend Miss Wilkins, of East Fifth street.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are to-day its warmest friends. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Albert Apgar, of Front street, has purchased a wheel.

The Kickapoo Indians left this morning for Newark.

Miss M. Vail, of Plainfield, visited friends in town yesterday.

Mr. Rea, of Front street, is entertaining out of town friends.

Miss Maud Benton, of New York, spent Decoration Day in town visiting friends.

The house of Mrs. Emily Apgar, of Front street, is being treated to a coat of paint.

Harry Swackhamer and family, of Church street, spent Decoration Day in Pluckamin.

Charles Adams, of Front street, spent Decoration Day visiting friends in Somerville.

Quite a number of persons from this place attended the celebration at Lincoln yesterday.

A pickup nine of this place played a Plainfield team yesterday. The result was: Plainfield, 8; Dunellen, 23.

Engine 75 took a special train to Neshanic on Sunday to accommodate the bridgemen who worked there.

Mrs. Edward Teel, of Jackson avenue, has returned home after a pleasant visit with friends in Easton, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Oakley, of New Brunswick, are visiting at the home of R. J. Swackhamer, of Dunellen avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stryker, of Brooklyn, have returned home after a pleasant visit with W. J. Hamilton, of Front street.

Mrs. Elizabeth Dunham and Miss Libbie Wilcox have returned to their home in Westfield after a visit with friends in town.

Two men from Newark, while riding on a tandem between Bound Brook and this place, yesterday, had a very bad smashup, mashing the front wheel completely. They came to this place and took the cars for Newark.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

A very delightful musicale was given by the pupils of Miss Avis Lillian Nicholl at her residence on Mountain avenue, on Saturday afternoon. The selections evidenced taste and discrimination and were performed in a manner that elicited general approbation and applause from those present and bore strong testimony to the conscientious application and classical appreciation which are so prominent in Miss Nicholl's own work. Among those participating were the Misses Marion Hall, Mamie Miller, Lillie Fancher, Mary Westcott, Janet Carter, Florence Bettman, Christine Bettman, Ethel Kyte and Harriet Collins.

LINCOLN.

On account of the rain, instead of having the dedication ceremonies in Lincoln Park, where all arrangements had been made for it, a platform was erected in the depot park and an interesting programme carried out. Members of Pioneer Council, J. O. U. A. M., of Bound Brook, took charge of raising a large American flag. Drake's Band gave a concert until 12 o'clock. An interesting feature was when S. D. Drake made arrangements to have the telephone at the depot convey to the editorial rooms of The Daily Press, several parties in Elizabeth, New Brunswick, Bound Brook and Somerville, the music of the band, 125 feet away from the instrument. A repast was furnished at Lincoln villa for the orators and many guests. The band concert was resumed at 1:30 until 3 p. m., when S. D. Drake, acting as master of ceremonies, addressed an appreciative audience, and introduced Gen. J. Madison Drake, of Elizabeth, who gave an interesting address. He was followed by J. B. Cleaver, of Lincoln, who delivered an oration on the life, virtues and qualities of Abraham Lincoln.

Mrs. William E. Love, of Park avenue, sailed on the steamer St. Louis on Saturday to join her daughter, Miss Love, who is at school in Paris.

WESTFIELD

COMRADES REMEMBERED

MEMORIAL DAY FITTINGLY OBSERVED IN WESTFIELD.

Patriotic Addresses in the Churches—Flags Were at Half-Mast and Veterans' Graves Were Decorated by the G. A. R.

Memorial Day in Westfield began on Sunday evening with the holding of patriotic services in the churches. Rev. N. W. Cadwell gave a talk on "The Dead Heroes of the War" in the Presbyterian church, and National airs and patriotic songs were rendered by the large chorus choir. In the Methodist church there was a patriotic young people's meeting, Sunday evening, under the auspices of the Epworth League. The topic was "God and Home and Native Land." The rain of Sunday night and yesterday morning interfered somewhat with the events of Memorial Day proper. The parade of the G. A. R. veterans to Fairview cemetery, at 10 o'clock a. m., under escort of the Jr. O. U. A. M., did not take place, much to the disappointment of a fair sized crowd who gathered to witness the patriotic spectacle. The dead were not unremembered, however. Comrades Harden, Reese, Fink and Mitchell drove in a carriage to Fairview and to the old Presbyterian cemetery and there placed flowers and flags upon the graves of twenty two soldiers. Two handsome silk flags that were placed upon the graves of D. F. Staples and W. H. Miller, in Fairview, were the gift of U. S. Grant Post, 327, G. A. R., of Brooklyn. Throughout the town flags were displayed at half mast. At the Children's Country Home a successful lawn festival was held from 2 until 6 o'clock. Tables were placed at convenient places upon the lawn, and decorations of flags and lanterns were arranged. The stages which ran from Westfield post-office every twenty minutes, were heavily laden with passengers. The good things went off rapidly, and a comfortable sum was realized for the home.

A tie game of baseball was played in Westfield last Saturday between the Westfield club nine and the Manhattan Field Club, of New York. The feature of the game was the perfect pitching of Higgins, of the Westfield team, who struck out the first twelve men who came to the bat before him. No runs were scored until the third innings, when Westfield pounded the ball hard and scored six runs. In the fifth the Manhattans had made one run; two men were out and one man was on third. The ball was pounded. McDede at second made a phenomenal stop, but instead of playing the ball to first he played it home and made a wild throw. In this inning the visiting team also scored six runs, and as no more runs were made on either side, the score remained a tie, 6 to 6. At the end of the seventh innings the game was called. The fielding of the Westfield team in this game showed much improvement.

A successful strawberry and ice-cream festival for the benefit of St. Paul's Episcopal church, was held on the lawn or Charles N. Codding's residence, corner of Boulevard and Park street, Saturday afternoon and evening. Decorations of flags and Japanese lanterns were arranged so as to secure an effect. The five tables were were in charge of the Miss Ada Sergeant, Miss Hazel Wallace and Miss Hilda Green. The grab-bag was presided over by Miss Ethel Green. The large number of patrons present thoroughly enjoyed the good things, and incidentally added a neat sum to the church fund.

A game with Rutgers College, in Westfield, was scheduled for yesterday afternoon, but the New Brunswick boys failed to appear, probably on account of the uncertainty of the weather. A practice game took place instead between the Westfield club team and a picked nine. Wm. Stitt umpired the game in a creditable manner.

The Westfield Stars defeated the Roselle Junior baseball team at Roselle Saturday, by the score of 18 to 10.

The case of Swinefurth against Blake, for the possession of premises, was tried by Justice Collins today.

Edmund DeLuque, of Brooklyn, spent Sunday and yesterday with friends in town.

The pupils of Miss Ella Ferris will give their musicale Thursday evening, the 10th.

Empire Engine Company meets tonight in the department rooms.

James McMahon, of Walnut street, is ill with the measles.

Mrs. John Dorvall has returned from Europe.

Master Raymond Smith has whooping cough.

His Boss to the Rescue.

Henry Schaeder, a resident of Roselle, came to Plainfield yesterday and wandered into the borough, where he imbibed too freely and became rather noisy. Chief Marshal Wilson arrested him. Schaeder resisted the officer, and the latter found it necessary to use force. This morning he was arraigned before Recorder Thomas and Schaeder was sentenced to pay a fine of $12 or go to jail for sixty days. At the request of Schaeder, Chief Wilson telephoned to Daniel Schwartz, employer of Schaeder, who keeps a butcher shop at Roselle, and Schwartz said that he would come to Plainfield this afternoon and pay his workman's fine.

To Consider Church Enlargement.

A congregational meeting of Trinity Reformed church, for discussing the subject of raising the present church edifice and providing a commodious Sunday-school room under the church nearly even with the ground, has been called for Wednesday evening, June 9th, at which time a full and free discussion of the contemplated improvement will be entered into and a vote of the congregation will be taken on the subject. It seems almost certain that the project will be voted for by the congregation, as the needs for a larger Sunday-school are very necessary to meet the present crowded room.

A Family Reunion.

The Fenner family living in this locality held a reunion at Weston, Somerset county, yesterday. There was present about 150 people, nearly all of whom were relatives. The day was passed in renewing family acquintances and not the least pleasing was the very fine dinner served at noon. Among those present from Plainfield were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Van Middlesworth, Mrs. Horace J. Martin and family and Miss Ella Fenner.

And There Was Light.

On Saturday night last about forty visitors met at Lincoln depot, the occasion being the turning on of the electric lights in the new town for the first time, which was performed by J. B. Cleavers, young son and daughter, and Mrs. L. D. Drake. The Somerset county telephone company also connected Lincoln with Bound Brook for the first time on this night.

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DIED.

BURTON—On May 31, 1897, Helen Coates, daughter of W. Gordon and Elizabeth Coates Burton, aged 16 months. Funeral services on Wednesday, June 3, at 9:30 a. m. o'clock, at the residence of H. Crawford Coates, 4302 Spruce street, New York. Interment at Plainfield, N. J.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

LOST—Saturday afternoon, between station, Park avenue and Fifth street, dropped from carriage, a black silk umbrella, ball handle, alligator wood, marked L. E. Chapman. Finder please return to Press office. Reward.

LOST—Silk cape, near Westfield. Information sent to L. W. Randolph's pharmacy. Suitable reward offered.

LOST—On Monday, light haired Scotch Terrier dog; weight about 12 lbs. Finder kindly notify or return to 123 East Second street.

WILL person who found 4 yards of India Silk, on Monday, between West Front street, ball grounds and Prospect place, please return to this office. A reward will be given. I. Walker.

FOUND—A black silk umbrella with owner's name on handle. May be had by calling at 525 Madison avenue, between 9 and 10 a. m., proving property and paying for ad.

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The Columbia is now on exhibition at our store and will remain on exhibition until June 30th, when the competition will close and the Columbia will be awarded to the fortunate winner.

The contest which we have just inaugurated, through which some subscriber to THE AMERICAN QUEEN is going to win a fine, high grade $100 Columbia Bicycle, is already well under way. The contest will remain open until June 30 1897. The conditions and plan of this contest are simply these: We purpose presenting a Columbia Bicycle 1897 Model, to the lady subscriber who furnishes the *best menu*, for one week, for a family of five, the cost of such menu not to exceed $10 for the week. The merits of the menus submitted will be passed upon by the Editor of THE AMERICAN QUEEN, Miss Mary [illegible], and the person furnishing the best menu, in Miss Bisland's judgment, will be presented with the bicycle.

The menu submitted should be enclosed in one envelope and the name of the sender in a separate one, the two being handed in or sent in together, addressed to us. The envelopes containing the menus will then be numbered and sent to Miss Bisland and the envelopes containing the names reserved by us, and when Miss Bisland makes her choice of the menus she will inform us of the number of the winner and we will then announce the result in local newspapers and THE AMERICAN QUEEN.

The only requirement necessary to admit you to this contest is that you be a subscriber to THE AMERICAN QUEEN.

The splendid wheel which will go to the winner is on exhibition in the store and may be seen at any time.

We want everybody to feel free to go into this contest and we hope that hundreds of our customers will fix their minds on good things to eat and mould them into an acceptable menu for the week, and at the same time keep the cost down to $10.

THE COMPETITION. Our aim in offering this competition is to have every lady we can reach with this announcement become a reader of THE AMERICAN QUEEN. THE QUEEN is published at $1 a year, but to give all our friends a chance to get this splendidly useful home publication for the ensuing year and at the same time have a chance to become the proud possessor of the standard cycle, we shall until the 30th day of June receive subscriptions (only one, however, will be taken from each family) for the nominal fee of 25 Cents a year. Come to the store at once, register your name receive your receipt for THE QUEEN for one year and try to win the Columbia.

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ATTEMPTED MURDER.

Proprietress of a Fashionable Boarding House Shot by Her Admirer.

Atlantic City, June 1.—Mrs. Phoebe H. Phillips, proprietess of the Kennett House, a fashionable boarding house on Ocean avenue, was shot and fatally wounded by Robert Hibbert.

Mrs. Phillips is 43 years of age and has three grown children. Hibbert is only 22 years of age. They both formerly lived at Kennett Square, Pa. Mrs. Phillips said in her antemortem statement that for some time Hibbert has been importuning her to marry him, but that she declined, owing to the disparity in their ages.

He entered the kitchen where she was and almost immediately began to shoot at her. He fired five shots, four of which took effect. Hibbert then turned the revolver on himself and pointed at his head, but the weapon failed to explode. He then left the house and went to police headquarters, where he gave himself up.

He could assign no cause for his act except that he thought Mrs. Phillips treated him coldly when he entered the house. He said he hoped she would die. The woman can live but a few hours. She pleads with those about her to save her assailant from punishment. She believed that Hibbert was not in his right mind.

The President Confers Degrees.

Washington, June 1.—President McKinley conferred the degrees on about 50 graduates of the senior and postgraduate classes of the National University Law school at the annual commencement exercises held in this city. The theater was crowded, and on the stage were many people of note. President Grant was the first head of the institution and conferred the degrees on its graduates, a custom that was followed by Presidents Hayes, Arthur and Cleveland in his first term.

Dispensary Law Killed.

Columbia, S. C., June 1.—Judge Simonton has filed a decision which looks like a deathblow to the state liquor dispensaries. He holds unconstitutional parts of the act of 1897 restricting the importation of liquor in original packages for personal use or the sale of such packages within this state for use in the state. Governor Ellerbe is astonished at the decision. It is believed he will close the dispensaries or call an extra session of the legislature.

Died of Starvation Caused by Lockjaw.

Camden, N. J., June 1.—William H. Parks, a dealer in coal, died here of starvation caused by lockjaw. No food or drink had passed his throat for five days. Ten physicians were in consultation to save his life. He was sick for three weeks. For the first two weeks after his jaws set he was able to take nourishment owing to an operation. Parks was hurt by a cake of ice falling and striking him on the back of the head.

Shot Down From Ambush.

Winder, Ga., June 1.—Edward Wright was killed by an unknown person on one of the back streets of this place. He had just left the chapel, where he sang in the choir for the commencement exercises of the Windser institute, when he was shot down from ambush. Suspicion rests on a young man with whom Wright had some words over a young woman with whom both were infatuated.

A Needle In Her Wrist.

Trenton, June 1.—Mrs. Annie Riker of 14 Ogden street four years ago ran a needle into the tip of one of her fingers, which broke off, and a part remained under the skin. A few days ago she felt a pain in her wrist near the pulse, and on careful examination the broken part of the needle was located. She will have it removed as soon as it comes nearer to the surface.

Chinese Will Control Railways.

London, June 1.—A dispatch to The Times from Hongkong says the Belgian-Chinese railway syndicate will be under Chinese control if the loan is floated, and Sheng Ta Jen's position will become very strong. The syndicate will have the exclusive privilege of furnishing railway material and of supplying engineers for building all the important lines in the future.

Government to Control Trusts.

London, June 1.—The Vienna correspondent of The Daily Mail says the government submitted to the reichsrath its bill providing for the state control of rings and trusts in the sugar, petroleum, salt and beer industries, with a view of preventing the abuses of combinations and the extortion of high prices. The bill will be applied later to other industries.

American Securities Stronger.

London, June 1.—On the strength of the currency statement of Mr. Gage, the American secretary of the treasury, American securities were stronger on the Stock Exchange, and competition for them more active than for a long time has been the case. Purchases were made over the whole list by both London and continental operators.

Killed by the Fire Truck.

Dobbs Ferry, N. Y., June 1.—While running to a fire Charles Lange was dragged to death under the wheels of Resolute Hook and Ladder company's truck. Young Lange attempted to help pull the truck, when he slipped in the mud under the wheels. He was a son of Police Justice John Lange and was 16 years old.

Chapel Dedicated.

White Plains, N. Y., June 1.—The Divine Compassion chapel has been dedicated. Archbishop Corrigan officiated, assisted by many dignitaries of the church. The chapel was built in memory of Mgr. Preston, founder of the order of the Sisters of the Divine Compassion.

Decoration at Chattanooga.

Chattanooga, June 1.—The graves of the 14,000 Union soldiers buried in the National cemetery at this place were decorated with elaborate ceremonies. Captain J. H. MacGowan of Washington delivered the annual oration. An immense throng of people was present.

Suicide of a Japanese.

Hoboken, June 1.—Yane Kaw, 35 years old, a Japanese cook for a family at 1034 Bloomfield street, cut his throat with a razor. He had been expecting to receive money from Japan and was despondent because it had not been sent. He died from the wound.

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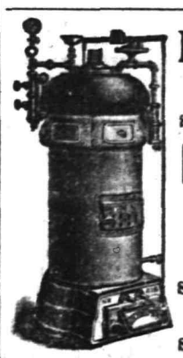

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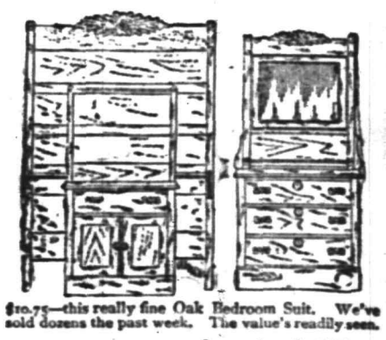

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 28, 7 30, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 32, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 43, 4 55, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28, p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 14, a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 9 22, 10 17, p m.

Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 20, 9 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8 00, 8 32, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 9 13, 10 22, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 15, 7 55, 8 25, 9 03, 10 05, 11 25, p. m; (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 3 32, 3 25, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30, 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 10. Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m, 12 46, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 23, 3 35, 4 36, 5 09, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 [illegible] 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 39, 5 09, 6 00, 10 15, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 [illegible], 7 46, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 2 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 [illegible]5, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 12 46, 2 11, 4 25, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 46, 8 28, 8 m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 08, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 32 a m; 6 30, 10 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 09, 8 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

8 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

9 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

3 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 56 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 36 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 11 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 55 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

5 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

5 36 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m; 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 8 53 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m; 12 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 05, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a.m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 and 6 32 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 37* 1 17 night. Sundays—5 17, 5 45, 9 55 10 44 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 09* 6 45 p. m. 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 3 20*, 5 34*, 6 20*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 10 44 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 09* 6 45 p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 46 a. m., 2 17, 5 34* 6 45 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 10 46 a.m., 5 09*, 6 45, p. m., 1 17 night.

For Buffalo, Chicago and all points West, week-days at 9 54 a m., 8 21 p. m. Sunday 6 35 p. m.

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12 33 p. m. daily except Sunday, "BLACK DIAMOND EXPRESS" for Rochester and Buffalo.

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For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 6 48, 7 50, 10 05 a. m. 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. m. Sunday 8 00, 9 10 a. m. 2 20 and 6 25 p. m.

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REDSKINS RAMPANT.

Cheyennes on a Raid Against the Whites.

WHITE SETTLERS ARE ALARMED.

Reports of the Killing of Soldiers and Settlers Received—Some Bloody Work May Soon Be Expected.

Denver, May 31.—A special dispatch from Helena, Mon., says that the Cheyenne Indians have gone on the warpath and are said to have killed about a dozen men, including five United States soldiers.

The Indians have no reservation of their own, but roam over the southern part of the state near the Crow Indian reservation.

The white settlers are up in arms and the women and children are being sent into the northern towns for safety.

The Cheyennes make the Lame Deer agency their headquarters. Hoover, a sheep herder, was recently shot while herding sheep, and it was proved that Indians did it.

He was killed because he caught several Indians killing sheep. This so incensed the stockmen that they armed themselves and will fight to protect their homes, help and stock.

Two companies of colored cavalry from Custer were ordered to the agency Wednesday, and on Saturday a courier arrived from the agency with information that George Walter, the postmaster, and Lou Alderson, a stockman, had been shot and killed; also that the Indians had shot into the cavalry and killed 5 soldiers and had 60 cowboys surrounded.

The cavalry from Fort Keogh and Company E of the infantry left Saturday for the scene.

Outbreak May Spread.

There are great grounds for fear of the outbreak spreading. The Cheyennes are determined, and they are being reenforced by renegade Crows.

Rosebud ranchers received a consignment of rifles and ammunition at this point today. Settlers have moved all their families from near the reservation.

Ranchmen and stockmen have organized at Cheyenne agency and demanded the Indians who killed Hoover. The names of the Indians are known, and they are protected by 50 bucks.

Sheriff Gibbs and Coroner Bateman have returned from Barranger's ranch, in the neighborhood of which the inquest was held on the body of Hoover. The verdict charged the Cheyenne Indians with his murder.

While the inquest was proceeding 60 men under Legislator James Brown arrived on their way to the agency.

The sheriff pleaded with them to return and told them that 60 of them against 400 or 500 Indians, armed and such fighters as the Cheyennes are, would be helpless.

The sheriff learned that the crime was committed by three of the band, led by White Bull, who said a day or two previous that his heart was bad—that "he wanted to eat white man's heart."

The agent said he knew one of the murderers and thought, with a little time, he could arrest all of them.

He said he had a sufficient number of soldiers to surround the Indians and would cut off their rations till the murderers are turned over.

Ranchers Will Wait.

Though there was much dissatisfaction at the turn affairs had taken, the ranchers agreed to disperse for two weeks to allow the agent time to make the arrests. If not then done, the original plan of attacking the Indians is to be carried out.

On the way down on Friday a courier overtook the sheriff and his deputies, saying that White Bull's band had during the night escaped from the agency, that the force of settlers was being reassembled, that two troops of cavalry from Custer had been sent over and the Indians had killed some of them, and that this band of Indians was liable to do much damage to ranchers, white men and cattle.

Deputy Sheriffs Smith and Winters have arrived at Miles City after having been ordered off the Cheyenne reservation by the military agent, Stouch. They report that when the negro troopers from Fort Custer arrived at the agency the Indian who admitted doing the killing could easily have been arrested, as he was pointed out to the troops, who were prepared for action if necessary to make the arrest, but the agent did not desire the arrest made at that time and prevented the officer in command of the troops from exercising authority then.

Indians In War Paint.

The Indians were decked out in war paint and riding the ominous circle, waving their blankets, displaying their winchesters and challenging the citizens to come out and fight them. They claimed they did not want to fight the soldiers, but did want to fight the citizens. Captain Stouch asked the citizens to leave the agency. The deputy sheriffs refused to go unless upon a written order. This he gave them, stating their presence might excite the Indians to further deeds of violence. The deputies who came to Miles returned with Sheriff Gibbs, having a warrant for the arrest of Agent Stouch for interfering with officers in the discharge of their duty and warrants for the known Indian and two John Doe warrants.

Orders were given to the ordnance officer at Fort Keogh to have 10,000 rounds of ammunition ready for use.

It is supposed more troops are to go to the agency. There are now here six companies under command of Major Merell of Fort Custer. Settlers' wives and children from the Tongue river country are arriving from Miles City in all kinds of conveyances. All kinds of rumors are rife, but as news has to come most of the distance by courier, nothing definite is known as to those reported killed.

Secretary Alger Has Doubt.

West Point, N. Y., June 1.—Secretary of War Alger, when asked about the Indian outbreak in Montana, said that he had no information in regard to the matter. He has received no official news of the Indian outbreak. Adjutant General Ruggles also said that he had received no recent news, though about a week ago, he said, the bodies of two white men were found, and two troops of cavalry were sent out from Fort Keogh to investigate the matter.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 4:31 a. m.
Sun Sets: 7:24 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 8:24 p. m.

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TEMS INTERESTING TO DEVOTEES OF THE STEEL STEEDS.

The Popular Exercise Provides Incidents and Expressions That are of Especial Moment When Wheeling is the Rage

Yesterday was not as great a day for the cyclists as was expected, for the rain came at the most inopportune time. The Crescent Wheelmen declared their races off in the morning and decided to postpone them until some future date. The track dried off more rapidly than was expected and a number of wheelmen were there in the afternoon and speeded on the track. Despite the mud and water, the Irvington-Milburn road-race was held in the morning. The course was mostly in poor condition and spills were numerous. One hundred and seven riders started and fifty-four finished. George W. Soden, 6:30 handicap, of Newark, a member of the Hunter squad, won the race in 1 hour, 21 minutes, 4 2-5 seconds. R. M. Alexander, of Hartford, won the first time prize from a scratch in 1 hour, 17 minutes, 9 seconds.

The New York Evening Telegram is arranging a bicycle parade for June 5th, at 3 o'clock, on Riverside Drive and the Boulevard. Captain Charles P. Staubach is the Grand Marshal. The New Jersey Club Division will be under the charge of F. L. C. Martin. The Evening Telegram parade is one of the events of the wheeldom. This year participation in the parade is made particularly desirable to New Jersey clubs. If it happens that a New Jersey club has more men in line than any other club in the parade, a magnificent trophy will come to this State. The smaller clubs will also have a chance for the trophy to be awarded to the club having a membership of from twenty to forty, and turning out the best percentage. Two prizes are sure to come to New Jersey. One will be for the best New Jersey club parading over sixty members, and the other to the best New Jersey club parading between thirty and sixty members. The winners will be decided by taking into consideration three things—members, appearance and riding. The prizes are magnificent. Entries should be forwarded to the Grand Marshal, care of the Evening Telegram, New York city. All other information may be obtained of Frank L. C Martin, of this city.

GOLF.

A great deal of interest centred in the opening of the golf season last Saturday afternoon on the grounds of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club when the preliminary play in the contest for the Chapman Cup was held. Those who qualified were: Williard Wadsworth, H. W. Beebe, F. W. Walz, Carl Wadsworth, Lester Glenny, Evarts Tracy, Dr. Ard and Harry West. Yesterday morning the above players met and continued the match and they were only three who survived so that they can play the semi-finals and finals. They were Dr. Ard, Harry West and H. W. Beebe. Beebe beat Fred Walz 1 up; Dr. Ard beat C. Walz 5 up and West beat Glenny 4 up. The finals will be played this week, probably.

TENNIS.

An interesting tennis match was played yesterday afternoon on the grounds of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club, when two Campbell racquets were offered as prizes to the winners. In the first round Fisk and Mason beat Messrs. Fish by default; Hunter and Richardson beat Rowland and Baker 6 0, 6-1; Finch and Simmonds beat Rider and Myers 6-2 9-7. The second round resulted in Walz and Wadsworth scoring a victory over Finch and Simmonds, 6-2 6 4; Hunter and Richardson beat Fisk and Mason 6 3, 6-1 In the finals Walz and Wadsworth beat Hunter and Richardson 6 2, 6-4.

AROUND THE BASES.

The P. A. C's were defeated at Flemington yesterday by a score of 12 to 5.

The crack team from the Bound Brook Athletic Club won two victories Saturday and Monday from rival teams. The Plainfield Athletic Club fell victim to the crack players from Bound Brook on Saturday afternoon and were defeated by a score of 12 to 9. Yesterday, the Bound Brooks administered a defeat to their old rivals, the Somerset base ball club of Somerville. The game was played in Somerville before a thousand people. Bound Brook won by a score of 21 to 12.

DECORATION DAY DRUNKS.

City Judge DeMeza Called to Pass Sentence on a Batch of Them.

Decoration Day left a crowded station house, this morning, filled with offenders waiting for their share of justice at the hand of City Judge DeMeza.

Ed Hoover, alias "Smokestack Jack," was found dead drunk by Patrolman McCue on East Front street, yesterday afternoon. He took twenty days as an atonement.

Patrick Hayes went to Elizabeth and sentence was suspended on Joseph Traynor for fighting on West Third street, last evening. Patrolmen Myers arrested them.

William Drake, Philip Sheridan, Peter Reuter and Fred Randolph, colored, appeared before City Judge DeMeza, charged by Patrolman Totten with disturbing the peace of Paradise Alley. They were charged with trying to embrace and assault Bertha Monroe, a colored maid, from the alley. They were fined $15.

Bicycle a Finger Gasher.

Louis Drake, aged seventeen years, living at the corner of West Third street and Grant avenue, was cleaning his wheel yesterday morning preparatory to taking a ride, when his hand caught in one of the wheels with the result of crushing two fingers. The young man went to the hospital and Dr. Long found it necessary to amputate one of the fingers.

—A handsome monument has been placed in St. Mary's cemetery, erected to the memory of Rev. Father P. E Smyth's sister.

—Archie Laramour, who pleaded guilty to the charge of removing lead pipe from a West Seventh street residence, was brought before Judge McCormick at Elizabeth, Saturday. S.S. Swackhamer, of the firm of Swackhamer & Williams, made an eloquent plea for the lad. The Judge suspended sentence.

Dr. T. S. Davis and daughters returned home Saturday night from Old Point Comfort, where they have been stopping for ten days.

Editor Frank W. Runyon and wife, of this city, have returned from Old Point Comfort. Mr. Runyon's health was not much improved by the trip, but Mrs. Runyon came back much benefitted.

NURSERIES ON RAILROAD TRAINS

A Convenience for the Benefit of small Travelers.

Now comes the travelling nursery to take its place alongside the barber shop, bath room, etc., on our fast trains. The travelling nursery is to take up about the same amount of space as the private stateroom of the ordinary sleeping car. There will be a saving of space of several feet, however, as the wide seats on the sides of the state room below the berths are not needed in the nursery, being replaced by ottomans and tiny easy chairs scattered over the floor. In this way any danger from sudden starts or sharp curves is obviated. As a further protection against injury to the little ones, the walls of the nursery are heavily padded and the floor thickly carpeted, so that bumps and bruises will be altogether avoided. At each end of the compartment and firmly secured are two cosy cots in which the smaller children lie and watch the games of the older ones. Each car containing the nursery attachment will carry a matron or nurse, who will be selected with a special reference to her ability to amuse and care for her little charges, and she will have at hand supplies of milk, cookies and other edibles and drinkables dear to the infantile heart. She will also have charge of a medicine chest containing a full assortment of the simpler remedies for childish ailments. A miniature toy-shop is another adjunct of the travelling nursery, and it will contain everything from baby rattles to picture books and fairy tales. Nothing, in short, will be missing that would add to the comfort or amusement of the young travellers.—Railway Review.

WHY SHE BECAME AN ACTRESS.

Mrs. Siddons' Mother a Widow, forced to Keep Lodgers as a Means of Support.

Here is an anecdote said to have been related by Mrs. Scott-Siddons herself many years ago, when a friend asked what had impelled her to go upon the stage. In the early sixties she was living with her mother, the widow of an Indian officer, in a seaside village. They were very poor, their lodgings were more than humble, and the girl was anxiously wondering how she could contribute to the support of the little family. The problem was a hard one, for in those days the "sphere" of women was smaller than now, and their opportunities to make money were not numerous. Meanwhile her immediate duty was to try to make the shabby rooms pleasant and homelike. While engaged in this task she discovered that an old chiffonier which stood in one corner of the sitting room had only three legs. The missing fourth member had been replaced by a crumpled-up newspaper, which, judging from its dusty condition, had not been disturbed for many years. Mary Siddons removed the paper, found that it was a very old copy of the Annual Register, and on glancing over it found a long article detailing the triumph of her greatgrandmother in some long-forgotten play. The girl decided that this was a "leading," and at once resolved to seek fame and fortune as an actress. Being beautiful and intelligent, she soon obtained a chance to test her histrionic abilities, and won enough of success to raise her mother and herself to what, compared with her previous state, seemed almost like wealth.—New York Times.

A BEAUTY'S FACE ON A BANKNOTE.

Mme. Blaha, a Handsome Actress, Given this Distinction.

The proverbial repute for gallantry which the Hungarians have enjoyed through the centuries is being demonstrated with a vengeance these days by the Austro-Hungarian States Bank of Budapest. Its ultra-gallant director has induced the Government to permit the engraving of vignettes of the leading soubrettes and chanteuses of the country on its thousand gulden notes.

Director Gustav Kautz is an ardent votary of the histrionic art, and adores the celebrated Hungarian prima donna, Mme. Luise Blaha. Her radiant countenance, which, despite her advancing years, is still ravishingly beautiful, has been selected as the first to be engraved on the thousand gulden notes of 1897, which have already been issued. There is no doubt that the scheme will increase the circulation of the bank notes, as all the scions of nobility and all the dudes and dandies of the Slavic metropolis will be anxious to be able to boast of the possession of one or more of these notes, for Mme. Blaha, who has personified nearly all the great dramatic conceptions of Hungarian playwrights, is perhaps the most popular woman of the thrifty kingdom. She is accustomed to homage in the superlative, but this excels any eulogies ever bestowed upon her. In fact, the incident stands alone in history.—New York Journal.

Victoria's Rewards to Musical Artists.

When a singer has been commanded to Windsor her Majesty does not, as a rule, send a check as a return for the pleasure she has enjoyed. Instead, she forwards some useful or pretty gift. Mme. Albani is frequently the recipient of books, jewels, framed photographs, Scotch plaids, shawls, &c., and M. Jean de Reszke, [illegible] Wolff and Signor Toste are all possessors of costly pins, bestowed on them by the sovereign. When Mme Patti last appeared at Windsor she received a very beautiful diamond and sapphire brooch, and when Mme. Antoinette Sterling sang before the Queen she was presented with an exquisite silver tea service, upon which this amiable lady of quaint remarks is said to have exclaimed: "I have provided for her Majesty's aesthetic, and she provides for my temporal enjoyments."—London Figaro.

Heartlessly Deceived.

Ethel—You say Algy has been heartlessly deceived by a young woman. Did she lead him on to think that she loved him?

May—Oh, no; she led him on to believe that she didn't care a rap for him, and then when he carelessly proposed, accepted him on the spot.—Truth.

"I told her I would lay the world at her feet." "What did she say?" "She said that if I was that athletic I ought to be travelling with a show."—Roxbury Gazette.

He (who has just proposed)—"Don't give me your answer now. Think it over." She (calmly)—"I did think it over. I thought it all over when I saw you flirting so outrageously with the Barstow girl."

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ON MOUNT MINSI'S TOP.

THE DELIGHTFULLY RUSTIC SUMMER PLACE OF A PLAINFIELDER.

A Spot Designed by Nature to Make a Stay Romantic and Pleasureable—Party of Plainfielders Who Were There.

Nestled among the mountains of Pennsylvania is located the Delaware Water Gap, noted the world over for its natural beauty. Not far distant, about three miles, through a most romatic portion of the country, is located that particularly favored spot, Mount Minsi, towering far above its sister mountains. The natural beauty prominent in every nook and corner attracts the eye and one is almost bewildered as he finds himself surrounded with so much that is rustic and charming. Separating the Keystone State from that of New Jersey is the broad and rapidly flowing Delaware River, winding its way onward to a larger body of water. On the Pennsylvania side of the river traverses the Delaware and Lackawanna Railroad, while on the other side is the New York, Susquehanna and Western Railroad.

This is the spot where a party of Plainfielders had the delightful pleasure of spending Saturday, Sunday and Monday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Nightingale, who have a residence in this city. Charming, indeed, was the host and hostess, and that they know full well how to entertain was clearly evidenced by the way they provided every comfort for those who were favored with an invitation to the above place.

The guests, which included a number of New York people as well as the Plainfielders, arrived at the Mount Minsi House early Saturday afternoon, and every one felt perfectly at home from the start. The reception was in true Pennsylvania style and this feature pervaded the atmosphere throughout the stay in the mountains. Of course, every one was seized with a large appetite upon their arrival and when supper time was reached a tempting repast was soon disposed of. Manager Warner had anticipated such a state of affairs and had prepared for it, and although this was the opening of the house everything worked with clock-like regularity. After supper the guests enjoyed a short stroll or a seat on the broad veranda where the cool breeze made one feel as though they were ten years younger.

When the time came to retire the guests were all provided with comfortable quarters. Surrounding the house in romantic places were five cozy cottages, each one made in a truly rustic manner and amply large to accomodate a number of people. Some of the cottages were located on the mountain-side while others were nearer the house. In the cottages every convenience is provided and living there is like being at home. The very excellent drinking water is obtained from a spring at the top of Mount Minsi and to drink this water is, indeed, invigorating.

After a comfortable night's rest the guests awoke rather early Sunday morning to enjoy all that was possible during their short stay, and after a good substantial breakfast small parties were formed and short trips were taken through the country, and the bracing atmosphere brought everyone home with a sharp appetite for dinner, which was a most delightful one.

In the afternoon the guests separated again and some enjoyed a drive to near by places, while others preferred to walk among the mountains. In the evening there was a social gathering of the happy party in one of the cottages and the evening was passed in singing to the accompaniment of a banjo.

Monday was one of the best enjoyed in the mountains. The weather was perfect and the many forms of amusement were all sought by the guests and tney never seemed to tire of any. Monday morning all were indeed sorry that the time for departure had arrived and it was with regret that the genial company separated. In a few hours each one had reached home and the trip to the mountains will be a life-long reminder of all that is pleasant and enjoyable. Anyone desiring to spend a summer or even a few weeks could find no better place than Mount Minsi, for everything that is healthful and enjoyable is there. An additional feature of the trip was the presence of G. Thorn and Bert Wyckoff, of this city, who made a number of very excellent views, both of the party and the surrounding country. The guests were all loud in their praise of the host and hostess and the best wishes of everyone was extended.

Those who formed the party included "Uncle" Dan and Mrs. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Arnold, Assemblyman and Mrs. W. R. Coding-

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HIGH SCHOOL STUDIES.

CHANGES THAT ARE PROPOSED FOR THE NEXT YEAR.

A Business Education to be Given by a Capable Instructor—More Room to be Given to the Scientific Department.

While all immediate action regarding a new High School by the Board of Education of Plainfield has been dropped, the members of the Board still speak of it and it is only a question of a few years when ground will be broken for a new edifice to take the place of the present building which has been outgrown by the school. Meanwhile it is necessary for the Board to do something to supply the growing needs of the students in the High School.

There will be several important changes in the courses in the High School in the next school year. For the benefit of the young men and young women who are now compelled to go to a business college to take a course in stenography and typewriting, a practical business course will be started in the High School. It will include stenography, typewriting, bookkeeping, commercial arithmetic and other needful studies of the same character. A professor, well up in those branches, will take charge of them.

The scientific department of a school grows more and more important in these days of scientific research when everybody finds a knowledge of the sciences of great value in almost any branch of work and so plans are being laid for a broadening of the scientific department of the High School, which has always been cramped in space and materials. There is at present but one science room in the High School for four classes. Another room, equipped with individual desks and tables for experimental work, so necessary in science, will be fitted up and ready for use in the fall. The room to be used is the one now occupied by Miss Day's class of the Grammar School, which will be transferred to the old Seventh-Day Baptist church structure in the fall. This room, in the days before the classes all sat in the assembly room, was known as the senior room. The old science room will be continued in its present use, but for classes where individual work is not so needful.

A BICYCLE SOCIABLE.

EPWORTH LEAGUE INAUGURATE ANOTHER WHEELING INNOVATION.

Chapter No. 1 to Have Their Summer Sociables Take the Form of a Bicycle Run on Country Roads Pleasant Evenings.

The Christian workers of Plainfield have taken the lead in the practical adoption of the bicycle among their methods of work. Plainfield was the first city in the country to have a church run. Last year, it will be remembered, Rev. C. L. Goodrich gathered the cycling members of his congregation and enjoyed a spin out on the country road together. Then Plainfield was the first to have a Christian Endeavor cycling squad, as has been organized this spring. Now the members of the Epworth League of the First M. E. church, Chapter No. 1, have planned a novel sociable in which the wheel is to play the all prominent part. The members are to assemble in wheeling dress and spend an evening on their wheels, enjoying a ride on Union county's famous roads.

The plan of a sociable on wheels has been spoken of by the officers of the League for some time but now the plan has taken practical shape and the run is set for Tuesday evening next. It will be for the members and such of their friends as they care to invite. The destination has not yet been decided upon, neither have the officers been chosen, but all that will be accomplished at the business meeting of the League on Friday evening.

There are an even hundred members of the League and it is estimated that nearly fifty per cent of them are riders of the wheel and will be able to go on the run.

Bound Brook Council Adjourns.

The Bound Brook Council was to meet last evening to take up the trolley ordinance. A large crowd was present, but to the surprise of all, when the time came for the question to be considered Councilman McNabb made a motion to adjourn, and being seconded by Councilman Ramsay, the body adjourned for one week. The time for the writ of certiarori served on the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company will expire on June 7, and as the Council adjourned for one week, the company proposes to call for immediate action.

Look Out for John.

John Miles entered upon his duties as dog catcher of the borough today.

HO! FOR VACATION DAYS.

A DESCRIPTION OF THE CAMP FOR Y. M. C. A. MEMBERS.

A Beautiful Place That is Endowed With All the Things That Make Camp Life One Round of Pleasure and Profit.

Ho! Ho! Vacation days are near! Tra la, Tra la, Tra la. Yes, the vacation days will soon be here, and the question comes to you and others, "Where are you going to spend your vacation?" Not an easy question to answer perhaps, but let me call your attention to the fact that up in the grand old "Bay State" (Massachusetts,) on the Connecticut river, is a little village by the name of Northfield, the birth place of the famous evangelist, D. L. Moody, and in this village, about one half of a mile from its centre, on an elevated piece of land, from which a beautiful view of the Connecticut river as it winds its way in and out can be had, and in the summer of '95, was organized the camp now known as "Camp Northfield," where young men from the heated and crowded cities have gone for the past two summers to get rest and pleasure and it is needless to say that they have found both in abundance. The "Old Camp Grounds" situated as they are, in a grove of stately pines, near the village and yet secluded, have grown dear to the camper who has spent many a happy day there. Four young men are assigned to a tent. No boughs for a bottom, thank you, but a good, solid floor of wood. A good cot, good mattress, warm blankets. Oh, how refreshing a sleep in the open air, with no New Jersey mosquitoes to bother the life out of you, and to entertain you with their charming (?) tune! Around the old camp fire, which is in the centre of the camping grounds, and around which the tents are formed in a circle, many a happy evening has been spent in singing songs, telling stories, cracking jokes, etc., etc. But what other pleasures are there for the campers? About a mile from camp is the Seminary ground where there are tennis courts, athletic field, etc. Baseball games are arranged throughout the season between camp teams and others Then there is the "Old Swimming Hole," where the campers have loads of sport. Three boats are at this point for the use of the campers and a swimming float adds to the pleasure of the swim. Many are the pleasures to be enjoyed at "Camp Northfield," too many in fact to mention, but if you will call at the Young Men's Christian Association rooms you can receive as much information as you may desire in regards to the camp and the cost of camping, which is moderate. This camp is open to all young men, whether members of the Y. M. C. A. or not.

WILL FIGHT MARTIN ACT.

PROPERTY OWNERS AGAINST PAYING TAXES PRIOR TO 1880.

Those Interested to Hold a Public Meeting and Formulate Plans and Employ Counsel and Fight the City to the End.

The recent action of the City Council in securing the enforcement of the Martin Act for those who, it is claimed, owe the city taxes previous to 1880, has not been received with any degree of satisfaction by a large number of those who are affected by the Act, and in consequence an opposition to the above action has been started by School Commissioner Lounsbury.

At an early date a meeting will be held in the Board of Trade rooms a large number of citizens will meet and organize for the purpose of fighting the Martin Act to a finish. At the same time counsel will be engaged and everything will be done in a strictly legal manner.

A representative of The Daily Press met Mr. Lounsbury today and confirmed the report of the proposed action on the part of the citizens. Mr. Lounsbury says that he does not propose to pay any amount of money for the mistakes of someone else, neither does he propose to pay the taxes owing the city from someone else. He received a bill of $300 for taxes supposed to be due the city on his property prior to 1880. He claims that he does not owe the money, but is willing to pay the city $1 in settlement. This the city has refused to accept.

Among those who are interested with Mr. Lounsbury as leaders in this movement are Joseph Sadford, J. T. Vail and Charles Hand. There are a host of others who have signified their intention to join the movement and have so stated their intention.

David Ryno, of East Second street, is among the latest to ride a wheel.

Mrs. G. T. Rhodes, of Grove street, has joined the great army of cyclists and enjoys many delightful spins on her silent steed.

FOUGHT AGAINST LIFE.

MRS. JOHN C. SMALLEY DIES BY THE ACT OF HER OWN HAND.

Drank a Cup of Poison Yesterday Afternoon and Died This Morning in Great Agony—The Third Attempt at Suicide.

After two unsuccessful attempts, Mrs. John C. Smalley, of 203 Manson place, succeeded in making away with her own life by swallowing several arsenical compounds. She made her attempt to commit suicide, yesterday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, and at 7 o'clock this morning she passed away in great agony, the victim of her own hand.

John C. Smalley is the proprietor of the Bijou Market, on South Second street, near Manson place. He lives in the corner house, which backs up to the store. There has been some trouble in the Smalley family for some time and about two years ago, Mrs. Smalley, in a fit of despondency, tried to end her life. She was successful. A year ago she took a large dose of laudanum but the treatment of Dr. Simpson saved her and she recovered from the effects of the poison.

For several weeks Mrs. Smalley has been feeling very despondent, so her husband says. Yesterday she was worse than before. Mrs. Smalley assisted her husband in the care of his market and tended to the customers in his absence.

He had been to the storehouse of the meat company after a supply of meat and had just returned. He entered the store in time to see Mrs. Smalley raise a cup to her lips. From its appearance and her recent despondency, he suspected that it was poison and dashed the cup to one side. It contained Rough on Rats and water. It appears that she had already partaken of the poisonous draught before the appearance of her husband and had also taken the liquid for arsenical flypaper, which was kept for use in the market.

She hurried to the house where she drank more of the fatal solution of Rough on Rats before her husband realized what she had done.

Dr. M. S. Simpson was sent for but was not at home. The messenger met him on the street and the doctor hurried to Smalley's home, stopping to pick up Dr. Manning on the way.

They found that the would-be suicide had planned her work carefully and that the poison was beginning to act. She fought their every effort to relieve her and told them that though they had balked her before, she would now accomplish her object. It was, at last, found necessary to hold the woman while the stomach pump was used.

Dr. Simpson worked over the poisoned woman most of the night. She was conscious all the time and in great agony. She expressed no repentence for her act to the very last. At 7 o'clock, this morning, she died.

STYLE OF NEW BRIDGES.

FREEHOLDERS CONSIDER IMPORTANT JOINT COUNTY IMPROVEMENTS.

The Sycamore Avenue Span to be a Low Truss Plank One—Watchung Avenue to be Connected by a Concrete Structure.

The Bridge Committee of the Union County Board of Freeholders met with the Somerset County Board of Freeholders at Tier's lake house, yesterday afternoon, for the purpose of determining on the style of bridges to be erected on Watchung avenue and Sycamere avenue. Plans were submitted for both bridges. The members decided to build a concrete bridge on Watchung avenue with a centre pier. The span will be seventy-five feet. It will cost between $8,000 and $10,000, and it will be erected in such a manner as to provide for any heavy rise in the stream over which it will be placed.

Regarding the Sycamore avenue bridge, it was decided to erect a low truss plank bridge and will be full width. This bridge will cost about $8,000. There are several matters to be considered about the latter bridge and that will be done at the next meeting of the two Boards one week from next Friday.

Next Saturday the plans and specifications for the two bridges will be on exhibition at Mr. Tier's lake house, when all who desire can see the same and prepare to submit bids for the construction of the bridges. It is customary to allow about twelve days for the reception of bids and this rule will hold good in this case. It is confidently believed that the work of building the bridges will be started this month, and it is expected that it will require from two to three months to complete the Watchung avenue bridge.

—Additional local news on the third page.

—The Daughters of Rebekah will hold an entertainment June 8th, in their rooms on West Front street.

WORK OF THE HOSPITAL.

REPORTS MADE AT THE GOVERNORS' ANNUAL MEETING.

A Slight Increase in the Number of Patients Treated During the Year—The Finances of the Institution.

At the annual meeting of Muhlenberg Hospital on Monday evening, the reports presented showed that the past year had been the most active in work and in improvements in its history.

The number of patients in the Hospital this year has been 238, as compared with 222 in the previous year, and the number of visits of patients to the dispensary 912, compared with 478 in the previous year. The ambulance has been called into service fifty-one times during the year, demonstrating again its great usefulness.

A great many improvements have been made, the more noticeable being the new laundry and the Nurses' Home, each complete in its way, thoroughly equipped and entirely paid for, and the X-ray apparatus.

But the demands on the Hospital call for still greater improvements, and the Board of Governors are aware that they must soon begin alterations and additions required for enlarging both wards and providing for the dispensary, for private patients and isolation wards, for erecting contagious disease buildings and for several other urgent needs.

The treasurer's report contains the kernel of the whole matter. From that it appears that while the contributors have been more numerous and the contributions larger than ever before, the expenses have overrun the current receipts so that the floating debt exceeds $1,000, the largest ever reported.

The figures in round numbers are as follows:

RECEIPTS.

Donations	$4,258
Hospital Sunday	358
Woman's Auxiliary Board	350
Patients	2,255
Training School	235
Other income	121

EXPENSES.

Fuel, light and water	$ 855
Provisions	2,253
Medicine, etc	1,079
Salaries and wages	2,707
Miscellaneous expenses	1,654

A part of the indebtedness comes from bills of the previous year, unpaid at the beginning of the present year, but the real deficit of this year amounts to $600 or $700, and it was stated that the hope of overcoming this growing deficiency depended mainly in increasing the list of regular annual subscribers, to accomplish which a special effort will be made.

HAS TWO BICYCLES NOW.

EDWARD WHITE RECOVERS IN JUNE A WHEEL STOLE IN SEPTEMBER.

The Bicycle Disappeared From Scotch Plains and Was Recognized the Other Day by Manager Price at Eldridge Store.

Edward White, the well-known merchant, has two bicycles now. It will be remembered that several months ago, he left his wheel standing in front of one of the hotels in Scotch Plains. When he came for it, the wheel was gone and he did not see it again until yesterday.

Several days ago, a young man came into the repair shop of the Eldridge Bicycle Company, on Park avenue, with a '96 Columbia wheel to have some trifling repair made. The young man said that his name was John Coles and that he lived in Scotch Plains. Mr. Price, manager for the Eldridge Company in Plainfield, noticed the wheel and recognized it as the one which Edward White had formerly owned but which had been stolen from him. Nothing was said to Coles in regard to the matter and he was allowed to depart.

Yesterday, Mr. White, who had been informed of the location of his missing wheel, went to Scotch Plains and appeared before a justice of the peace there. A search warrant was sworn out and placed in the hands of a constable who served it. The wheel was found in Mr. Coles' barn.

Mr. Coles, on learning that the wheel he had been riding was the property of another man, explained how he got it. An Italian came to him about a month ago and offered him the wheel for $5. The bargain was a good one and Coles bought the wheel. Then Mr. White and the constable went after the Italian.

A warrant was issued for the arrest of the Italian and he was found and placed in custody. When arraigned before the justice, he admitted selling the wheel to Coles, but said that he had found it on the mountain He told a straight forward story, and as there was no evidence to hold him, he was discharged.

—Former Assistant Secretary of State Joseph D. Hall, who fell from a second story window at his home in Trenton on Sunday night, died yesterday from his injuries.

DEMOCRATIC HARMONY.

A CONFERENCE OF UNION COUNTY LEADERS HELD YESTERDAY.

A Dinner to Be Given in a Few Weeks When it is Expected All Divergent Elements Will Meet and Thus Harmonize.

At the Winsor Hotel, in Orange, yesterday afternoon, there gathered by prearrangement fifteen prominent Democrats of Union county, who set down to a big dinner and then talked crops, weather and politics—mostly the latter subject, however, for the assemblage was called for the purpose of devising some way in which the divergent elements of the Democrtic party in the last campaign could be brought together to act in unity in the campaign next fall. Representatives were present from nearly every section of the county. The conference was understood to be a very quiet one, and for that reason it was held in Orange, but the fact of it leaked out here this morning.

While most of the conferees reported that things looked lovely in their particular bailiwicks, there were others who said that the gold Democrats in their section were still inclined to be backward in patching up the differences that set the party in twain last fall. Advocates of both currency platforms were present at the meeting. It was finally decided that some time in July the Jefferson Democratic Club, of Union county, should give a banquet that should be a veritable lovefeast for the members of the party—an affair modeled after the Jefferson Club dinner of a few weeks ago in Newark, only that all the toasts should be more conducive to harmony than was Allan McDermott's speech. The dinner will probably be given in Elizabeth, and distinguished Democrats from other States will be invited. Besides the harmony dinner, the prospects of candidates for county offices next fall were discussed. Special stress was laid on the importance of electing the Union county Surrogate, the only officer, besides the Assemblymen, to be chosen in November.

MONEY MAKERS IN A GOOD CAUSE.

King's Daughters Receive the Profits of Children's Lawn Fete.

The following letter has been received by the treasurer of the King's Daughters from Percy F. Philips, who had charge of the money made at the lawn fete conducted by the children at 921 Madison avenue:

It gives me much pleasure to hand you herewith check for $74 for the benefit of the Children's Camp. This amount was raised by thirteen little girls, whose names appear below, who held a candy and cake fair at 921 Madison avenue, last Saturday afternoon. Neumann Brothers, Tier & Son, Consolidated Ice Company, Rockfellow, Randolph's pharmacy, Drs. Shaw, Moy, Armstrong and others made liberal contributions, and also sold to the little girls various articles at wholesale prices, thus enabling them to make a profit.

The names of the girls in charge are as follows: Misses May Day, Anna Cahoone, Fannie Cahoone, Jean Dunham, Mamie Dunham, Edna Smith, Wilhelmina Patten, Ethel VanZandt, Ethel Murray, May Murray, Bessie Phillips, Virginia LeCand, Margie Phillips.

"PIC-NIC!"

A Study For Plainfield and Other People to Make.

The derivation of the phrase, "Pic-Nic." What is it? For a satitfactory explanation of this problem a handsome prize will be given at the tent of the press-committee—if you can find it. At the same time you will have a lesson in the theory of evolution: You will see that the change from Pic-Nic to Fete has been a change in fact as well as in name, a growth from the simple to the complex. The former was an informal, jolly frolic among friends and kindred; the latter is a world of amusement in miniature.

Do not, however, take our word for it, but go to Johnston Park and see it demonstrated.

Pleasantly Surprised.

Miss Lizzie Dunlap, of East Fifth street, was pleasantly surprised last evening by the members of Rebekah Degree Lodge, of which she is a member. Miss Dunlap was wholly unaware of the visitation of her sister members and she was completely surprised. A few games helped to pass a portion of the time and at a late hour supper was served. Miss Dunlap is one of the officers of the above lodge and is very popular among the members.

Conferred Masonic Degrees.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M., held a communication last evening and conferred the degrees on two candidates. There was a large number of visitors present from nearby lodges, and after the business of the evening a fine banquet was served by the committee in charge. The work, as performed by the members of the home lodge, was very highly complimented by the visitors and they were delighted with their visit.

TO PLACE THE BLAME

A Thorough Investigation to Be Made of the Coaching Disaster.

TWO MORE DEATHS ARE PROBABLE.

The President of the Road Makes a Statement In Which He Tries to Defend His Corporation—Says the Signals Were In Order.

Brooklyn, June 2.—Coroner Coombs and District Attorney Young of Queens county state that a thorough and searching inquiry will be made into the cause of the Valley Stream disaster already reported in these dispatches and an effort made to fix the responsibility for the sad accident where it belongs.

There will probably be only one service for the funerals of the five victims. It will be held in the Greene Avenue Baptist church, Brooklyn, to which the deceased belonged.

Miss Clara Stewart, whose skull was so frightfully fractured, was operated upon and seemed to improve somewhat, although the doctors have little hope of saving her life.

Miss Emily Burtsch, who sustained a rupture of the liver and kidneys, is also in a very precarious condition.

None of the others injured is likely to die.

Story of a Survivor.

The most graphic and connected account of the disaster yet heard was told by Harry S. Lewis, who is only a young lad and who escaped injury. He said:

"I sat on the middle seat, and on one side of me sat Mrs. Andrus and on the other side Walter Welbrock and Cousin John. I was standing up when we neared the railroad, and as well as I can remember Walter was fooling with John, and both were laughing. I turned to look up the track and saw over the tops of the bushes the engine of the train. I just had strength enough to shout to the driver: 'The cars! Turn into the ditch! Never mind about upsetting!'

"But the driver did not hear me on account of the noise of the blowing horns and the laughter.

"He couldn't see the train, for no one could see it unless he stood up. I yelled again for the crowd to jump before it was too late. Then I grabbed Miss Stewart and made a jump.

"I could not take her with me. I was not strong enough. Her weight simply threw me on my side in the ditch. It was only a few seconds before I was up.

"Pieces of the coach and bodies were flying in every direction. I could hear a sickening, crushing sound. I saw the body of Walter Welbrock thrown into the air, turning and twisting. Then I found Thomas Wyatt, who wasn't much hurt. We got a drink of whisky from two wheelmen who were close by. Then we ran back on the tracks. Walter Welbrock was lying on his side. He asked us to see if his leg was broken. We started to lift him, but he yelled with pain. So we had to leave him where he was. Then we found Miss Stewart. Not a stitch of her clothing was left on her. She was screaming with pain. I covered her with something and hurried on.

"The next one we saw was Lawrence K. Barnes, Jr., whose fall was broken by the puddle he landed in. He was unconscious, and we lifted him from the pool to some sand. Another man helped us to carry him. Gilchrist was thrown about 50 feet upon a bank. He was dead when we found him. Others were hurled tremendous distances.

"No one waved to us or shouted a warning. The horses were all right. They hardly ran 50 feet after the collision and stood waiting for some one to get them."

The Driver's Story.

Henry McCormick, the driver of the tallyho coach, was seen in the hospital and said:

"I had six horses and sat on the right hand side of the box. We were just jogging along comfortably when the railroad track was reached. I am familiar with the road and familiar with the handling of six horses. I have driven such teams for many years. Four horses were across the track when I saw the train coming. The engine was about 200 feet away and at the time did not appear to be going very fast. I 'hollered' as loud as I could for the engineer to stop, but there was so much noise with the blowing of horns and the yelling and howling behind me that I am not sure whether I heard the whistle given or not, but I think I did. I believe the train had time to slow up and stop. At the moment I saw there was no stopping the train I tried to get across the track faster. The locomotive crashed into the coach about half way back, and I was thrown on my head and do not remember much else. My shoulder was injured, but I did not know how badly until later."

President Baldwin's Statement.

C. C. Baldwin, president of the Long Island Railroad company, said:

"When I heard of the accident, I was at Glen Cove, about 20 miles away. I took the first train and got a special and went to the scene of the disaster at once. I got there before the bodies had been removed and was in plenty of time to see everything that had happened.

"There are but three points to be brought out. The first is that the accident was one of those horrible affairs that seem to come like a thunderclap from a clear sky. It was a horrible thing, and we greatly deplore it.

"The second point to be made is that there were all the ordinary signs and signals given that any railroad has and that the railroad cannot in any way be blamed for the accident.

"The third point to be made is that as soon as the accident occurred the railroad did everything in its power for the victims that it was possible to do.

"The stories that the signal bells were out of order is not true. We have men whose duty it is to watch these signal bells constantly, and they attend to their duty. The bell rang for the train which was in the accident and for the train upon which I traveled."

Coal Miners' Strike.

Altoona, Pa., June 2.—Three hundred coal miners employed by the Mitchell Coal and Coke company at Gallitsin have struck because the company gave notice of a reduction of 5 cents a ton on coal used for coke. Since then the company has announced a general reduction of 10 cents a ton.

A SPANISH BRAGGART

Havana Commercial Sheet Makes Some Charges Against Us.

SAYS THAT WE INSPIRE REBELLION.

Threatens the United States With Dire Calamity In Case of War—Says That Spain Cares Nothing For Our Senate.

Havana, via Key West, June 2.—In its last issue El Comercio, the organ of the retail grocers, violently attacks the United States. It says in part:

"It has become necessary to prove to the United States that Spain needs neither their benevolence nor their commiseration. Those who ask for a policy of clemency and pardon for men who have desolated the country with torch and dynamite must be convinced that against such a policy all true Spaniards will become more and more resolute.

"These Yankees are never satisfied. They are far more guilty of hardness of heart (obduracion) than the Cubans themselves. After our denying atrocities invented by the American press; after our releasing various convicts charged with high treason to demonstrate to the American people the generosity which can look upon such people as amenable to the laws of civilized warfare; after all this, the Americans still believe these 'fakes' put up against us and believe that we fear them.

"It is necessary to prove to the Americans that we care nothing for the insulting and aggressive stand taken by the American senate. A country where the old have less judgment than the young is a degenerate country, a country of premature civilization, which will rot before it ripens. Let us tell them, or, better still, let us prove to them that we can laugh at their braggadocio.

"Foreigners cannot own property in the United States. Let us reciprocate. There pirates are overlooked. Let us do the same here. There are not wanting brave, audacious mariners, who would patrol America's seas and occasionally do what they pleased. The Americans would file their claims. Our courts would sentence the offenders to a 10 cent fine and a three hours' imprisonment or release them under a fictitious bond.

"Really the airs put on by these Americans require energetic action on the part of the Spanish people. At the very moment when the revolution is almost suppressed they appear again with their belligerency declaration. We care nothing for it. They can go ahead on this line if they please. It will only more clearly define the situation, and our heroic navy may yet prove what it can do with our enemies. Let it be demonstrated, aside from diplomatic methods, that the Spanish people depise the jingoes of the United States and know how to spit in their faces 100 times."

Weyler Issues Another Decree.

Havana, June 2.—A decree issued by Captain General Weyler, dated Sancti Spiritus, May 27, has just been published here. He announces the approaching commencement of military operations in the eastern part of the island of Cuba and orders the enforcement of the provisions of his decree of Jan. 30 in the provinces of Puerto Principe and Santiago de Cuba, the organization of cultivation zones, the closing of stores in unfortified towns, the concentration of the country people and the destruction of all resources which are undefended, as was done in the other provinces. The captain general gives the people of those two provinces one month in which to comply with the decree, the time to begin on the date of the publication of the decree in the various districts of those provinces.

Jumped Over the Falls.

Niagara Falls, June 2.—An unknown man jumped over the falls from Prospect point. The only witness of the suicide was Frank Bidwell. He says: "I was standing near the inclined railway house, when I noticed a man sitting on the railing about ten feet from Prospect point. He sat still a moment, then looked around and sprang straight into the river." Bidwell says that the man wore a brown overcoat and brown hat, and he thinks he was about 30 years of age, but was not close enough to tell definitely. Nothing further can be learned as to the man's identity.

Forest Preserve Board's Doings.

Albany, June 2.—The forest preserve board has decided to purchase all the land in the Adirondacks which has been offered for sale at $1.50 an acre. These offers were made to the fisheries, forest and game commission and were transferred to the forest board when it was created, and they comprise some 250,000 acres of land. Members of the board will make their second trip of inspection in the woods about June 20, and Governor Black will accompany them.

Gold and Silver Production.

Washington, June 2.—Mr. Preston, the director of the mint, has about completed his figures of the gold and silver production in the United States during the calendar year 1896. He finds the production of gold to have been about $53,000,000, an increase of over $6,250,000, as compared with 1895. The production of silver is given as 57,700,000 fine ounces, an increase of 1,900,000 ounces over 1895.

Railroad Allows Damages.

Ottawa, June 2.—A year ago Mr. John Charlton, member of the Dominion house of commons, met with an accident at Tonawanda, N. Y., on the New York Central railroad. The accident has seriously impaired Mr. Charlton's strength. He entered suit against the railroad company for $25,000 damages

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Mr. Harry Werner, who yesterday settled his loss with the insurance companies, has bought the best of the stock of the companies and sent them to New York to be thoroughly renovated. They will be returned to him in a few days and sold cheap.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—John Butscher, of West Fourth street, is confined to the house suffering from an accident in which his big toe was crushed. It happened Monday at the Boys' Club while young Butscher was moving a heavy apparatus.

"There's no use in talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, La Cygne, Kas., 'Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy does the work. After taking medicines of my own preparation and those of others, I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Anna Morgan, of New York, is spending a few days with Mrs. George Voehl, of West Front street.

Inflammatory Rheumatism Cured in 3 Days

Morton L. Hill, of Lebanon, Ind., says: "My wife had Inflammatory Rheumatism in every muscle and joint, her suffering was terrible and her body and face were swollen almost beyond recognition; had been in bed for six weeks and had eight physicians but received no benefit until she tried the Mystic Cure for Rheumatism. It gave immediate relief and she was able to walk about in three days. I am sure it saved her life." Sold by T. S. Armstrong, druggist, cor. Park and North avenue, Plainfield.

—A Plainfield man whose name is not known called at the hospital yesterday and had his hand dressed for injuries sustained with a barb wire fence. The man was working at Bound Brook and he did not leave his name at the hospital

Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption.

This is the best medicine in the world for all forms of Coughs and Colds and for Consumption. Every bottle is guaranteed. It will cure and not disappoint. It has no equal for Whooping Cough, Asthma, Hay Fever, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, La-Grippe, Cold in the Head and for Consumption. It is safe for all ages, pleasant to take, and, above all, a sure cure. It is always well to take Dr. King's New Life Pills in connection with Dr. King's New Discovery, as they regulate and tone the stomach and bowels. We guarantee perfect satisfaction or return money. Free trial bottles at L. W. Randolph's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00.

Arthur and Clinton Mosher, of Brooklyn, formerly of this city, have been spending a few days with their friend, Hervey K. Doane, of West Fifth street.

A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison, of Worthington, Ind., "Sun," writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for Constipation and Sick Headache and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2025 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a back ache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50c and $1. Get a bottle at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

Ray T. Snodgrass, of Central avenue, has returned after a short visit with friends in Newark.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman for the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—The Seaside Home, Cape May Point, has been put in order for the summer.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

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		12
Total given during 12 mos. 1897,		$40,800.00

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2. The Competitions will Close the Last Day of Each Month during 1897. Coupons received too late for one month's competition will be put into the next.

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SEIZURE OF A VESSEL.

The Crew Attack the Special Agent Who Made the Capture.

Miami, Fla., June 2.—The steamer Hayne's crew of six men are under arrest here charged with having transferred a cargo of arms, ammunition and men to the tug Dauntless. The men will be held until instructions are received from Jacksonville or Key West.

According to an eyewitness, the cargo was transferred successfully and consisted of several hundred thousand rounds of ammunition and 160 men.

The steamer was boarded by Special Agent Hambleton of the treasury department, who placed her under arrest. He was then seized by several Cubans, his revolver taken from him, and he was beaten about the face and body. He was held until the cargo was loaded, when he was put ashore. He telegraphed at once for assistance.

The cargo had not been entirely transferred when the cruiser Marblehead hove in sight, and the Dauntless proceeded south. The report of the capture of the Dauntless is not believed to be true.

A MYSTERIOUS CRIME.

A Farmer and His Wife Found Unconscious at Their Home.

Saratoga, June 2.—Ephriam Wilson, a farmer, 82 years of age, and his wife, 75 years of age, were brought to the Saratoga hospital in an unconscious condition. They lived alone in the town of Wilton, four miles north of this place, and were found in their home both unconscious.

Just how they received their injuries has not yet been learned. It is believed that the skulls of both man and woman are fractured and that both will die. They were otherwise terribly injured, and the theory is that they were set upon by some one whose intent was to commit robbery.

The police, however, have a theory that Mrs. Wilson attempted to murder her husband, who had been feeble for some time, and that she received the injuries from him in defense of his life. An investigation is being made, but from present appearances there is little to work on.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At New York—

New York	0	0	0	0	0	4	—	4		
Pittsburg	3	0	1	0	2	1	—	7		

Game forfeited to New York.

At Philadelphia—

Philadelphia	0	0	0	3	0	0	4	0	0	— 7
Louisville	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	— 2

Philadelphia—Hits, 10; errors, 1. Louisville—Hits, 7; errors, 1.

At Boston—

Boston	3	4	3	0	1	0	3	0	*	—14
St. Louis	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	— 6

Boston—Hits, 15; errors, 1. St. Louis—Hits, 8; errors, 3.

Second game—

Boston	2	1	1	0	0	0	2	6	*	—12
St. Louis	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	— 3

Boston—Hits, 13; errors, 1. St. Louis—Hits 7; errors, 6.

At Brooklyn—

Brooklyn	0	1	1	0	2	0	3	0	*	— 7
Cleveland	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	— 2

Brooklyn—Hits, 13; errors, 2. Cleveland—Hits, 6; errors, 2.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	23	8	.742
Cincinnati	23	11	.676
Boston	20	12	.625
Pittsburg	18	12	.600
Cleveland	17	14	.548
New York	15	13	.536
Philadelphia	17	17	.500
Brooklyn	16	16	.500
Louisville	15	16	.484
Chicago	11	22	.333
Washington	9	21	.300
St. Louis	6	28	.177

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Two thousand eight hundred policemen paraded up Broadway, New York, and were reviewed by the mayor.

A discharged papal employee shot and wounded Commander Martinucci in the Vatican at Rome and then tried suicide.

The Red "D" line steamer Valencia, which it was rumored had been lost off the south coast of Cuba, has arrived at Cienfuegos.

James Young and Dan Smith quarreled at Cedarville, O., and Young killed Smith by shooting him through the heart and made his escape on a bicycle.

The street car and stage drivers and stable hands of Havana have gone out on strike owing to the failure of the companies to comply with their promises to increase the wages of their employees.

The entire works of the Novelty Glass company at Washington, including two factory buildings, were burned, involving a loss of $70,000; partly covered by insurance. Seventy-five men are thrown out of employment.

Five children were burned to death in the residence of J. H. White, two miles from Keystone, W. Va. Enemies of the family are believed to have fired the house. Bloodhounds will be used to trace the murderers.

CORNELL'S NEW CREW

Courtney Selects Oarsmen For the Coming Varsity Race.

CAPTAIN SPILLMAN NOT RETAINED.

Professor Wheeler, Faculty Member of the Athletic Council, Is Pleased With the Men Who Will Struggle to Uphold Ithaca's Rowing Prestige.

Ithaca, N. Y., June 2.—Charles F. Courtney, coach of the Cornell navy, has picked the crew which is to row against Harvard and Yale and Columbia and Pennsylvania. It is practically the crew that rowed at Annapolis, all other varsity men, including Captain Spillman, being dropped. Only the 11 varsity men chosen will be kept at the training table. This weeding out was necessary in view of the fact that the navy could not afford to keep 30 varsity men at the training table any longer. The selected crew is the Annapolis crew, with these changes: Carter is put from stroke to No. 2 and Dalzell from No. 7 to bow. T. L. Bailey and Stamford, whom these men replace, are retained as substitutes, while W. Bentley, who went to Annapolis as substitute, is made stroke. Savage, who rowed No. 5 last year, is the only old Poughkeepsie man put in the boat. He is to row No. 7 this year.

Professor Wheeler, faculty member of the athletic council, in an interview said:

"That crew can win the race if any Cornell crew can. Mr. Courtney knows he has not been premature. This is the 1st of June, and it was considered time the final crew was selected."

Captain Spillman's Opinion.

Captain Spillman, who was unseated, said:

"I have no fears for the crew as selected. Although light men, three weeks will put them in condition to row in both regattas. I think they can stand two races."

Courtney has tried every combination possible and given last year's varsity men every chance to show their rowing powers. He said:

"I put the Annapolis varsity in the ice wagon (old '92 boat) but the first varsity could not beat them. Then I handicapped them with goose neck oars, and they kept winning. I can train young men to row, but I cannot build them over. The first varsity men are not in condition, so all I could do was to take this action and bank everything on the lighter lot."

The make up of the crew follows:
W. Bentley, stroke, Fluvanna, N. Y.
F. J. Savage, New Haven.
C. M. Oddie, East Orange, N. J.
M. M. Odell, Baldwinsville, N. Y.
A. C. King, Trumansburg, N. Y.
S. W. Wakeman, Bridgeport, Conn.
E. B. Carter, Owego, N. Y.
W. C. Dalzell, bow, Segremont, Mass.
T. D. Colson, coxswain, Buffalo.
T. L. Bailey, substitute, New York city.
W. B. Stamford, substitute, Grand View, N. Y.

The average height of the crew is 5 feet 11¼ inches, average weight 162 pounds and average age 21 years.

Odd Reason For a Strike.

Buffalo, June 2.—Twenty-two men employed in the Lake Shore railway shops have quit work. This is the result of an order issued a few days ago that all men employed in the shops must wash themselves before quitting work at noon. The company provided places for the men to cleanse themselves, but they did not like the idea of being compelled to wash. The men claim that too many men are forced to use the same water, and they feared contagious diseases. Master Mechanic Elden says that the notice to the men in regard to washing was not an order, but a request. He says that the men who went out refused to comply with the request and left of their own accord.

City of Chicago Held Responsible.

Chicago, June 2.—Judge Grosscup of the federal court has upheld the liability of the city of Chicago for damages to railroad property by reason of the strike of 1894. The question was before him on a demurrer of the city to the suit of the Pennsylvania company for $50,000 damages at the Brighton park yards fire on the night of July 6, 1894, and a suit of the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley company for the destruction of $20,000 worth of property at One Hundred and Third street on the same night. The demurrer was dismissed.

The Burglar Had the Combination.

Boston, June 2.—When the safe in the furniture store of C. H. Robinson & Co. was opened, it was found that the money drawer had been tampered with and over $1,000 taken. Nothing else in the store was disturbed. It is thought the safe was opened by some one who knew the combination. The police are making an investigation.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair, Followed by Increasing Cloudiness; Showers on Thursday Night; Warmer.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 62 Degrees.

RIGHTS OF VETERANS IN OFFICE.

The courts are likely to be called upon to place a construction upon a law passed by the present Legislature in the interest of veterans of the war. This law goes a great deal further than the act of 1899, which the Court of Errors a few days ago declared to be constitutional. The act of 1889 only prohibited the removal from county and municipal offices except for cause of veterans holding positions without fixed terms. The act of 1897 provides against the removal without cause from any public department or public works in the State or in any county, city, town or village of any veteran who is not a private secretary, a deputy to the head of a department, or who is not holding a position of confidential relations. It provides that veterans shall be given the preference for appointment or promotion to positions, if they possess the necessary qualifications. Age is not to serve as a barrier where the veteran has the capacity to fill the position to which he aspires. This latter provision may be held to set aside, so far as veterans are concerned, the rule now in vogue in the different fire and police departments that persons to be appointed must be under a certain age. Lawyers are not willing to give off hand opinions on the law, but they all agree that is very sweeping in its language.

PEACE MUST BE PRESERVED.

It is said that the taxpayers of Somerset county are objecting to the number of prisoners confined in the county jail. They say that many persons who are arrested and sent to the county seat should not be sent there, as the charges are insufficient to hold them.—Plainfield Press.

But The Press should remember that it is for the Grand Jury and not the Justices of the Peace to decide whether the charges against a prisoner are sufficient to warrant indictment and trial. The peace must be preserved and the safety of the community demands that all due precaution be taken. And at all events few law-abiding and peaceable citizens will object to paying their share toward keeping the other class in jail—manifestly the proper place for offenders against the peace—and it is certainly seldom that others than such are committed by any Justice.—Bound Brook Democrat.

DON'T PUSH.

The Common Council should be careful not to rush too fast the matter of flagging and curbing. They should remember that sewer assessments, sewer connections and water connections have already been a severe burden to property owners, and all revenues from investments have been curtailed. It should be the aim of a governing body to facilitate improvement through stages so easy as not to prove a burden.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—Andrew Marsh, of the borough, has secured a position as wheelwright with J. E. Flannery, of East Third street.

—The regular meeting of the Primary Teachers' Union was held yesterday afternoon. The devotional exercises were conducted by Miss Beeching, and the lesson was taught by Mrs. D. G. Darby. "Why am I a Primary Teacher?" was the special topic and the discussion was exceedingly interesting, as so many good reasons were offered.

—The June number of the American Queen is out and the Plainfield subscribers can secure their numbers at the drygoods store of Edward White. It is full of articles interesting to those seeking summer recreation, as well as prolific with advice and suggestions for the dressmaker, housewife and literary woman. The magazine is liberally illustrated with artistically executed pictures.

An Endeavor Lecture.

The second of the Christian Endeavor Missionary Extension Lectures will be given next Tuesday evening in the First Presbyterian church of Dunellen. Rev. John T. Kerr, of Elizabeth, will be the lecturer and will take for his subject, "Giving the Gospel to the World—God's Own Enterprise." Let Plainfield Endeavorers show their interest by attending in large numbers.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Rev. Father Miller, of the borough, is in Trenton today on business.

A. D. Mallinson, the North avenue druggist, spent Monday out of town.

C. I. Mann and family, of Prospect avenue, have removed to Watchung avenue.

Miss Ida Cottrell, of Freehold, is visiting Miss Emma Stram, of Wilson avenue.

Charles E. Buell, of Craig place, left this morning on a business trip to Washington.

Mrs. William C. Ayres, of West Second street, is confined to her home with illness.

J. B. Dumont, president of the City Council, has returned from a business trip to Buffalo.

Miss Kate Killfedder, of Boston, is the guest of Miss Dory Rhoder, of East Third street.

A baby boy has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Serviss, of East Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leyman, of New York, were guests of friends in the borough on Monday.

Miss Clara Herold, of Brooklyn, has been visiting Mrs. H. F. Windham of East Front street.

George F. Opdyke and family, of West Eighth street, are summering along the Jersey coast.

Wesley Abbott, of Central avenue, returned from Yale University Saturday for a brief stay at his home.

Mrs. John Roumaine, of Jersey City, is the guest of Miss M E. MacLaughlin, of Somerset street.

Miss Cora Schorb, of Martinsville, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Schorb, Sr., of East Front street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wedemeyer, of New York, were the guests Monday of Mrs. Henry Wedemeyer, of Somerset street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dayton, of Jersey City, have been guests at the home of Mrs. Margaret MacLaughlin, of Someret street.

Miss Carrie Potter, of Rahway, returned home yesterday after a visit with her friend, Miss Cornelia Rockfellow, of Park avenue

Miss Ida Dunham, of Arlington avenue, who has been entertaining her cousin from Brooklyn, regretted her departure for home today.

Edward F. Randolph, of West Eighth street, left today for Nyack, N. Y., where he will be wedded to Miss Nellie M. Smith, of that place.

J. H. Howell, of Myrtle avenue, is registered at Willard's, Washington. He went to Washington in company with W. R. King, of New York city.

J. Dewey, of New York, has rented through E. C. Mulford & Son, the Bullock house, 408 East Fifth street, and will take possession about July 1st.

Morgan Turton, of Washington street, is able to be about but his arm is still very score. It will be a long time before Mr. Turton will be able to resume work.

William M. McCutchen and his college friend, R. R. Howard, of Yale University, returned to their studies at Yale yesterday after spending Decoration Day in this city.

It was Mr. and Mrs. George Goodwin and not Mr. and Mrs. John Goodwin who were present at the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Shotwell last Monday.

Councilman William N. Runyon, of East Ninth street, went to New Haven, yesterday, to take part in the initiation exercises of the Scroll and Key, a senior society at Yale University.

Miss Gertrude Snodgrass and her friend, Miss Grace Kent, have returned to their studies at the Newark High School after spending a few days at the home of Miss Snodgrass, on Central avenue.

Francis J. Blatz, of Somerset street, has received word that he successfully passed the final examinations in the Senior year at the New York University Law School and will be graduated with honor.

Mrs. J. J. Coard and Miss Mabel Coard, of East Ninth street, expect to return from Europe in September. Miss Alice Coard and George F. Coard will probably remain in Paris for another year. They went abroad last August.

Mrs. Nicholas Heidt and son, Charles M. Heidt, of Kenoza Lake, N. Y., have returned home after spending several days with relatives in this city. Willie J. Luckey, of West Second street, who is a grandson of Mrs. Heidt, accompanied them.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are to-day its warmest friends. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—Millville is to have a daily newspaper.

—The Stockton police made 80 arrests during the month of May.

—The regular June meeting of the City Council will be held next Monday evening.

—Cape May county will take some action in regard to building a soldiers' monument.

—The regular June meeting of Gazelle Engine Company will be held this evening.

—Keeley & Son, of LaGrande avenue, have purchased a handsome Brewster wagonette.

—A business meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at their rooms tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

—The two new houses which Mr. Williams is erecting on West Front street, near Grant avenue, are nearing completion.

—The annual meeting of the Epworth League, of the First M. E. church, will be held in Vincent chapel on Friday evening.

—The Borough Council will hold a regular meeting on Friday evening of this week. Business of importance will be considered.

—Summer shoes, excellent in style and finish, are advertised in Schloss' new advertisement in today's Press Bicycle footgear is a speciality of this firm.

—Bishop McFaul, of Trenton, will visit St Joseph's church during the first part of this month and confirm a class which is now in preparation for the event.

—The annual encampment of the G. A. R. and W. R. C. will be held at Atlantic City next week. Plainfield will be largely represented from both organizations.

—During the heavy wind storm yesterday afternoon a large limb of a tree in front of the First Baptist church property was broken off. Fortunately no one was passing at the time.

—E. E. Anthony, of West Front street, walks with a cane now, he being so unfortunate yesterday as to have a twenty-five pound ledger book fall on his foot at his office in New York.

—The steam roller has been placed on West Front street, below Central avenue, where it is doing good work. Last evening some excellent work was done on East Second street, at the corner of Park avenue.

—John F. Dryden, president of the Prudential Life Insurance Company, has rented the Darling house at Netherwood and will move in very soon. The business was transacted through the agency of E. C. Mulford & Son, of North avenue.

—The old and neglected monument, erected at National Park to the memory of the 400 brave men who routed 2,500 Hessian hireiings in the war for independence, was prettily decorated after services in the tabernacle, Monday, on the Delaware's shores.

—The Christian and Missionary Alliance will hold a service of prayer and praise at the rooms of the W. C. T. U. tomorrow morning from 9 to 12. In the evening at 7:45. Henry D Campbell, a returned missionary from the Congo district, Africa, will speak. All are cordially invited.

—The building of the United States Mutual Industrial Association on Broad street, Newark, was destroyed by fire, Saturday night. The Newark store of the Keer and Martin Cycle Co., of which F. L. C. Martin of this city, is one of the firm, is located next next door but escaped any injury from the fire.

—The continued cold nights have greatly retarded the growth of early truck in South Jersey. Sweet potatoes, which were put in the fields two and three weeks ago, are nearly all dead, and the fleas are devouring what are left. Between the louse plague, the cold weather and the fleas, the farmers are having a discouraging time of it.

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Rev Mr. Herring Tied the Knot.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—In reference to the marriage of Salvatore Valvorde and Miss May Sharkey, I would say that these parties appeared before me on the evening of May 27th bringing the necessary witnesses and all things appearing correct, they were married by me. The ages given were 23 for groom and 18 for bride (nearest birthday 19). Respectfully,

Charles E. Herring.

J. C. Peck, of Wilmington, Del., formerly of this city, has been spending a few days with friends in town.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Miss Staats is the guest of friends in Newark for a few days.

J. W. Griggs is in Newark partly on business and partly on pleasure.

Rev. and Mrs. Mead are entertaining friends out of town for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Boice, of Plainfield, spent yesterday with Mrs. Joseph Apgar.

Miss Maude Bolton, of Glen Gardner, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Philip Harman.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swackhammer have returned from Pluckamin where they have been spending several days.

Mrs. Hetfield went to Brooklyn yesterday to attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Levers, who died in that city last Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Van Middlesworth and son, William VanMiddlesworth, of Elizabeth, are visiting Mrs. Van Middlesworth, of Church street.

Mrs. VanMiddlesworth, of Church street, attended the Fenner family reunion held at Weston on Decoration Day She returned home yesterday.

Lawyer Hayes, of New York, who has taken up his residence in Dunellen, has purchased the Paterson farm and has also opened an office on Main street.

Miss Elta Fenner, of Church street, is confined to her home with a severe attack of malaria. Her condition is somewhat improved, however, and she hopes to be out soon.

Mrs. Cole, who has been confined to the house for the past two weeks by illness, is now able to sit up a little each day and her friends hope that she will soon be out again.

The commencement exercises of the public schools will be held in the Methodist church on Thursday evening, June 17th. Last year they were held in the Presbyterian church.

Isaac Stites, the blacksmith, has returned from Bayonne, where he went to seek rest from the chills and fever that have detained him from work. His health is no better and he is confined to his home.

As yet nothing has been heard concerning the whereabouts of G. Elston Lowrie who disappeared so suddenly some time ago. His family are very much worried as they fear something may have happened and that he is unable to send home any word. Some member of his family call at the postoffice every day in the hopes that there may be a letter.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Miss Minnie Hosinger is entertaining friends from New York.

Miss Emma Clark has returned from a visit with friends in Lincoln.

Miss Susie Parse has returned from a three days visit with friends in Brooklyn.

The M. E. church will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival in Excelsior Hall tonight.

Miss Lillian Gibbs has accepted a position as bookeeper with Galbraith & Walsh, of Plainfield.

Irving Quereau, of New York, was the guest of George W. Randolph, Sunday and Monday.

Horace Hand, of Elizabeth, spent Monday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob V. Coles.

Prof. L A. Goodenough, of Jersey Cit , spent Sunday and Monday renewing old acquaintances.

Robert Johnston, of New York, spent Sunday and Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E M. Johnston.

Miss Cotton, of Glen Cove, a former teacher in the public school, spent Sunday and Monday with friends in town.

Norman Dunn, of Mountain avenue, is confined to the house with illness, Dr Westcott is the attending physician.

—Mr. Schaeder, of Roselle, who was held in the borough pending the settlement of a $12 fine, was released yesterday afternoon when the employer came from Roselle and bailed his workman out.

WESTFIELD

SCHOOL TRUSTEES MEET

NEW SCHOOL BUILDING AT MOUNTAINSIDE DISCUSSED.

Principal Edwards' and Committee's Report Interesting Matters—Cranford Will Consider Building a School at Garwood.

The Westfield Board of Education held a meeting in the Prospect Street School, last evening. All the trustees and Principal Edwards were present. A communication was received from the Cranford school trustees inviting the Westfield Board to a conference on the question of the establishment of a school at Garwood. The District Clerk was ordered to reply, stating that the invitation was accepted and that the Westfield Board would be represented at the conference by its special committee previously appointed to take charge of the matter in question. Chairman Green nominated Mrs. L. A. Lightfoot as the fifth member of the board of lady visitors. The nomination was confirmed. The District Clerk reported that the Misses Polk, Stryker, Binder, Jones, Harned, Clark, Apgar, Halsey, Hubbard and Wood had accepted reappointments for the coming year, and that Miss Peabody and Miss Scoville had declined. Miss Wood, the teacher at Locust Grove, offered some suggestions to the Board in connection with her acceptance, and pointed out the need of an assistant teacher in her school. Principal Edwards presented his monthly report, showing 708 pupils enrolled, with an average attendance of 430, and 118 pupils absent from illness. Miss Dower, now teaching in Miss Brewster's room, was engaged for the coming year at a salary of $600, to teach in the High School in place of Miss Scoville. On recommendation of the committee on buildings and grounds the janitors of the different school buildings were re-engaged for the coming year at their former salaries. Wm. Edgar, Lincoln School, salary $490 a year; Mr. Keppler, Prospect Street School, $400, and Chas. Roll, at Locust Grove, $50 a year. This committee also reported on the question of repairs upon the Locust Grove schoolhouse, recommending the expenditure of a sum not to exceed $200 upon the placing of a heater in the building and the provid- of additional desk accommodations so that fifty-four pupils could be accommodated instead of only thirty-four, as at present. Mayor Cory and Charles Forster, representing the people of Mountainside, objected to the proposed repairs, characterizing them as altogether inadequate to the needs of the district. It was their object, they said, to secure the erection of a new building in their district, and to this end they had visited the State Superintendent of Schools and endeavored to get the present building condemned. The twenty-six pupils who come here to school from Mountainside could be accommodated at home if an enlarged building and a grammar grade were to be established. Members of the board pointed out that it would be impossible to take any steps toward the construction of a new schoolhouse without calling a meeting of voters to secure a special appropriation, and as it was improbable that such a movement would succeed at this time, it was agreed to let the matter remain in abeyance until the annual school meeting for the voting of appropriations, and in the meantime to make such repairs upon the building as the committee suggested. An appropriation of $200 was voted for the purchase of apparatus for the use of classes in physics. The principal was instructed to introduce a fire drill into the schools, with frequent practice, so that the drill shall be really effective in case of an emergency.

Miss May Cooper is visiting relatives in Brooklyn.

Mrs. Frank Vreeland is visiting friends in Rahway.

William Grogan, Jr., has purchased a new Liberty bicycle.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dilts spent Decoration Day with friends in Clinton.

Mrs. Tomlinson, of Plainfield, organized a W. C. T. U. at Garwood today.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Trimmer, of Dunellen, have been spending a few days in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harden, of of Rutherford, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Harden.

Clarence Terry has returned to his home in Jersey City after a visit with his father in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Chambers and daughter, of Bayonne City, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Terry.

Curtis & Mitchell have the contract to decorate the interior of H. C. Sergeant's residence on the Boulevard.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will meet in the church parlors tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark, of Dover, are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. John Campbell, of South Broad street.

The Misses Bertha and Bessie Hart have returned to their home in Brooklyn after a week's visit with Dr. and Mrs. Sherman Cooper.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet in the Bible class room tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

C. K. Pennington and T. A. McKay wheeled to Philadelphia, Sunday, spent Decoration Day in the Quaker City, and returned home Monday evening.

A summons was issued today in the case of John M. Ledley against Chas. Crickenberger, on contract. The case will be tried by Justice Collins, next Tuesday.

Rev. G. A. Francis will lead the prayer meeting in the Baptist church this evening. There will also be a reception of new members in connection with the meeting.

A preparatory lecture will be given by the pastor in the Presbyterian lecture room this evening. The session will be present to meet and confer with candidates for church membership.

The regular business meeting of the teachers of the Presbyterian Sunday-school will be held in the lecture room this evening after the regular prayer meeting. Every teacher is expected to be present.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will hold a strawberry tea in Gale's club house, on Elm street, tomorrow evening, from 5 until 9 o'clock. The proceeds will go to the parsonage fund.

The funeral services of Mrs. Albert Williams were held at her late residence on Spring street, yesterday afternoon at three o'clock, Rev. W. H Ruth and Rev. Dr. Mitchell, of Plainfield, officiating. Interment was at Fairview cemetery.

The case of Swinefurth against Blake for the possession of premises was tried by Justice Collins yesterday afternoon. Judgment was rendered for the plaintiff, and the defendant, who is in arrears for three months' rent, was ordered by the Justice to at once vacate the premises of Swinefurth.

The stock of L. R. Schofield's gents' furnishing store was disposed of at sheriff's sale yesterday morning, at 10 o'clock, by J. M. C. Marsh, auctioneer. The most extensive buyers were Charles Clark, H. C. Piker and J. Kaminetski. The stock was sold to satisfy a chattel mortgage held by Mrs. Elizabeth Brooks.

Edward Townley was the victim of a serious wheeling accident while riding in the vicinity of Metuchen, Monday morning. Townley and a friend named David Curtis were out for a long run, and were making good time. When near Metuchen they attempted to run past a wagon, and in doing so came unexpectedly upon two other cyclists coming in the opposite direction. Curtis fortunately glided between the two oncoming machines, but Townley collided with one of them, and was thrown violently to the ground. His left knee was severely lacerated and the front wheel of his bicycle was wrecked. The other party to the collision escaped unhurt.

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The Columbia is now on exhibition at our store, and will remain on exhibition until June 30th, when the competition will close and the Columbia will be awarded to the fortunate winner.

The contest which we have just inaugurated, by or through which some subscriber to THE AMERICAN QUEEN is going to win a fine, high-grade Columbia Bicycle, 1897 Model, is already well under way. The contest will remain open until June 30, 1897. The conditions and plan of this contest are simply these: We purpose presenting a Columbia Bicycle, 1897 Model, to the lady subscriber who furnishes the *best menu*, for one week, for a family of five, the cost of such menu not to exceed $10 for the week. The merits of the menus submitted will be passed upon by the Editor of THE AMERICAN QUEEN, Miss Mary L. Island, and the person furnishing the best menu, in Miss Island's judgment, will be presented with the bicycle.

The menu submitted should be enclosed in one envelope and the name of the sender in a separate one, the two being handed in or sent in together, addressed to us. The envelopes containing the menus will then be numbered and sent to Miss Island and the envelopes containing the names reserved by us, and when Miss Island makes her choice of the menus she will inform us of the number of the winner and we will then announce the result in local newspapers and THE AMERICAN QUEEN.

The only requirement necessary to admit you to this contest is that you be a subscriber to THE AMERICAN QUEEN.

The splendid wheel which will go to the winner is on exhibition in the store and may be seen at any time.

We want everybody to feel free to go into this contest and we hope that hundreds of our customers will fix their minds on good things to eat and mould them into a acceptable menu for the week, and at the same time keep the cost down to $10.

THE COMPETITION.—Our aim in offering this competition is to have every lady we can reach with this announcement become a reader of THE AMERICAN QUEEN. THE QUEEN is published at $1 a year, but to give all our friends a chance to get this splendidly useful home publication for the ensuing year and at the same time have a chance to become the proud possessor of the standard cycle, we shall until the 30th day of June receive subscriptions (only one to a family) for the nominal fee of 25 Cents a year. Come to the store at once, register your name and receive your receipt for THE QUEEN for one year and try to win the Columbia.

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So he call to de hirelin' shep'a'd,
"Is my sheep, is dey all come in?"

Oh, den says de hirelin' shep'a'd,
"Dey's some, dey's black and thin,
An' some, dey's po' ol' wedda's,
Dat can't come home agin.
Dey is los'," says the hirelin' shep' a'd—
"But de res' dey's all brung in."
Dey is los'," says de hireling sherd'a'd—
"But de res' dey's all brung in."

Den de Massa ob de sheep fol',
Dat guard the sheepfol' bin
Goes down in de gloomerin' meadows,
Whar de long night rain begins—
So he le' down de ba's ob de sheep fol',
Callin' sof', "Come in come in.
So he le' down de ba's ob de sheep fol'.
Callin, sof' "Come in, come in."
Den up tro' de gloomerin' meadows.
Tro' de col' night rain and win',
And up tro' 'de gloomerin' rain-paf',
Whar' de sleet fa' pie'cin' thin,
De po' los' sheep o' de sheep fol',
Dey all comes gadderin' in.
De po' los' sheep o' de sheep fol',
Dey all comes gadderin' in.

A WOMAN'S HEART.

By Carl Baily Hurst.

The driving rain forbade our taking a walk, so we sat in the studio and smoked. The storm had come suddenly, and it was late in the afternoon. From the window-seat where I lay I could look down on Broadway and see the crowd of clerks and shopgirls hurrying up town. The noise of wagons and street cars, the babble of voices, and the beating of footsteps on wet pavements were borne noticeably to the third story of the old building which has stood for thirty years on a corner below Union Square. It is an old rookery, with rooms for artists and whosoever else will live in small quarters and not object to the odor of cooking wafted at all times from the gas-stoves of one's neighbors. The man in whose lodgings I was for the first time had lived there for over twenty years. He told me nothing could make him leave. He had become attached to the shaky stairs, the worn threshholds, and the dusty walls. It was here he had fought for fame—and had lost the battle; yet he would not remove.

We talked of a number of things—of art, of the ignorance of critics, of the capriciousness of fate—when I noticed my friend was not listening to me, but to some sound without. I stopped, and heard a woman walking down the hall. She went to the door opposite my friend X.'s lodgings, and after fumbling with the lock a few seconds, opened the door and entered.

X. did not move. He only turned his eyes toward me, still listening; but hearing nothing more, he leaned back in his chair, saying simply, "She's late."

"In time for dinner, at any rate," I hazarded.

"She doesn't live here."

"Oh! Only paints during the day, of course."

"She's not an artist; not even in a dilettante way. She used to paint, I believe; but I do not think she has had a brush in her hand for twenty years."

"Twenty years?"

"For twenty years she has had that room. None besides her has ever entered, except the janitor once or twice to put in a few panes of glass broken by the ball."

"She's not, not— She's in her right mind, isn't she?"

"As sane as you or I. I'll tell you about her. It's the story of a woman's heart. I do not believe two people besides myself know why she has that little studio, if, indeed, they are aware she has it at all."

Then he was silent for a minute. I heard the noise of the street, and fancied that I heard a woman moving in the room across the way. The story of a woman's heart. I mused—the story of a woman's heart. How many a one thinks he knows its depths or its shallowness, but what man has ever really fathomed it? It's a spring of water, I thought. It reflects the clouds and the sunshine. It varies with circumstances. There is nothing constant in it. It smiles back brightly to the man who has brought himself nearest. When he is gone, with the same ease and cheerfulness it mirrors his successor. A woman's heart, I laughed; there is no constancy in it.

"Listen," said X. "Not long after I returned from my two years at Munich I settled in the studio in which you see me now. About the same time a young man of about my own age took the one across the way. There was more than a passing acquaintance between us. We exchanged confidences, and I learned that a wealthy woman, somewhat older than he, stood to him more or less as a patroness. There was some understanding that when he should become established they were to marry. She was an ambitious person, strong willed, and, I surmise, she decided to fashion the beginner's career to suit herself. But she was not sympathetic. His frequent discouragements she took as natural events in any young man's career. But to him the difficulties seemed enormous and insuperable, and the sympathy he craved he found elsewhere, in the daughter of a boarding-house keeper at whose establishment he took dinner. The patroness was frightfully incensed when she learned of the new intimacy. She stormed, but he said nothing. Then she cried bitterly, and begged him not to throw his life away on a woman who had not the least thing in common with him.

"The little drama stretched itself out for several months, until a violent quarrel separated for good the artist and his benefactress. The woman wanted him to break his recent attachment. She became arbitrary and insisted. The young fellow was already tired of the boarding house keeper's daughter, but this commanding made him obstinate, and throwing down the key of the studio, he swore he would never come near his easel again. When she saw he was really leaving, she calmed and implored him to stay, but he doggedly walked away. She said she loved him more than her life that she would always wait until he returned. She would keep the studio, and that he must come back to her some time.

"That day he went to the woman scorned by the other, and a few days later together they drifted to the West, where one may be swallowed in the vastness and change, and be forgotten. The affair would have escaped me altogether had I not one day seen the former patroness coming to the studio, which, it seemed, she had kept, and to which she came once a fortnight. She did this for four or five years, until I read in the papers a notice of her marriage. For a year she never came near this place, but the studio was still unvacated. The janitor told me she rented the place by the year, and at the time of her marriage the studio belonged to her for several months longer. And then, that period expiring, she rented the room again, although she did not visit it. Incidentally I heard her marriage was a very unsatisfactory one, and that her husband treated her brutally. Once more she resumed her pilgrimages to the studio. But after her husband's death—for he died about two years after they were married—she kept away for another stretch of months; then she started once more, and she has now come at intervals ever since. She dusts the books and canvases, and keeps the room scrupulously clean. This much she has told me herself, although she is very reticent. But I have often wondered if she lingers over each object of her former lover's, and touches them tenderly, and thinks that he might now be near her had she been to him what she might have been. It is probably a solace for her to go there, and to feel that she keeps the place for his return; that she is watching for him, ready to welcome him, and to tell him that she loves him more than in those old days."

Then X was silent. Presently he resumed: "Perhaps he will return. But he has not returned yet. It is twenty years since he left."

"Yes," I said to myself, "a woman's heart indeed is like a spring. It gives forth at all times the same stream of love. The surface may reflect that which passes near it, but in its depths, clear and unchanging, lies that which fell there first."

Neither of us spoke. X.'s story moved me strangely, although I am not over-given to sentiment. The rain came beating against the windows, down on the foot-passengers in the street, and on the vehicles. The world seemed very gloomy. Unsteadily a man mounted to the top of the stairs near X.'s studio, and moved down the hall. He stopped not far away, but he made no sound. X. threw open the door, and I saw a man wasted with disease, thin and wretchedly clad. The rain dropped from his clothing to the floor. I could only see the side of his face, but it was haggard. He stood with his back to us, looking at the studio door opposite. He seemed not to hear us. He knocked, but there was no repsonse. He knocked again. The door opened suddenly, and a woman stood in the threshold. The man held out his hands and said, brokenly:

"Sweetheart, sweetheart, I have come back for one glimpse of paradise."

With a cry the woman threw her arms about his neck, and, drawing him into the room, strained his wet, dishevelled head to her breast.

X. closed his door quietly, and turning to me, remarked: "I always thought something like that would happen."—Harper's Weekly.

Ignorance in India.

Ignorance and superstition were among the greatest forces that the English Government had to overcome in dealing with the plague in India. It was found out by the authorities that one of the chief causes of the reluctance of the natives to enter hospitals was due to the fear that they would be killed, because they believed that the Queen, in revenge for the insult offered to her statue, had demanded the lives of 30,000 inhabitants of Bombay.—Philadelphia Ledger.

PEN POINTS.

It is not the expensive fashionable ball, but the cheap ball of the slum saloon that brings misery to the poor.

The prime of life is when we have learned to laugh at things that once would have made us weep.

Many a family that thinks it is keeping up appearances is keeping up nothing but a signal of distress.

Second thoughts may be the best, but they are usually too late for the band wagon.

A drama may be too good to be popular with the masses. It is a good deal so with a man

A true friend is one who will listen to your troubles and not tell you his own.—Truth

Not a Single Instance.

Youngley: "Yes, sir, we love each other, and love matches always turn out happily. Do you know of a single instance where they have not done so?"

Olding: "No, not of a single instance, but I know of a good many married ones."

Mistress—I think I have given you a good idea of the cooking I require. Do you think you could prepare it?

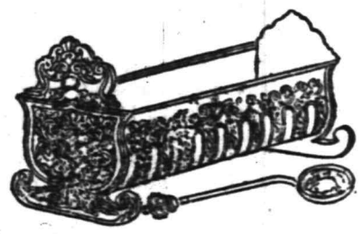
Cook—Yis, mum; but Oi cud nivir ate it.—New York Journal.

JUBILEE SOUVENIRS.

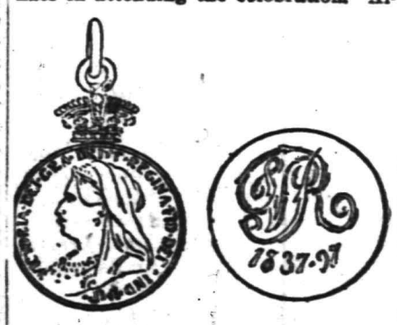
Pretty Things in Silver for the Great British Celebration.

In selecting articles to commemorate the long reign of Queen Victoria the English silversmiths have again brought silver spoons into vogue. Very handsome teaspoons have been made, with handles ornamented with a medallion of the Queen's head, encircled by "Victoria Reg. 1837-1897," and surmounted with a fac-simile of the English crown.

An especially beautiful design for a dessert or bouillon spoon has the royal arms in enamel and the bust of the Queen delicately chased upon the handle, the two dates being upon the stem of the spoon, which has a round gold lined bowl.

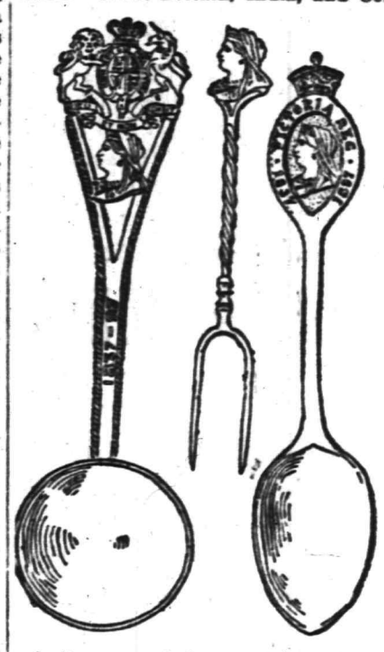


Designs for dainty little two-tined berry forks have twisted handles, finished at the end with the Queen's face as it appears at present, or was at her coronation sixty years ago. Silver book markers are very appropriate souvenirs for one desiring a useful little article; this also is decorated with the Queen's medallion, the English crown and the dates. Tourists in Great Britain at this season will have no difficulty in securing suitable little remembrances for friends not so fortunate in attending the celebration. Al-



most everything is to be found, from the little silver bangle to a Victorian chair. New christening gifts have the pap bowl, mug, knife, fork and spoon ornamented with particular designs for the jubilee year.

In souvenir jewelry the Jubilee badge meets with much approval. This badge may be worn as a locket, brooch or a charm for a watch guard. It is of gold, with the head of the Queen in the centre encircled by precious stones. At the top is the English crown, with the monogram V. R. I. underneath. The words "Great Britain, India, and Col-



onies" are carried around in red and blue enamel. Upon the back of this badge is the inscription: "To commemorate the sixtieth year of the reign of her Majesty Queen Victoria, 1897."

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WILLIAM HETFIELD.
EDWARD TERRY.

Dated April 10th, 1897. 4 14 10-wed

ASSIGNEE'S SETTLEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the accounts of the subscriber, Assignee of John V. Berkaw, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the twenty-eighth day of July next.

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PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 2 11, 4 56, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 38, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 05, p, m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 02 a m; 6 30, 10 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 05, 5 16 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

8 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Mauch Chunk, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

3 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 05 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

5 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 39 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 12 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 55 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

5 05 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 22 p. m.

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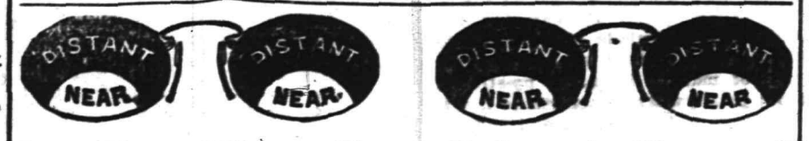

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REPORTED SUICIDE.

Special Indian Agent Olive Said to Have Killed Himself.

St. George, Utah, June 2.—Joel T. Olive, special Indian agent of the interior department, is reported to have committed suicide.

The information comes in a private message received here, and aside from this the authorities have been unadvised. No motive or date of the affair are given, and the circumstances are unknown. The news was a complete surprise to the officials. His health is supposed to have been good, and he is not believed to have been given to fits of depression.

The only clew to the cause of the affair that is suggested is his removal from the service, Alfred C. Hawley of Chicago having been appointed to succeed him last Friday. The department's notification probably had just reached him, and his suicide, it is thought, may have been due to the change.

MR. SEARLES ACQUITTED.

The Judge Holds the Committee's Questions Were Not Pertinent.

Washington, June 2.—Judge Bradley, in the district court, ordered the jury which had been summoned to hear the evidence against John E. Searles, the secretary and treasurer of the American Sugar Refining company, to find a verdict of not guilty.

The judge held that the questions asked by the senate committee were not pertinent. Mr. Searles was in court, accompanied by H. O. Havemeyer.

The judge's opinion was exhaustive. It had been reduced to writing and was read from the bench. He pointed out that Mr. Searles had testified specifically that no money had been contributed by the Sugar trust to the national campaign or for the purpose of influencing legislation or the election of United States senators.

THE FIVE COUNSELORS ACT.

A Law Doing Away With Apprenticeships In a Law Office.

Trenton, June 2.—The June term of the supreme court opened yesterday, and the names of a large number of persons were presented for examination for licenses as attorneys and counselors. Many of the names were submitted under the five counselors act. This act provides that a person may be examined upon certification of five counselors that the applicant has particular aptitude and does away with the necessity of having spent a term of years in a lawyer's office.

Among those who are to come up under the five counselors act is Annie Irving Keeler of Camden. Miss Keeler's application is certified to by ex-Judge John W. Westcott, Herbert Drake, John F. Joline, Jonas S. Miller and Frederick A. Rex.

Allowed to Do Business.

Topeka, June 2.—The Metropolitan Life Insurance company of New York is again permitted to do business in Kansas by reason of a temporary restraining order granted by Judge Foster in the United States district court preventing Insurance Commissioner McNall from interfering with the company's business until a full hearing can be had. The commissioner issued an order on May 20 revoking the company's license. John Dewitt Peltz of New York, general counsel for the insurance company, is in town and says he will bring suit against McNall for libel and $50,000 damages.

Tennessee's Anniversary.

Nashville, June 2.—The one hundred and first anniversary of the admission of Tennessee into the Union was appropriately celebrated at the Tennessee Centennial exposition. The programme of the day began with a parade through the principal streets, two battalions of the national guard, state of Tennessee, escorting Governor Taylor of Tennessee, Governor Russell of North Carolina and Lieutenant Governor McSweeny of South Carolina and their respective staffs and other invited guests to the exposition grounds. The parade was witnessed by thousands of people.

Ex-Consul to Be Tried.

Boston, June 2.—The case of the government against Joseph A. Iasigi, late Turkish consul at Boston, for embezzlement will be tried during the June term of the superior criminal court. This decision was reached by District Attorney Stevens, who will probably try the case himself for the government. The trial will probably not be begun till about June 20, as the criminal docket for the June term is larger than usual, and the Iasigi case will be the last matter taken up for consideration.

Festivities at West Point.

West Point, June 2.—By direction of the superintendent there was a review of the corps of cadets for the board of visitors. This was followed by a reception at the quarters of Colonel Ernst, to which were invited all the officers and ladies of the post, the members of the first class of cadets and many from society circles in the immediate vicinity of West Point.

Canada's Alien Labor Bill.

Ottawa, June 2.—The committee appointed to consider the alien labor bill passed it. It applies only to such countries as have similar laws against Canada, or, in other words, to the United States. The act can only be enforced by the attorney general of Canada or by some one appointed by him. The bill has yet to pass the house of commons and the senate.

Instantly Killed by a Train.

Centralia, Ills., June 2.—J. W. Roberts, wife and two children were struck by an Illinois Central north bound passenger train at Alma, 15 miles north of Centralia, and all were instantly killed. They were driving in a wagon and were caught at a crossing.

Locomotive Explosion.

Bluefield, W. Va., June 2.—Engine No 251 on the Norfolk and Western railroad blew up near Christiansburg, Va., killing Joe Waskie, an engineer, whose home was at Radford; Jim Gillespie, a fireman, and Flagman William Byrn of Roanoke.

Minister Tower Arrives.

Vienna, June 2.—Mr. Charlemagne Tower, the new United States minister to Austria, has arrived here.

GOOD PROGRESS MADE

Several Paragraphs In the Tariff Bill Completed.

MR. SMITH DENIES SPECULATING.

The House Has a Lively Session, at Which the Speaker and the Republican Majority Were Attacked—Some Special Orders Were Adopted.

Washington, June 2.—The senate made good progress on the tariff bill, advancing to the important metal schedule. During the session the paragraphs covering marble, stone, china, glass, brick and tiles were completed, with a few minor exceptions. Messrs. Vest and Jones of Arkansas, in behalf of the minority of the finance committee, proposed numerous amendments, which were defeated by majorities of from 8 to 14.

The votes were on party lines in the main, although Messrs. Rawlins and White (Dems.) voted with the Republicans to increase the rate on onyx, and Mr. McEnery (Dem.) voted with the Republicans against Mr. Jones' proposition for a reduction of the rates on china.

As a sequel to the recent sensational speech of Mr. Tillman, Mr. Smith of New Jersey rose to a question of personal privilege while the tariff debate was proceeding and made a brief but pointed denial of all speculation in sugar stock, either recently or at any time when sugar was the subject of legislation. Mr. Tillman was among those who heard the denial, but he made no comment on it.

Senator McLaurin of South Carolina was sworn in, raising the membership of the senate to 89. This establishes the personnel of the senate as it will remain for some time—viz: Republicans, 43; Democrats, 34; Populists, 7; silver Republicans, 5; vacancy, 1 (Oregon); total, 90.

House's Lively Session.

There was a lively session of the house, at which the policy of Speaker Reed and the Republican majority again were made the subjects of attacks by members of the minority. Mr. Richardson (Dem.) of Tennessee and Mr. Simpson (Pop.) of Kansas led the onslaught for the minority. The majority position was ably defended by Mr. Henderson (Rep.) of Iowa and Mr. Grosvenor (Rep.) of Ohio.

The appeal of Mr. Lewis (Dem.) of Washington, taken last Thursday from the decision of the chair, that a resolution relating to foreign affairs did not constitute a question of privilege, was laid on the table, and after the skirmish over the methods of procedure three special orders were successively adopted, by two of which the senate bills making a special appropriation for the government printing office and for granting the secretary of the navy permission to contract with any two vessels to carry contributed supplies to India were passed.

The other provided for the consideration of the Frye bill to prevent collisions upon harbors, rivers and inland waters of the United States connected with the ocean, but Mr. Payne, in charge of the latter bill, was forced to abandon it for the day to avoid the point of no quorum.

The conference report on the sundry civil bill was adopted.

Some New Nominations.

Washington, June 2.—William L. Penfield, who has been designated for the position of solicitor for the state department, is about 50 years of age and is at present judge of the court of the circuit in which De Kalb and Steuben counties, Ind., are included. He was a fellow student with Assistant Secretary of State Day at the Ann Arbor Law school and is highly regarded as a lawyer. He was indorsed by Senator Fairbanks.

Hon. J. J. De Haven, nominated to be district judge for the district of northern California, is a practicing attorney in San Francisco and about 55 years of age. He was a member of congress for two terms while President McKinley was a member of the house, and it was there that the president became acquainted with him. He resigned his seat in the house. He has since occupied a position on the supreme bench of California, but occupies no official position at present.

Some Naval Changes.

Washington, June 2.—Admiral Brown has been relieved of the command of the Norfolk navy yard by Captain Farquhar and has been granted leave of absence until his retirement from active service on the 19th of the present month. Admiral Brown is the ranking officer of the navy and will be succeeded by Admiral William Kirkland, now in command of the Mare Island navy yard. By the retirement of Admiral Brown, Commodore Matthews, chief of the bureau of yards and docks, becomes and admiral.

Appointments by the Postmaster General.

Washington, June 2.—Clarence E. Dawson of the District of Columbia and George L. Wood of Baltimore were appointed, respectively, private secretary and stenographer to the postmaster general. H. J. Barrett of Tryon, N. C., has been appointed law clerk of the postoffice department. He was formerly a United States commissioner in western North Carolina. Mr. Dawson is a veteran employee of the department and for a number of years has been the postmaster general's stenographer.

Nominations Confirmed.

Washington, June 2.—The senate has confirmed the following nominations: William Haywood of the District of Columbia to be secretary of the legation and consul general of the United States at Honolulu and James S. Fruit of Pennsylvania to be collector of internal revenue of the Twenty-third district of Pennsylvania.

To Be Nominated For Treasurer.

Washington, June 2.—It is understood that the president has fully decided upon Ellis H. Roberts of New York for United States treasurer and that his nomination will be sent to the senate in a day or two. Mr. Roberts at one time was assistant treasurer of the United States at New York.

New Postmaster.

Washington, June 2.—W. J. Norten has been appointed postmaster at Hightstown, N. J.

PASSING COMMENT.

"Tottie Tandem," the clever writer who furnishes the New York Journal with the news and gossip of the bicycle girls, is in town today securing material for a story on the Christian Endeavor Bicycle Squad. She paid a pleasant call to The Press office this afternoon.

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Frank W. Vermeule, who has been in the South during the last few months, recently sent the following from Alaga, Ala, to the New York Sun:

Pigs can swim. The fact was drawn particularly to my notice on Thursday last while working on a drawbridge over the Chattahoochie River between Georgia and Alabama, at a point where the river is about 350 feet wide and very swift. I heard a racket on the Georgia bank of the river and upon walking over found that a dog was chasing two large black hogs. He drove them to the river's edge, and as there was no other way of escape both took to the water and struck out for the Alabama shore and reached it in safety. They seemed none the worse for their experience and swam fully as well as any dogs that I have ever seen in the water. The incident was witnessed not only by myself, but also by eleven other members of our crew.

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Intended by its promoters to be supremely attractive and interesting, by thoroughly covering the field to which it will be devoted the Dramatic Herald will make its initial appearance in New York next Saturday, under the editorship of Robert James Campbell, Jr., now on the staff of the New York Journal, and with Col. Clarence Walters, well known to the dramatic profession and the frequenters of the Rialto in general, as business manager. The contents of the paper will be distinctly of interest to that great and growing array of vaudeville talent that has developed in stageland during the last few years. In a general way the journal will cater to the other literary fancies of life and frolic in the metropolis. The conduct of the paper will be characterized by an aim to make it spicy and yet high-toned enough to give it prestige in the circles which it will reach. The ideas of its promoters are really clever, and no doubt success will follow its reception by the public.

HOUSE OF WORSHIP DEDICATED.

Description of the New Building of the First Reformed Church in Somerville.

The First Reformed Church of Somerville is the mother of all the vigorous Dutch churches in the Raritan Valley. It was organized in 1699. The congregation yesterday dedicated a new house of worship.

The dedicatory services were conducted by the Rev. W. Stockton Cranmer, pastor of the church. There was a sermon delivered by the Rev. Dr. Edward B. Coe, of the Forty-eighth Street Collegiate Church of New York City. The Rev. J. Preston Searle, Professor of Theology in the New Brunswick Seminary, and the Rev. Edward Griffin Read, pastor of the Second Reformed Church, assisted in the services.

Addresses were made in the afternoon by President Austin Scott, of Rutgers College; the Rev. Wm. H. De Hart, president of the Classes of Raritan, and the Rev. Daniel Van Pelt.

The interior is finished in dark oak. There are several handsome windows One is the gift of the children of former Secretary of State Frederic T. Frelinghuysen, as a memorial to the Rev. Theodorus Jacobus Frelinghuysen, their ancestor, who was the first pastor of the church. His house is still standing in Somerville.

California Christian Endeavor Special.

The transportation committee of the Christian Endeavor has made final arrangements with the B. & O. Railroad for a special train to SanFrancisco. The train will be known as "The New Jersey Christian Endeavor Special," leaving Jersey Central depot, foot of Liberty street, 9 a. m.; Philadelphia, Twenty-fourth and Chestnut streets, 11:30 a. m., stopping at principal points enroute to pick up delegates. Further announcement will be made later on. Full information can be had by addressing any of the officers: Rev. F. E Davis, manager, Bound Brook, N. J.; Rev. Dr. French, Newark, N. J.; Rev. W. E. Davis, Lebanon, Pa.; Rev. E. W. Thompson, Paterson, N. J.; Rev. W. T. S. Lumbar, Moorestown, N. J., and E. E. Anthony, Plainfield, N. J.

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Mrs. W. E. Honeyman, of Lincoln place, left today for Mount Freedom, N. J.

A STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.

Pleasant and Profitable Affair For St. Mary's Church.

The strawberry festival held at the Young Men's Catholic Lyceum last evening under the auspices of St. Mary's church was a great success. Notwithstanding the cool weather the building wrs crowded with people and everything was readily disposed of. The ice-cream and cake table was in charge of Mrs. DeRevere, Mrs. Conover, Miss Slevin, Miss Phillips and Miss O'Keefe, while the lemonade table was presided over by Miss Butscher and Mrs. McIlroy. Miss Lord had charge of the cane table, and Mrs. Reilly looked after the shooting gallery where some excellent scores were made. Those who served as waitresses were Miss Fanny Hillman, Miss Anna Daley, Miss Kate Roach, Miss Mamie Burke, Miss Anna Ryan and Miss Lizzie Day. Mrs. Slevin was chairman of the affair, and she was assisted in the arrangements by Mrs. McCarty, Mrs. Hillman and Mrs. Knowlton.

A feature of the event was the dancing which was continued throughout the evening. The floor manager was Michael Whalen and he was assisted by Michael Mack, Morris Owen and Charles McCarty. The music for dancing was furnished by Eugene O'Reilly.

SUIT FOR WAGES.

The Important Point Was as to the Length of Contract.

Justice Newcorn was called upon to decide a remarkable case this morning, for no matter whether he believes the statements of the plaintiff or defendent, he finds that he only can make one decision.

The suit is that of Miss Bessie Green against Mrs. Fannie Knight. Mrs. Knight resides on Woodland avenue. Sometime ago she hired a colored woman named Bessie Green as a household servant The employer says that she hired the servant by the month and was to pay her twice a month while the girl says that she was hired by the week, and was to receive her pay twice a month. Bessie Green left on her own accord after two weeks and a half had passed. Then she sued Mrs. Knight for three weeks pay.

As the testimony was the same on all the facts except that of the length of time for which Miss Green was employed, there remained but that to decide. On considering the matter the Judge has decided that it is impossible to give but one verdict, who ever is right. The payment of the monthly wages at the end of half the month practically makes the contract for that length of time.

A Picture of Their Pastor.

A very successful entertainment was given at the Trinity Reformed church, last evening, for the benefit of the Sunday-school fund. It consisted of views from the bio-cinematoscope and stereopticon. The moving views of the bio-cinematoscope were very fine and greatly enjoyed. The instrument was well handled and the pictures given in a way that showed them at their greatest advantage. The stereopticon effects were excellent and the audience was treated to a surprise when a large picture of their pastor, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph.D., was thrown on the screen.

Peddlers Fined.

Chief Grant captured two men peddling supposed gold watches on East Ninth street, yesterday afternoon They had no license. They were arraigned before City Judge De Meza this morning and fined $5. They wanted the city to pay their car fare to New York out of the fine, but changed their mind when the Judge suggested a trip to Elizabeth instead.

—Rebekah Degree Lodge will hold a meeting this evening, after which a social time will be enjoyed by the members.

—J Patterson advertised in yesterday's Press for a piece of silk that was lost. It was returned by Miss Charles H. Smith, who ran the advertisement in The Press.

—Great sale now started of men's, boy's, children's hats until Saturday, at Jaquetts. If you want fine goods, cheap, why he has them, and, by the way, don't forget to go yourself and take your sons, for everybody's going, and fit him to a first class suit at bankrupt price. Go and see and believe. Jaquett, 129 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J.

TOM'S SINGULAR DEMISE.

He Waited for the Boys to Fix Him Up Before He Would Consent to Die.

For weeks and weeks Tom Sheppard had been a sick man at our mining camp at Black Bear Valley, according to the Louisville Courier Journal. Everybody felt sorry for him, and yet a sick man in a mining camp was a great inconvenience and a burden. One day Judge Watkins went up to see him, and after finding him no better and no worse than he had been for many weeks he said:

"Tom, I don't want to seem cold-hearted about this thing, but the boys are beginning to wonder why you don't die or get well."

"Yes, reckon they are," replied Tom. "and you can tell 'em I'm goin' to die."

"Do you feel it's for the best, Tom?"

"I do. I ain't got much to live fur, and might as well peg out now as any other time. I've been waitin' fur a week or two."

"Waitin'! Fur what?"

"Fur to die decently. I'm no lord or duke, but I want things fixed up in good shape. I want to be washed up, shaved, hev my hair cut, and git into some decent duds and I won't die until I do."

The Judge told the boys what was required, and that afternoon two or three of 'em knocked off work and fixed Tom up. A shirt was borrowed of one, a coat of another, and by and by the sick man was rigged out in the best the camp afforded. When all this had been done he said:

"Now, then, I feel more like dyin', but there's one more thing I want. I want Joe Billings to come up with his fiddle and play me a few tunes."

Joe was sent for, and after considerable kicking he got his fiddle and went up to Tom's shanty. Tom was propped up in bed and waiting, and Joe sat down and gave him "The Old Oaken Bucket," "Old Folks at Home," "Nellie Gray," and half a dozen other well-known airs. He had been playing for an hour, his eyes on the hills opposite, when Judge Watkins looked in and said:

"Cut it off, Joe, Tom's dead!"

And so he was, and when the boys came to observe the pleased and contented look on his face they were agreed that he had died decently and been given a fair start on his way.

THE SULTAN PAINTS.

Not Pictures, but His Face When He Goes to the Mosque.

Turkish ladies of quality, and of no quality, paint their faces. The painting apparatus is formed with a row of small bottles containing the paints, and set in a little pad or cushion. The cushion is adorned with a network and fringe of many colored beads. The practice of painting, however, is not confined to the ornamental sex. It is resorted to by the Padishah and those Pashas forming his inner circle. His Sublimity has a thick coat of rouge on his cheeks when he goes on Fridays to the mosque. It is to hide the pallor to which the fear of assassination gives rise. The Grand Vizier and Ministers, to keep him in countenance, rouge also, and dye their hair and beards.

As the Sultan's hair and beard are still jet black, he doubtless uses a hair restorer, which may affect his mind. He is very cunning, very patient in "pipe-laying," and has managed to become vastly wealthy and to shelve the Sublime Porte. But he is not of sound mind, and is afflicted with any number of manias that conflict with each other. The terror of assassination never leaves him.

Fishes on the Mountain-Tops.

It sounds queer to hear of fishes on the tops of mountains. One of the Welsh mountains has a lake, 1,300 feet high, and well stocked with roach and perch. One wonders how they got there, as they couldn't swim or walk up.

How do they get there, then? The general belief is that birds do most of the work by carrying the eggs. It is well known that waterfowl distribute yellow perch by carrying the sticky eggs on their feet. Bass do not become distributed except by hand of man or by going up-stream. Trout go anywhere where there is water enough to float a chip, and pickerel get moved about from place to place the same as perch do

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Athens, June 2.—General Nelson A. Miles, U. S. A., has returned here from Thermopylæ, the headquarters of the Greek army, where the general met the crown prince and was enabled to inspect the defenses of the Greeks.

Frost Kills Fruit.

Milwaukee, June 2.—Another killing frost was experienced throughout the state, and small fruits and vegetables suffered severely. Snow fell in the extreme northern portion of the state and in northern Michigan.

Italians Go on Strike.

Meriden, Conn., June 2.—About 50 Italians working for Molloy & Co. on the dam at the new city reservoir struck and work has stopped. It is a question of wages.

Suicide of an Indian Agent.

St. George, Utah, June 2.—Indian Agent Thomas Olive of Crawford, Ga., committed suicide here by shooting himself through the head.

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A ROSE MONTH BRIDE.

FIRST JUNE WEDDING CELEBRATED IN THIS CITY.

The Contracting Parties Were Miss Louise Augusta Lewis and James Everett Kimball—Details of the Charming Event.

Forty-two years ago yesterday, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Lewis were united in marriage in a town far away in Wisconsin, and last evening their daughter, Miss Louise Augusta Lewis, was wedded to James Everett Kimball, of this city, at the Seventh Day Baptist church in the presence of their many relatives and friends. It was the first June wedding in the city and a very pretty ceremony it proved to be, for the gowns of the bridal party were beautiful and the church had assumed a floral dress for the day. Everything passed off smoothly and the bridal couple were started on their tour without accident to mark the pleasure of the occasion.

At 7:30 o'clock, the bridal party made its appearance, entering the church through the door to the left of the church. As the strains of the wedding march pealed forth from the grand organ above, the ushers came slowly forward. They were Walter Kimball, of Brooklyn, Charles Deny Kimball, of New York and Amherst College, Cleveland Cady Kimball, of New York and Amherst College, Paul K Kimball, of Plainfield, all cousins of the groom, Frank J. Hubbard and George F. Rider, of Plainfield.

Then came the four bridesmaids, Miss Evelyn M. Lewis, sister of the bride, Miss Eleanor W. Kimball, of Orange, cousin of the groom, Miss Bessie E. Titsworth and Miss Margaret L. Tracy, both of this city. Miss Lewis and Miss Kimball were gowned in white point 'esprit trimmed with pink ribbons. Miss Titsworth and Miss Tracy wore white Persian lawn trimmed with pink ribbons. They all carried garlands of carnations and smilax with which they formed an aisle to the front of the pulpit through which the bride, leaning on the arm of her father, passed. The bridesmaids were followed by the maid of honor, Miss Mary A. Lewis, sister of the bride. She was gowned in white organdie over green.

The bride and her father, who was to perform the ceremony, followed her to the front of the pulpit where the party stopped and formed on either side of the bride and groom, who had advanced from the other side, accompanied by the best man, Benjamin F. Langworthy, of Chicago.

The bride looked very beautiful in a gown of white satin trimmed with duchesse lace. She carried a bouquet of Easter lilies.

The short service was conducted by Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, and again the organ burst forth into triumphant strains and Mr. and Mrs. Kimball led the way to the door on the right, through which they passed. They were followed by the others of the bridal party.

The ceremony was followed by an informal reception for the immediate families at the home of the bride on Central avenue, adjoining the church. Among those present were Dr. Charles O. Kimball and family, of New York; Alfred R. Kimball and family, of Orange; H. E. Kimball and family, of Orange; Prof. Arthur Kimball, of Amherst College; Miss Kate Kimball, of Buffalo; Miss Mary Kimball, of New York; Mrs. W. B. Maxson, Miss Mabel Maxson, Harry L. Maxson, Mr. and Mrs. William M. Stillman, Mrs. C. H. Stillman, Dr. Frank S. Wells, Miss Margaret L. Tracy, Miss Bessie E. Titsworth, Frank J. Hubbard, of Plainfield; Miss Anne Langworthy, of New York; Mrs. Rodney Kimball, of Brooklyn; Miss Fannie Kimball, of Brooklyn; Miss Gertrude Kimball, of Brooklyn; Mr. and Mrs. William Hallock, of Brooklyn.

The church was decorated with palms, daisies, and pink hydrangeas which were arranged in an artistic manner about the platform, pulpit and front of the church.

The decorations at the house were very pretty and consisted of palms, daisies and white peonies.

The gifts were numerous and valuable and included silverware, furniture, and many others, useful and ornamental. The gifts by the bride to the bridesmaids were dainty little stick pins. The ushers all received handsome scarf pins from the groom.

The departure of the newly married couple was not according to the programme. While their friends were awaiting them at the front door, the couple silently departed through the second story window with the aid of a ladder and a friend outside. They took another carriage, theirs having been decorated with white by the guests, and took a late train for New York. Their destination is a secret. The guests did not know of the departure of the couple until they were gone and so the showers of rice that had been prepared were not used.

After their return from the wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Kimball will take up their residence at 829 Park avenue.

MUCH INVOLVED ACTION.

HEIRS OF ONE ESTATE SUING EXECUTOR OF ANOTHER ESTATE.

Morgan Turton and Wife, Having Established a Disputed Will Drawn Their Favor, Seek to Recover Other Monies.

Morgan Turton and wife, of this city, are the interested parties complainant in a case to which the Newark newspapers are giving prominence. It is a suit brought by the estate of Catharine Craig against the estate of John A. Young. It will be remembered that the Turtons won a great victory in establishing an irregular will made in their favor a few days before her death by Mrs. Craig. Mrs. Craig had previously made a will leaving everything to John A. Young, and the latter engaged R. V. Lindabury to fight the case. Craig A. Marsh represented the Turtons and established the will. It came out in the trial that Mr. Young had from time to time received from Mrs. Craig upwards of $3,000 which he deposited in the Provident Savings Institution of Jersey City, entering the account in his name as Trustee for Catharine Craig. He swore that Mrs. Craig had made presents to him of all this money. Mr. and Mrs. Turton do not believe that Mrs. Craig did anything of the kind, and they therefore instructed their lawyer to bring suit to recovey the money which Mr. Young received, and which he admitted he had spent for purposes of his own.

Mr. Young died about a year ago and this suit was brought in the Court of Chancery against his executor. It is now being tried at Newark before Vice Chancellor Stevens. Compound interest is claimed for more than ten years on the ground of the alleged breach of trust.

THIEVES MADE A HAUL.

HOUSE OF CHARLES YOUNG IN WESTFIELD, ROBBED.

Attempts to Enter Three Other Residences Yesterday Morning—The Inmates Were Aroused and the Burglars Ran Away.

Burglars entered the house of Chas. Young, corner of Park and Summit avenues, Westfield, early yesterday morning, and carried off a quantity of money and jewelry. The thieves made their entrance through a front parlor window, and visiting the sleeping rooms, ransacked clothing and overhauled the contents of closets and bureau drawers. From the clothing of Mr. Young, $1.10 in cash and a gold watch and chain, valued at $80, were taken.

The work of the intruders was so quietly done that none of the family received any intimation of the robbery until they arose for breakfast yesterday morning.

At the house of W. C. Ferrar, on Westfield avenue, the burglars attempted to effect an entrance through a parlor window, about 1 a. m., and finding the fastenings too secure, unlocked the front door with a skeleton key, and were sawing a chain upon the inside of the door when the noise awakened Mrs. Ferrar.

She aroused her young son, Walter, who raised his bed-room window and yelled lustily for help. The boy's cries aroused tne neighbors, but the burglars took to their heels and escaped before any measures could be taken to capture them.

Attempts were made a short time afterwards to gain an entrance to the house of Frank Smith and A. K. Jones, on Summit avenue, but at both places the inmates were aroused and the burglars left hastily without accomplishing their design.

REFORMED SYNOD'S SESSION.

Dr. C. M. Fritts, of Fishkill, is Elected President.

Two hundred delegates attended the first session of the annual synod of the Reformed Church of America, in the Dutch Reformed church, at Asbury Park, yesterday. There were represented the four branch synods of Albany, New Brunswick, Chicago and New York. The session was called to order by the retiring president, Rev. Dr. John B. Thompson, and after the synod was constituted, Rev. Charles M. Fritts, of Fishkill, N. Y., was elected president, and Rev. Dr. John Scudder was chosen vice-president.

Five Months in Prison.

Judge McCormick, in the Union county Court, yesterday, sentenced George Stevens, Adam Glassen, Harry Stevens and Gustave Snyder to five months each in State Prison. These are the young men from Newark who stole brass journals valued at $80 from freight cars of the Lehigh Valley Roilroad Company and sold the brass to a Newark junk dealer. They pleaded guilty.

—The Middlesex Board of Freeholders increased the annual budget by $6,500, yesterday.

CUP'S TELLTALE FALL.

A BURGLAR'S MISSTEP SAVED A. C. PICARD FROM HEAVY LOSS.

Two Daring Men Had Prepared to Steal $2,000 Worth of Harness as Well as a Horse or Two to Carry the Booty Away.

A burglar's misstep and consequent knocking of a tin cup to the floor in in the barn of A. C. Picard, of 922 Central avenue, probably prevented the latter from being made the victim of a thieving haul of property to the amount of at least $2,000, and possibly more, early yesterday morning.

Mr. Picard has only been a resident of this city for a month past, and when he moved here he brought a number of high-bred horses, as well as an extensive line of harnesses and other horse trappings. The horses and other property were kept in the barn in the rear of his residence, where the second man slept at night.

Early yesterday morning the second man was awakened out of a sound sleep by the rattling sound made by a tin cup falling to the floor from a water pail. He listened intently for a moment and thought he heard someone moving about the barn floor.

"Is that you, 'Gene," yelled the second man from the upper floor, believing that he was addressing the coachman who sleeps in the house, but whom he thought had come to the barn for some purpose.

There was no answer to the query, but instead Picard's employe heard the soft patter of feet as they hurried across the barn floor. He jumped out of bed suspicious that everything was not all right and just as he did so he heard a crash as if someone had broken open the front doors of the barn by main force. He rushed to the window and saw the two men disappear over the fence of a neighboring backyard.

An investigation made later by Mr. Picard and his two men showed that the burglars had prepared to make an extensive haul. Harness to the value of $2,000 had been removed from the barn and piled up in the yard evidently ready to be loaded into a wagon hurriedly and taken away. It was found that the burglars had even unbuckled the halters on one or two of the horses with the probable intention of hitching them to a wagon and making off with their booty, horses and all, in this way. The misstep of one of the depredators, however, had sent all their plans amiss.

WILSON TO HANG TODAY.

One Hundred G. A. R. Men to Guard Morristown's Jail.

Sheriff Edgar F. Durling has completed all arrangements for the hanging of David Wilson, the colored murderer, in the Morris County Jail today. Wilson brutally chopped his wife to death in a Morristown tenement.

Van Hise, the hangman, will use the same scaffold on which young Clawson was hanged in Somerville two weeks ago. The condemned man was visited by his spiritual adviser, the Rev. Mr. Anderson, and said he had made his peace with God.

There will be about 100 G. A. R. men on the outside of the jail as a guard during the execution.

A Hospitable Hostess.

We have no authority to speak for the ownership of Johnston Park, but the public spirit of the mistress of that fair demesne has been plainly demonstrated by her activity in the work of the Town Improvement Society during the past year, and now is shown more than ever by the zeal of her labors for the approaching fete. Moreover, we know whereof we speak, when we say that it is the hope and wish of that mistress to welcome to the beautiful grounds about her home the honest toilers of our town, the mechanics from the shops and factories, with their families, to help them to enjoy the pleasures of the day and of the evening. The Press applauds this noble hospitality and earnestly calls for a hearty response from the people.

Intend to Raise $1,000.

A meeting of the Woman's Foreign Mission Society of the First Baptist church was held yesterday afternoon in the Sunday-school room of the church. The president, Mrs. Linda Butler, was in charge and several letters were read from foreign missionaries, also a number of missionary leaflets. The collection amounted to about $30 for the first quarter. It is the intention of the society ta raise $1,000 this year, so that at the end of the year, which will close the twenty-fifth year of the society, a grand silver jubilee can be celebrated.

Slander Suit Adjourned.

The slander suit of Neal against Sherman, which was to come up for trial in the Union county district court this week, has been adjourned indefinitely at the request of the plaintiff's counsel.

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THIEVES FIRE FIENDS?

BARD BICYCLE COMPANY BURNED OUT IN WESTFIELD.

The Flames Got Too Much Headway and All the Firemen Could Do Was to Save Adjoining Property—Loss About $5,000.

The store of the Bard Cycle Company, on Elm street, Westfield, was discovered to be on fire at 12:35 this morning. The alarm was sounded and the firemen responded promptly, but the building which is a one-story frame structure was soon a mass of flames and little could be done by the firemen beyond preventing the spread of the fire. About thirty high grade wheels and a full stock of sundries that were in the store were destroyed. The loss upon stock is estimated at $3,000, covered by insurance. The butcher shop of Martin Snyder, in the same building, was slightly damaged by smoke and water. The building, which is owned by James T. Pierson, was damaged to the amount of $1,500. The fire started at the rear of the Bard company's store on the side towards the railway station. Its origin is unknown, but suspicions are entertained that the store was robbed of a number of wheels and then fired by the thieves to conceal the evidence of their work. George L. Colgate, of the Bard Cycle Company, states that several facts which have come to his notice, since the fire indicate that the place was robbed.

At 12:15, a few minutes previous to the fire, James Dougherty passed along Elm street, and when near the Bard Company's store saw two men run around the side of the building and disappear in the vacant lot at the rear. When about a block away from the store he heard a crash and the sound of falling glass. A few minutes afterward the fire was discovered. Wm. Archbold was on Elm street at midnight and saw two men in a wagon drive several times slowly around the block, and once stop near the Bard Company's store. When they saw themselves watched, they at once drove on. It is not unlikely that a number of wheels were taken from the store and placed in this wagon and the place then fired. Fred C. Decker, a fireman, had his left hand badly cut by falling glass while attempting to force open a front door in the burning building. Dr. R. R. Sinclair stitched and bandaged the wound and Decker was excused from further active duty.

BLUE LAW ENDS DAMAGE SUIT.

A Justice Holds that a Wheelman Riding on Sunday Has No Recourse.

The case of Crane against Hetfield, to recover damages sustained by the plaintiff as a result of a bicycle collision, was dismissed by Justice of the Peace Collins, in Westfield. The parties were riding bicycles along South avenue on Sunday, and Hetfield ran into Crane, damaging his wheel to the extent of $25, as claimed.

Justice Collins held that if a person sustains damages at the hands of another while he is committing an unlawful act, he cannot recover for the damages sustained. Under the Vice and Immorality Act, known as the Sunday law, "all dancing, fiddling, hunting, gunning, sporting, traveling, etc., are offences against the Christian Sabbath. As the plaintiff was violating the statute law of the State in traveling on Sunday, the Justice held he had no right to recover.

The case will probably be appealed.

CADETS TO ACT AS SENTINELS.

A Military Display to Be Made at the Fete Champetre.

It is going to be a wonderful event, that Fete Champetre which is to be held on the ground of John Taylor Johnston's place on East Front street, Saturday. As the time approaches when the Fete is to begin, new facts are learned concerning it. The ladies in charge have thought of everything, it seems. One idea, taken from the World's Fair, is the establishment of uniformed sentinels and guides all over the grounds who can direct the visitors where they wish to go. The Plainfield High School cadets have accepted the invitation to act in such a capacity. The cadets will be distributed around the regular beats, armed with musket and uniformed. They are on duty for a time when they will be relieved by others of the cadets and so on. The officers will have charge of the posting of the sentinels.

Taken to State Prison.

Sheriff Kirk took three prisoners from the county jail to State prison, yesterday morning. They were "Joe, the Italian," and Mary, the "Big Fat Woman," both of Westfield, who were sentenced to the State prison for keeping disorderly houses, and Joseph Ellis, who pleaded guilty to assault and battery on his wife. Each of the trio went to prison for one year.

REGALIAS PRESENTED.

BIG TIME AT IONA COUNCIL MEETING LAST NIGHT.

Great Sachem David Peterson, of Camden, Made the Presentations, After Which There Was a Pleasant Social Time Had.

The occasion that called the members of Iona Council, Degree of Pocohontos, together last evening was indeed a pleasant one. The feature of the meeting was the presentation of regalias to eight Past Pocohontas', Mrs. William Newcorn, Mrs. Westphal, Mrs. Stiglitz, Mrs. Richter, Mrs. Radin, Mrs. Holstein, Mrs. Weigmann, Mrs. Stephany. The present is a silk velvet collar covered with gold braid and is something very fine. William Westphal called on William Newcorn to make the presentations, but the latter in a very neat speech called on Great Sachem David Peterson, of Camden, to perform the duty. Mr. Peterson is an orator of note and his remarks were appropriate to the occasion. At the conclusion of his speech he presented each of the above women with a regalia as they were standing in a semi-circle about the platform.

During the evening there were several piano solos by Mrs. Canfield, and interspersing these numbers the members and their friends indulged in dancing music, which was furnished by Sam. Frazee. Supper was served at midnight and dancing was continued until early this morning.

Among the state officers present were Great Sachem David Peterson, Great Keeper of Records D. M. Stevens, of Camden; Great Senior Sagmor Wm Smyth, of Long Branch; Great Junior Sagmore Wm. Stiles, of Atlantic City; District Deputy Mrs. Coleman and Mrs. Madden, of Elizabeth At the meeting previous to the social features, remarks were made by the above officers.

The committee having in charge the affair consisted of Mrs. Westphal, Mrs. Holstein, Mrs. Bowman, Mrs. Weigmann, Mrs. Dodwell.

TAX BILLS NOT ALL OUT.

WHEN THEY ARE THERE WILL BE SOME SURPRISES.

Collector Cird Still Has 700 Bills to Be Sent Out—They Range From Small Amounts to $600—Much Dissatisfaction.

A number of people in Plainfield have been congratulating themselves that they are not affected by the Martin Act which is to be enforced at an early date. It might be well for those people to know that at present there are about seven hundred tax bills in the office of Collector Bird that have not been sent out.

These bills are for amounts ranging from a few dollars to $600, and it is possible that the ones who have been feeling easy in the matter may be affected to a considerable extent. Owing to the fact that there are so many bills it has been impossible for the collector to send them all out, and then it is impossible to learn the whereabouts of those for whom they are intended. The fact that only a portion of the bills were sent out has led some people to think that there were no more to be served and that they do not come under the Act.

It is probable that the bills will be referred to the Commissioners who are to serve under the Martin Act and that it will be their duty to hunt up the people who should have them.

It seems to be the general opinion that the city council should have taken no action in this matter until all of the bills were served. This would give every one an opportunity to prepare for what is coming.

WOULD NOT OBEY THE LAW.

So Fannie Bush Was Committed to the Industrial Home.

After several futile attempts Fannie Bush, the sixteen-year-old girl, who has caused the police of the city such trouble, has been committed to the State Industrial Home for Girls.

Two weeks ago, Fannie was arraigned before the City Judge for calling names, cursing and being otherwise disorderly. She was defiant and told the Judge that she had been arrested before and expected to be arrested again. Unable to pay the fine the Judge imposed, she went to the county jail for a term of forty days.

When she went to jail before, there was an effort made to have her committed to the Industrial Home, but it failed through her mother's efforts. Yesterday, Fannie was brought before Judge McCormick, in Elizabeth, and committed by him after an examination. She said that she was glad to go as she had not been treated as she ought at home.

—A special meeting of the members of Warren Engine Company will be held this evening.

WHEELMEN'S NEW HOME

THE CRESCENT'S OWN CLUB HOUSE NOW PRACTICALLY ASSURED.

Already a Considerable Sum of Money For Stock Has Been Promised—Committee Appointed to Push the Matter Along.

A suitable club house for the Crescent Wheelmen near the Crescent Oval is assured. The movement in favor of such a building was exclusively noted in the Daily Press several days ago. A meeting of the Board of Directors of the wheelmen was held in their present quarters on West Second street, last evening, at which the plans were discussed.

It was the regular meeting of the Directors and the question of the new club house was the principal business of the meeting. It has long been the ambition of the solid members of the club to have a club house near the track that would be an honor to the club and to the city as well.

The promoters of the new scheme have been at work among the members, of whom there are now eighty in good standing. Among them $800 was pledged with the promise of more when all had been consulted. It is proposed to have the shares valued at $5 each, of which each member shall own at least one.

The matter was left in the hands of a committee composed of Edward White, chairman, ex-Judge William A. Coddington, Judge George W. De-Meza, Councilmen Tunis J. Carey and L. B. Woolston. They were empowered to secure plans for the new clubhouse, to get new members and see the old ones in regards to the amount of their subscription of stock. They are also to see to the question of suitable grounds on which the proposed clubhouse is to be situated. It is thought that the structure can be built and equipped for $3,500, half of which will be raised by subscription and the other half to remain on mortgage.

It is the intention to disband the club and immediately reorganize, every member thus becoming a stockholder in the club.

Another meeting will be held next Wednesday evening, at which time the committee will report and the plans for the house decided upon. The building of the clubhouse will be started at once after that meeting, and it is hoped to have the same ready for occupancy by August 15th.

RECEPTION TO PASTOR AND MOTHER

German Lutheran Church Members Indulge in Sociability.

Mrs. Augusta Eyme, mother of Rev. H. Eyme, pastor of St. Peter's German Lutheran church, arrived in this city recently from Germany to make her home with her son who resides at 161 Duer street. Last evening the Ladies' Aid Society of the church passed a very pleasant evening with their pastor and his mother. The occasion was also the celebration of the fiftieth birthday anniversary of Mrs. Eyme, which made the event still more enjoyable. Previous to last evening the women of the church had not given their pastor a reception and this was a feature combined with the other portion of the programme.

A supper was served after which the guests departed wishing Mrs. Eyme many returns of the day and their pastor many years of success and happiness. Those present were Mrs. Zeisz, Mrs. Scheidecker, the Misses Scheidecker, Mrs. Schantz, Mrs. Koch, Mrs. Hunnaf, Mrs. Sutterlein, Mrs. Beitell, the Misses Beitell, Mrs. Conover, Miss Conover, Mrs. Frey, Mrs. Voegel, Mrs. Ficke, Mrs. Stenzenberger, Mrs. Schemp, Mrs. Seybelt, of Plainfield; Mrs. Schaefer, of Somerville; Miss Wetter, of Staten Island.

Captain of the Victors.

The race between the boat crews of the divisions of the Batallion of the East of the New Jersey Naval Reserves was held at the regetta on the Passaic river, Monday afternoon. The race was easily won by the crew from the Third or Engineering Division. Walter B. Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, was captain of the victorious crew and pulled in the cutter in the race. The Second Division was second. This is the third race and third victory for the Third Division crew, which is composed of students at the Stevens' Institute of Technology, at Hoboken.

Standard Oil Company Wants Jersey Farm.

The Standard Oil Company, it is said, have offered $20,000 to John Hunt, of Plainsboro, for his farm, which extends along the Pennsylvania Railroad. Plainsboro is a small station fourteen miles from here. The farm consists of 200 acres. Mr. Hunt wants $40,000. The company will give him until Thursday to accept their offer, and in case of his refusal will endeavor to secure land at Monmouth Junction. Their plans are not known here.

ABOUT ARBITRATION

Meeting of the Members of the International Conference.

REPRESENTATIVE PEOPLE PRESENT.

Speeches Made by Distinguished Men and Women on the Subject—A Permanent Peace Tribunal Strongly Urged.

Mohonk Lake, N. Y., June 3.—The third annual conference on international arbitration began in this city with the largest opening attendance in the history of the conference. The recent rejection of the arbitration treaty by the senate was the subject of energetic discussion, and the question of the next step will enlist the attention of the conference during the week. The gathering includes representative and influential men and women from all parts of the country.

Hon. George F. Edmunds was elected president of the conference and Edwin D. Mead secretary. The executive committee members are Samuel B. Capen, Robert Treat Paine and Rev. D. F. Trueblood of Boston, Judge Stiness of Providence, Professor John B. Clark and Judge Learned of New York, Judge Ashman of Philadelphia, Hon. W. L. Wilson of West Virginia and President Slocum of Colorado college.

Mr. Edmunds, in opening the conference, contrasted the hope of last year with the disappointment over the rejection of the arbitration treaty. "But there is no occasion for discouragement. Senates come, and senates go, and we shall have a senate that will ratify a treaty representing the best thought and conscience of the nation. This is a government of public opinion, and it is for us to create a public opinion in behalf of international reason and justice which shall secure them."

He touched upon some unfortunate circumstances in the time when the treaty was submitted and spoke confidently of the future.

A Permanent Tribunal Urged.

Edward Everett Hale spoke upon the unsatisfactory character of diplomacy and urged a permanent tribunal to deal with international questions as the courts now deal with state and personal questions.

Dr. Trueblood reviewed the year, noticing, with the disappointments, the gains which the cause of arbitration has made. Edwin D. Mead spoke of the mischiefs resulting from the prejudice against England in this country and the means of counteracting them. In the evening there were addresses by Judge Alden Chester, Hon. W. M. Jones and Hon. John S. Gilbert of New York, George S. Hale of Boston, President Dreher of Roanoke college, Rev. C. H. Payne and others.

Insurance Company Brings Suit.

Topeka, June 3.—The Metropolitan Life Insurance company of New York has instituted a suit in the circuit court of the Unite States against Webb McNall, state insurance commissioner, claiming $100,000 damages. One-half of this amount is asked because McNall revoked or attempted to revoke the company's license to do business in Kansas and the other because he is alleged to have libeled the company in publishing interviews. The suit is against McNall as an individual, not as an officer of the state. This is the third damage suit against McNall. Some time ago the New York Life and Mutual Life of New York sued for $20,000 each.

Held For Counterfeiting.

Syracuse, June 3.—John A. King was examined before United States Commissioner Northrup on a charge of counterfeiting and held to await the action of the United States grand jury, which convenes Sept. 21 at Buffalo. King's alleged crime consisted of painting in water colors, while confined in Onondaga penitentiary on a charge of intoxication, a picture containing the reproduction of a $5 note. He also painted a cancelled stamp on an envelope and gave both to his keeper. King conducted his own defense. Commissioner Northup acknowledged that the prisoner had no criminal intent, but said that the law was strict.

To Preach Socialism.

Denver, June 3.—Three men will start out from Denver in a wagon, on which are painted the words, "Co-operative Commonwealth Van," to preach revolutionary socialism in every part of Colorado and prepare the way for the inauguration of Eugene V. Debs' co-operative commonwealth. The Colorado missionaries are James Hogan, vice president of the American Railway union; N. T. Griest of Denver and William Holmes of Chicago.

Arrested, Charged With Murder.

Jamestown, N. Y., June 3.—Fred Romer of Sinclairville has been arrested, charged with the murder of Axel Lawson. Fred Page of Fredona, who was with Romer on the night of the murder, will also be placed under arrest as soon as found. A watch said to have been carried by Axel Lawson was found at a Fredona jewelry store. It was left there by Romer and Page. Lawson's watch was stolen the night he was murdered.

Prominent Man Killed by Cars.

Atlantic City, June 3.—E. R. Sproul, president of the Fruit Growers' union of Hammonton, was instantly killed last night by a south bound express train on the West Jersey railroad. Sproul was in a wagon and while attempting to cross the tracks was struck. Deceased was an old resident and prominent business man.

Infant's Body Picked Up.

Sandy Hook, N. J., June 3.—Captain Mulligan of Seabright life saving station picked up on the beach the body of an infant wrapped up in cotton and very much decomposed.

Chicago Woman Gets an Office.

Chicago, June 3.—Corporation Counsel Thornton has selected Miss Cora B. Hertzel, an attorney, as his assistant. She is the first woman to receive such an appointment in this city.

Weather Predictions.

Partly cloudy weather, with prospects of thunder showers in the interior; slightly warmer; southeast to south winds.

SATISFACTORY WORK

More Headway on the Tariff Bill Than In Any Other Session.

QUESTION ABOUT CONFIRMATIONS.

The Postal Congress Takes Up the Consideration as to What Articles Shall Be Kept Out of the Mails.

Washington, June 3.—The senate made greater progress on the tariff bill than in any session since the debate opened, completing more than half of the important metal schedule.

The speaking was by the Democratic senators, the Republican senators taking no part in the debate except at rare intervals to answer questions which would expedite the advance of the bill. Messrs. Jones of Arkansas and Vest of Missouri urged numerous amendments, embodying in the main the Wilson rates, but these were rejected with only one exception. This exception related to anvils, on which Mr. Vest secured a reduction of the committee rate from 2 to 1¾ cents per pound. It was the first change made without the assent of the committee, and it was due mainly to the listless manner of many senators in voting.

Mr. Tillman of South Carolina secured the adoption of a resolution directing the judiciary committee to inquire into the recent decisions against the South Carolina dispensary law, with a view to reporting such legislation as might be desirable.

In executive session, the senate spent some time in discussing whether confirmations should be delayed because of the absence of a senator opposing them. The question arose in connection with the appointment of J. O'B. Schopey to be receiver and F. G. Deckabach to be register of the land office at Olympia, Wash. Senator Pettus objected to their confirmation, saying that Senator Turner, who is absent from the city, had requested that the nominations be held up until his return. Without settling the principle involved, the senate allowed the nominations to go over.

Senator Turner objects to the confirmation of these nominees because their predecessors were removed from office, which he claims was an unjustified procedure on the part of the executive.

— Session of Postal Congress.

Washington, June 3.—The universal postal congress held a long session and decided to restrict insects, dried leaves, etc., and other curios for scientific purposes allowed transmission in the international mails to those sent to recognized scientists or scientific museums. A few days ago the congress had the matter up for discussion and gave these articles practically unlimited admissibility. Attention was called to the abuse to which the privileges would be subjected for commercial purposes, and satisfactory restrictions were imposed. It was also decided to allow advertisements like cuts of hotels and sketches of scenery to be placed on the address side of international postal cards.

Nominations Confirmed.

Washington, June 3.—The senate in executive session confirmed the following nominations: John M. Ewing of Wisconsin to be deputy auditor for the navy department and John G. Thompson of Illinois to be assistant attorney general.

Rubber Company's Dividend.

New York, June 3.—A dividend of 2 per cent has been declared on the preferred stock of the United States Rubber company, payable July 15, from the earnings of the company for the fiscal year beginning April 1. The company has decided to reduce the prices of boots and shoes, and, it was announced, owing to the general depression in business, the directors thought it prudent to declare a smaller dividend than usual at this time. When the next dividend period is reached, six months from now, the earnings for the year, it is stated, can be better determined.

The Usual Complaint.

Grand Rapids, June 3.—Prominent local and surrounding growers predict for Michigan a peach crop this year that will not equal 10 per cent the usual yield. Extreme and prolonged cold and wet weather are responsible for the situation. Curls on trees are dropping off at an alarming rate, and with present conditions nothing can be done to stay the disaster.

Defrauding the City of Boston.

Boston, June 3.—The jury in the superior criminal court, before whom J. Richard Mulrey, formerly a clerk in the paving department of the city of Boston, and Thomas F. Finnegan, a contractor, have been tried on charges of larceny from the city by means of false entries, returned a verdict of guilty.

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Mrs. E. Knott is a resident of Newark. Her address is 95 Academy street, where she has a little vegetable and grocery store. Mrs. Knott is seventy-two years of age, and kidney trouble has made the work of attending to her little store a burden. She says:

"For a number of years I have been very bad at times, and during the past year I have grown worse. The stooping over and lifting in my store nearly broke me down. I could hardly sleep at night, and the only position in which I could get any relief was flat on my back. I even found it painful to rise after sitting any length of time. Every little exertion or the slightest cold affected the kidneys and would settle in the back. It would cause retention to the urine also. I began to take Doan's Kidney Pills for my trouble, and grew much better. Continuing their use I got entirely over my trouble. I derived so much benefit from Doan's Kidney Pills that I have recommended them to many friends and shall always do so in the future."

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They Deface Monuments In the Old Granary Grounds at Boston.

Boston, June 3.—It has been discovered that relic hunters had been getting in their work in the old Granary burying grounds, and several of the ancient gravestones show the effects of the vandalism. The work was evidently done on Memorial day, when the grounds were open for inspection by the public.

The stones that attracted the relic hunter or hunters were those over the graves of Paul Revere, John Hancock and Governor Increase Sumner, and each one was clipped as if by a hammer.

The stone at Paul Revere's grave had one piece about two inches long taken out near the base, and one of the corners was chipped off.

The stone over Governor Sumner's grave was treated in like manner, and the marks of the hammer were plainly to be seen.

EXPLOSION ON SHIPBOARD.

Austrian Man-of-War Seriously Damaged While Saluting.

Lisbon, June 3.—During an exchange of salutes an ill closed breech caused an explosion on the Austrian man-of-war Wien. The shock was terrific. One of the gunners was killed, and several others were severely injured. The barbette was completely destroyed.

The Wien is a steel coast defense ship of 5,550 tons displacement and 8,500 horsepower. She is 305 feet long and 55 feet 9 inches in the beam. She is driven by two propellers and has a maximum draft of 21 feet.

She was built at Trieste in 1895 at a cost of £339,062. She has four torpedo tubes, four 9.4-inch guns, six 5.9 quick firing guns, fourteen 47-mm. quick firing guns and two machine guns. She has a speed of 17 knots.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At New York—

New York	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0—4
Louisville	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	5—7

New York—Hits, 8; errors, 3. Louisville—Hits, 7; errors, 1.

At Brooklyn—

Brooklyn	0	1	0	0	5	3	0	1	*—10
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—1

Brooklyn—Hits, 11; errors, 2. St. Louis—Hits, 8; errors, 5.

At Philadelphia—

Philadelphia ..	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1—2
Pittsburg	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	1—5

Philadelphia—Hits, 6; errors, 3. Pittsburg—Hits, 11; errors, 2.

At Baltimore—

Baltimore	0	0	0	5	2	1	1	1	*—10
Cincinnati	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—4

Baltimore—Hits, 15; errors, 1. Cincinnati—Hits, 7; errors, 2.

At Washington—

Washington ...	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	0—5
Chicago	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2—6

Washington—Hits, 10; errors, 6. Chicago—Hits, 8; errors, 1.

At Boston—

Boston	8	6	0	2	2	0	0	3	*—21
Cleveland	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—3

Boston—Hits, 20; errors, 2. Cleveland—Hits, 5; errors, 4.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C
Baltimore	24	8	.750
Cincinnati	23	12	.657
Boston	21	12	.636
Pittsburg	19	12	.613
Cleveland	17	15	.531
New York	15	14	.517
Philadelphia	17	18	.486
Brooklyn	17	16	.515
Louisville	16	16	.500
Chicago	12	22	.353
Washington	9	22	.290
St. Louis	6	29	.171

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

The Masonic grand lodge of New York elected W. A. Sutherland grand master.

President McKinley opened the international commercial congress in Philadelphia.

Letter Carrier Harris of Baltimore killed two of his children, wounded another and shot himself.

The Hotel Irving, at Lake Bluff, Ills., the Methodist camp meeting grounds, was destroyed by fire. The loss is $75,000.

White cappers in Lamar county, Ala., whipped two negro women and shot to death a negro named John Hayden, whom they mistook for another who had incurred their displeasure.

A constable ejected the family of Bert Crowley at St. Joseph, Mo., because the rent was not paid, and of the six children, who were down with the measles, five died, and the other will die.

The Atlantic Transport line steamship Massachusetts, from New York, May 22, for London, ran down the fishing smack Welcome of Plymouth, and four of the crew of the smack were drowned.

The president has signed the act amending the act relative to procuring steamers for the transportation of grain to the starving poor of India so as to permit the navy department to utilize a ship of foreign register in the relief work.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western quiet and about steady; city mills patents, $4.80@5.05; winter patents, $4.60@4.90; city mills clears, $4.70@4.80; winter straights, $4.15@4.30.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened steady on higher cables and frost news, but subsequently eased off under realizing and foreign selling; June, 74 11-16@75c.; July, 73⅝@73⅞c.

RYE—Dull; No. 2 western, 37¼c.

CORN—No. 2 firmer on strong cables and frost damage; July, 28 15-16c.; September, 30c.

OATS—No. 2 dull and nominal; track, white, state, 25@31½c.; track, white, western, 25@31½c.

PORK—Steady; mess, $8.50@9; family, $9.50@10.50.

LARD—Dull; prime western steam, $3.80, nominal.

BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 10@14½c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Easy; state, large, 8@8¼c.; small, 7½@7¾c.

EGGS—Steady; state and Pennsylvania, 11@11½c.; western, 10@10½c.

SUGAR—Raw firm; fair refining, 2¾c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3¾c.; refined firm; crushed, 5¼c.; powdered, 4⅝c.

TURPENTINE—Firmer at 27@27¼c.

RICE—Steady; domestic, 4¼@6c.; Japan, 4¼@4½c.

TALLOW—Steady; city, 3c.; country, 3¼c.

HAY—Quiet; shipping, 50c.; good to choice, 65@75c.

SPAIN'S CABINET OUT

Canovas Gives Up the Fight With the Liberals.

CAUSED BY A PERSONAL ENCOUNTER.

The Duke of Tetuan Struck Professor Comas, a Liberal Member, and His Party Associates Refused to Attend.

Madrid, June 3.—Senor Canovas del Castillo has tendered to the queen regent the resignation of the cabinet, owing to the refusal of the Liberals to take part in the deliberation of the cortes.

This attitude of the Liberals is due to the personal encounter between the Duke of Tetuan, the minister for foreign affairs, and Professor Comas, a Liberal senator, on May 21, when the duke slapped the face of the senator after a heated debate on the Morgan belligerency resolution adopted by the United States senate.

After the meeting in the lobby of the senate between the Duke of Tetuan and Professor Comas the Liberal minority held a meeting, and ex-Premier Sagasta, the Liberal leader, was summoned to confer with his followers.

The Liberal senators and deputies eventually decided not to attend any more sessions of the cortes until full satisfaction had been accorded the Liberal party by the Duke of Tetuan.

A duel between the senator and the duke was proposed, but it was eventually abandoned.

The Duke of Tetuan tendered his resignation after the quarrel with Comas, but he withdrew it later on the advice of the premier, who, the personal question of the dispute having been settled by the seconds of the two parties deciding that a duel was not necessary, held that in view of the pending importance of international questions the ministry should not be disorganized.

On the following day the law students made a manifestation of sympathy in front of the residence of Senator Comas and then went to the house of the Duke of Tetuan and hooted that minister until they were dispersed by the police.

On May 24 the premier made statements in the senate and in the chamber of deputies in reference to the Tetuan-Comas difficulty, but they were not of a conciliatory nature, and the situation became still more unsatisfactory.

Conservatives Hold a Meeting.

After that day's session of the cortes the dissident Conservatives held a meeting and decided to ask the president of the chamber to enter into negotiations with Senor Sagasta with the view of inducing the Liberals to attend the meetings of the cortes, but their effort was fruitless.

Replying the same day in the senate to a question as to why the Liberals were absent, the premier said:

"In the opinion of the government the matter which the Liberals plead as an excuse for their absence from the senate is an incident of a purely personal character, which has already been arranged. The government respects the opinion of the Liberal minority, but it rejects their theory of the incident and their demands for the resignation of the minister for foreign affairs as being contrary to the constitution of parliament."

The cabinet which has just resigned was constituted as follows: President of the council, Senor Canovas del Castillo; minister for foreign affairs, the Duke of Tetuan; minister of justice, Count de Valdosera; minister of finance, Senor Navarro Reverter; minister of the interior, Senor Cos Gayon; minister of war, General Azcarraga; minister of marine, Admiral Beranger; minister of the colonies, Senor Castellano, and minister of agriculture, commerce and of public works, Senor Linares Rivas.

Missing Man's Body Found.

Gouverneur, N. Y., June 3.—The body of William Ashley, who disappeared on April 9, has been found in the upper part of the Gouverneur Wood Pulp company's pond, nine miles above this place. He was carried away in a log jam. Ashley had a sum of money in his possession and was an expert swimmer, and it was claimed at the time that he passed through the rapids safely and had afterward left the country.

Roosevelt Opens Naval War College.

Newport, R. I., June 3.—The Naval War college was formally opened, with an address by Hon. Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy. The address was delivered in the lecture room of the college. Among those present were Commodore Wallace and officers of the naval station, Colonel Pennington, commander of Fort Adams, and Commander McGowan of the naval training station.

Infirmary Destroyed by Fire.

Greenville, O., June 3.—Fire at the Darke County infirmary entirely destroyed the structure, only the bare walls remaining standing. Many helpless creatures are wandering about the farm, some of them partially insane. The city fire department was unable to control the flames. There was an insurance of $13,000. A temporary structure will be erected at once.

Bank Clerk Arrested.

St. Paul, June 3.—Charles Zchau, one of the two receiving tellers of the German American National bank, has been arrested at the instance of the bank officials on a charge of grand larceny, $13,600 in cash having disappeared on Saturday and an investigation having led to the belief that he had taken it. The clerk's bond amply covers the loss to the bank.

Memorial Bell Cast.

Troy, N. Y., June 3.—A memorial bell has been cast in this city for the United States revenue cutter Daniel Manning. It is the gift of the family of the deceased secretary of the treasury, after whom the cutter is named, and when completed will weigh 100 pounds. It is from the best of metal and will be highly polished.

Missouri Congressman Elected.

Hannibal, Mo., June 3.—James T. Lloyd has been elected to congress in the first district. While returns are still incomplete, Lloyd's election is conceded by the Republicans by from 4,500 to 5,000.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

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For Tonight and Friday Showers; Cooler Friday Night.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 62 Degrees.

THE HARMONY DINNER.

There is every reason why the Democrats of Union County should make a desperate effort to get together and act in unity. The proposition to hold a harmony dinner at some future date, as outlined in The Press yesterday, is one that no doubt will be prolific with good results if carried out in the spirit in which it is suggested.

LEGAL MUSS IN PROSPECT.

The intention of some property owners who come under the scope of the Martin Act to fight the enforcement of the provisions of the law, as relating to those properties against which there are claims previous to 1880, will make a legal muss such as Plainfield has probably never before seen.

Library Acquisitions.

Books added to the Public Library during May: Agassiz, Contributions to National History of U. S.; Allen, System of Human Anatomy; Appleton, Annual Cyclopædia, 1876; Appleton, Qualitative Chemical Analysis; Arnold, Death and Afterwards; Balzac, Katharine de Medici; Beebe, Home Occupations for Little Children; Binney, Mollusks of U. S.; Bourdellon, Niphete; Bowker, Guide to Economical, Social and Political Science; Brazza Savorgnan, An American Idyll; Brown, By Oak and Thorn; Cairns, Slave Power; Chambers, A King and a few Dukes; Channing, Study of American History; Combe, System of Phrenology; Conway, Woodcutters of the Netherlands; Dorr, Cathedral Pilgrimage; Douglas, Li Hung Chang; Dumas; Black Tulips; Dungleson, Practioner's Reference Book; Follett, Speaker of the House of Representatives; Ford, True George Washington; Fremont, Story of the Guard; Hammond, Diseases of the Nervous System; Harrison, Early Victorian Literature; Hooker, Medical Delusions; Hoamer, Life of Thomas Huthinson; Hurbert, Inventors; Jordan, Care and Culture of Men; Keasbey, Nicaragua Canal and Monroe Doctrine; King, War-time Wooing; Knapp, Feudal and Modern Japan; Lucy, Diary of Home Rule Parliament; McCurdy, History, Prophecy and the Monuments; McKay, American Actors of Today; Mitchell, W. Astronomy of the Bible; Mitchell, D. G. American Lands and Letters; Mombert, English Versions of the Bible; Mombert, Charles, the Great; New Jersey Board of Health, 20th annual report; New York State Library, 77th annual report; Norton, Poems; Paget, Surgical Pathology; Playfair, Science and Practice of Midwifery; Putnam, William, the Silent; Rowan, Island of Cuba; Salmon, Domestic Service; Sears, Governments of the World Today; Seelye; Citizenship; Small, Library of Congress; Smith, Obstebrics; Smithsonian Institute Annual Report; Stevenson, Weir of Herminston; Stowe, Life of H. B. Stowe; Tarbell, Early Life of Lincoln; Theuritt, Rustic Life in France; U. S. Medical and Surgical History of War of Rebellion; University of State of N. Y., State Library Bulletin; Van Dyke, Old Dutch and Flemish Masters; Whittle, Grover Cleveland; Wilson, Human Anatomy; Wrius, Liquor Problem in its Legislative Aspect; Wynne, Lives of Eminent Americans; Yriarte, Venice.

IMPROVING MIDDLESEX ROADS.

The Improved Highways to Connect With Union County System.

The Board of Freeholders at the meeting in New Brunswick yesterday afternoon placed $4,000 in the budget to gravel four miles of a country road from Monmouth Junction to Kingston. This will extend to the latter place the improved road from Trenton, through Lawrenceville and Princeton, and leave only about eight miles of unimproved road between Kingston and New Brunswick. From this city east the macadam road extends through Metuchen and connects with the Union county system. This eight mile gap will doubtless next receive the attention of the Freeholders and thus complete a system of excellent roads between Newark and Trenton.

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—Frederick W. Schwab was hurled from his wagon by a trolley car at Long Branch, yesterday. He escaped

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

F. W. Hebard is registered at the Vendome, Washington.

Harry Gwynett, of this city, has purchased a very fine English horse.

F. O. Ball, of Myrtle avenue, has returned from a trip to Baltimore and Washington.

Mrs. Frank Vanderhoff and son, of West Front street, are the guests of relatives in Newark.

William Pelletier, of La Grande avenue, returned last evening from a trip to Litchfield, Conn.

Miss Eleanor W. Kimball, of Orange, is a guest at the home of R. I. Richard son, of La Grande avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Clay make the Shoreham their headquarters while on a short visit at the Capital.

Former Mayor Charles Place, of the borough, returned home last evening from an extended trip in the west.

Mr. Loyd, of Philadelphia, is visiting at the home of his relatives, Mrs and Miss Clapp, of Mercer avenue.

Miss Emma Wadsworth, daughter of Charles E. Wadsworth, formerly of Plainfield, is visiting with friends in town.

Mrs. Peddie, a worker in one of the mission schools in Japan, is the guest of her sister, Miss F. F. Clark, of the Seminary.

Miss Grace Cooley, daughter of Martin I. Cooley, of Rockview Terrace, has gone to Boston for a long visit with friends.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Smalley will be held Saturday afternoon, June 5th, at 1 o'clock from the house on Manson place.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac L. Miller, of Watchung avenue, are planning a trip to Europe, expecting to sail the latter part of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dayton, of Jersey City, have returned home after a visit with Miss M. E. McLoughlin, of Somerset street.

Mrs. John Roumaine, of Jersey City, who has been visiting Miss M. E. McLoughlin, of Somerset street, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gordon Burton, of Philadelphia, are spending a few days at the home of Charles W. Burton, of Watchung avenue.

Miss Mae Brace, daughter of Professor Brace, of Trenton, who has been visiting Miss Sada Jones, of Kensington avenue, returned home this morning.

Miss Annie Irvington Keeler, of Camden, will be among the candidates for license as a counselor who will be examined at this term of the Supreme Court at Trenton.

Miss Anna Morgan, of New York, daughter of W. H. Morgan, the well-known artist, has returned home after a few days visit with Mrs. Geo. Voehl, of West Front street.

Miss Hattie W. Hall, of New York, and Miss Marie W. Kasmire, of Brooklyn, who have been visiting Mrs. Charles L. Moffett, of Arlington place, have returned home.

Mrs. Charles Scudder, of Newark, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Crosley, of the borough, returned home yesterday. Mrs. Crosley accompanied her.

County Superintendent Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson, of the W.C.T. U., together with several of the local members, went to Garwood yesterday afternoon and organized a Union at that place.

Walter. E. Probasco, of East Front street, has returned from his studies at the University of Pennsylvania on his summer vacation. He is accompanied by a college friend, Mr. Munson.

Gen. Wm. H. Sterling, the soldier's friend, has received notice from the Pension Department at Washington, that the claim of Benjamin Wright for increase of pension to $8 per month, has been granted.

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

—Neumann Bros., the Watchung avenue grocers, have had their delivery wagons repainted, and they make

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—Three hundred Orange carpenters are on strike for an eight hour day.

—John Carrs, of Weehawken, fell dead, yesterday, while sawing wood.

—"Neck and Neck" is the way Peck's spring ties and collars are going.

—Mr. Shotwell, of College place, is making a number of improvements to his house.

—The German Beneficial Society will hold its regular meeting on Monday evening.

—The monthly meeting of the Saenger and Turn Verein will be held this evening.

—The contract case of Brady against Lord has been adjourned in Justice Mosher's court for one week.

—The June term of the New Jersey supreme court opened Tuesday morning with sixty-seven cases on the list.

—Major-General Plume has ordered the New Jersey National Guard to emcamp at Sea Girt from July 12th to 31st.

—Miss Nancy Frost, fifty-two years old, committed suicide yesterday in Mendham. No cause is assigned for the act.

—Car. No. 8, of the street railway, broke down at Grant avenue yesterday and it required some time to mend the difficulty.

—Ex-soldiers and others of Cape May County are again agitating the building of a soldiers' monument at the county seat.

—The annual reception of Miss Addie Parker Jackson's classes in physical culture and rendering will be held at the Y. M. C. A. hall this evening.

—Work was started yesterday laying a stone walk on Grove street next to the Schepflin building. This improvement will be appreciated by a long-suffering public.

—A regular meeting of Perseverence Lodge, No. 14, Knights of Pythias, will be held tomorrow evening. The final preparations for the silver anniversary will be made.

—The death of Miss Rachael A. Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Job Clark, occurred yesterday at her late home in Rahway. She was seventy-three years of age. She was a cousin of James Clark, of this city.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. Julia Marfinz, who died of consumption at her home June 1st, will be held tomorrow morning from the house, 718 West Third street. Interment will be in Newark. Mrs. Marfinz leaves a husband and two children.

—The Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church are determined to have a new carpet for their church, and so they have planned to hold a strawberry and ice cream festival in the lecture room of the church next Thursday afternoon and evening, June 10th. An admission fee of ten cents will be charged.

Boys' Club Closed for the Summer.

The members of the Boys' Club pleasantly entertained their friends Monday evening at the clubhouse on Sycamore street. A programme was given by the boys, which consisted of a harmonica and banjo duet by Fred Frey and Clarence Walden, a recitation by Robert Goldsack, a mandolin solo by Fred Fren, a dance by Joseph Galbrath, a recitation by Robert Goldsack, a dance by Clarence Walden, and a song by Will Parson. The floor was cleared for gymnastic exercises and John Cline, John Butscher, Chas. Myers and Peter Rider gave exhibitions of some of the work of the classes in gymnastics. An exhibition of tumbling was given by John Cline, Charles Myers, Peter Rider, Joseph Galbrath and Clarence Walden. Remarks on the work of the year were made by W. B. Wadsworth and Olaf Saugstad, the superintendent of the club Ice-cream was served and one of the most enjoyable evenings in the history of the club was at an end. This entertainment closed the first year of the club in its new quarters, where the club will open again in October with the same and several new features.

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A Missionary Address.

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PASSING COMMENT.

In answer to a petition from the Woman's Club, of Orange, General Manager David Young of the Consolidated Traction Company has written the club a letter, stating that it is impossible for the company to enforce the rule forbidding expectorating on the floors of trolley cars. The manager promises, however, to have conductors prevent one person from occupying two seats or children from being seated while older passengers are standing.

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"Cack" Carter, who is known in the city directory as William Carter, is home again and still continues to glide about the quiet streets of Plainfield in his old accostomed way. He shows no traces of his rough handling in New Brunswick, for "Cack" is just as lively as ever. When you suggest New Brunswick to him, it never phases him, and he continues his remarks but without reference to that eventful night when he left Zimmerman's Hall, his hat and a howling pack of enraged darkies in the rear and vanished into the fabled darkness of New Brunswick. How he reached home he does not say for, "Cack" is a trifle reticent on that subject.

—The first annual picnic of Court South Plainfield, No. 1922, Independent Order of Foresters, will be held in Hindrick's Grove, South Plainfield Saturday June 19th.

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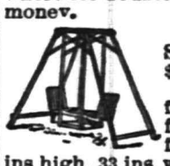

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Judge DeMeza, of Plainfield, was in town yesterday on business.

Mr. Bamberger, of Newark, called on his Dunellen friends yesterday.

Miss Lillian Staats has returned from a visit with friends in Newark.

Mrs. James Bailey, of Plainfield, spent yesterday with friends in town.

Miss Emma Beck, of Elizabeth, is visiting Mrs. J. E. Lowe for a few days.

After an absence of several months Miss May Giese has returned to her home.

Mr. Adams has been secured to conduct Mr. Stites's blacksmith business while the latter is confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. Charles Dickens went to New York yesterday to attend the wedding of her niece, Miss Elsie Baumueller, to E Gambol. The wedding was celebrated at the home of the bride's parents on Lafayette avenue.

It is reported on good authority that G. Elston Lowrie was seen in Dunellen one night recently. It is said that he called at his home and remained a few hours with his wife, and that he left before daylight

Among those who are mentioned as possibilities for the position of postmaster are Adam Dealaman, Mr. Gray, Charles Coriell, Geo. Huff, Thomas Todd, and Dr. Brakely. At present it is hard to tell who is in the lead for the plum.

One of the old landmarks in this vicinity is the office used by W. H. Cole, the popular coal dealer. Mr. Cole purchased the building eleven years ago and at that time there was no buildings of any account in Dunellen. The building has stood all kinds of weather and is just as good today as it was the day Mr. Cole bought it.

The term of Postmaster Staats will expire in September and already there are several aspirants for the office. While Mr. Staats has had the office the best of service has been given, and during the time there has not been one complaint made nor has an inspector been called to the office to straighten out any reports or difficulties. Mr. Staats has been assisted materially by his daughters, Mrs. J. W. Griggs and Miss Lillian Staats, and they have taken a personal pride in keeping the office as it should be.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Lynus Walpole has a new awning in front of his fruit store.

Mr. and Mrs. Braker spent Tuesday with friends in New York.

Goodwill Lodge, K. of P., meet in Castle Hall Thursday evening.

Mrs. John Warta is reported as very ill at her home on Prospect avenue.

Wm. Bacon, of Haverstraw, N. Y., spent Decoration Day with friends in town.

Loftus and Frank Hollingsworth spent Sunday and Monday with their parents.

Richard Robison entertained James McNair, of Brooklyn, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm Hosinger, of Plainfield, spent Memorial Day with Mr. Hosinger's mother.

A strawberry and ice cream festival will be held in the Baptist church, next Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott T. Collins, of Brooklyn, were the guests of Mr. Collins' parents for two days.

The Ladies' Circle of the Baptist church are arranging to hold an ice cream and strawberry festival on Wednesday evening next.

Wm. Hazell was one of the few in town who braved the mud and rain and rode his wheel to Milburn Decoration Day to witness the race.

Roy Day, who has charge of the news-stand at the station, expects to go to Long Branch about the middle of the month to take charge of the stand there during the summer.

Justice Clark married a young

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity.

Charles Smith, of Central avenue, is ill with measles.

Joseph Vought is spending a few days in Boston.

J. Fred Wherry, of Red Bank, was in town Tuesday.

John C. Henry is the guest of Octavius Knight, of Elm street.

The Westfield Township Comittee will hold a meeting tomorrow evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Alfred H. Scofield have returned from their wedding trip.

A. Kameneztky has enlarged his tailoring establishment on Broad street.

Mrs. G. Mooney, of Mountain avenue, is suffering from an attack of measles.

Harry Ryman, of Summit, is filling the position of assistant in Dr. T. R. Harvey's dental offices.

The Central Railroad Company is about to lay a new wooden pavement at the Broad street crossing.

Edward Boyd, who has been visiting G. Miller, of Mountainside, has returned to his home in Brooklyn.

Mrs. C. B. Peddie leaves for Europe on the Raymond excursion, next Wednesday, to be gone until Oct. 15th.

Westfield Lodge, No. 169, I. O. O. F., will give its members a smoker and entertainment some evening this month.

Accounts of yesterday morning's burglaries, in Westfield, and also of the fire of this morning, will be found on the first page.

The Board of Education at its meeting Tuesday evening appropriated fifty dollars for the closing exercises of the high school graduating class.

The case of Wagner against Barton, on contract, was tried before Justice Hart yesterday, and the plaintiff was non suited. The defendant's counsel was Paul Q. Oliver.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will hold a strawberry tea at Gale's clubhouse this evening from 5 until 9 o'clock. The proceeds will go to the parsonage fund.

The J. S. Irving Company has been incorporated with a capital stock of $40,000, to carry on the coal and lumber business formerly conducted by Mr. Irving. The stockholders are J. S Irving, Arthur Irving and J. W. Crooks.

At the meeting of the I. O. S. held this evening at the residence of H. A. Knight, a debate will take place upon the question: "Resolved, That the English government is superior in form and operation to that of the United States."

Mrs. Samuel Clark, of this place, who was sent to the Elizabeth General Hospital, last Tuesday, has since undergone operations resulting in the removal of several tumors. Mrs. Clark is now improving, and the hospital surgeons report her chances for recovery as very good.

The Ladies' Sewing Society of the Presbyterian church will hold its annual strawberry and ice cream festival on the church lawn tomorrow afternoon and evening. From 8 until 10 o'clock a phonograph entertainment will be given in the lecture room in connection with the festival.

The names of the bride and groom have so far been kept a secret by all concerned.

Miss Anna D. Cooper, elocutionist, will give a recital in Scotch Plains School Hall, next Monday evening. The programme will also include renditions by Mrs. Eb. Hart, pianist, and Miss Carrie Dawes, a child soloist.

Owing to an error in the arrangement for the Memorial Day parade, the school children who had assembled at the school building were not notified of the arrival of the G. A. R. Post in time to participate in the general procession to the cemetery, so the children held a procession of their own, arriving at the cemetery in time to take part in the decoration of the graves.

Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company, Bucket and Engine Company, and the Jr. O. U. A. M., sent delegations to meet the members of the Plainfield G. A. R., who came to this place Monday to decorate the graves of their comrades, and escorted them them to the cemetery and back. At the cemetery an eloquent address was delivered by Rev. Dr. Parks, formerly of the Baptist church, and also a chaplain in the late war.

A successful strawberry and ice cream festival was held in Excelsior Hall, last evening, for the benefit of the Methodist Episcopal church. The attendance was large and the affair was a delightful one, socially. Much credit is due to the committee in charge, which was made up as follows: Mrs. Thomas Whitenack, Mrs. Delia Lyon, Mrs. Gibbs, Miss Lulu Hollingsworth, Miss Frentz, Miss Adams, Miss Bliss, Miss Poole, Rev. Mr. Winans, Charles Wade and William Hosel.

LINCOLN.

The following is a portion of S. D. Drake's address made on Memorial Day:

Friends and Fellow Citizens—We have gathered here this beautiful day to commemorate the memory of the fallen heroes of the War, and to take part in the ceremonies of dedicating a living monument to our martyred President, by building a town in his name. There are many things in life that I am thankful for, and some things that make my heart sad. One thing I am thankful for is that I lived in the days of Abraham Lincoln, and that I was old enough to be one of the 300,000 volunteers that he called for in 1861 to help crush out armed rebellion. The ceremonies today at Lincoln, in addition to observing Memorial Day for the dead soldiers, will be devoted to dedicating a living monument to our martyred President, Abraham Lincoln, and for any part I may take in this grand movement, I trust that my motives will not be misunderstood, and in after years when a mighty city shall have risen where now are seen waving fields of grain, it will be an honor to all who have attended these ceremonies. May God bless us all in our efforts to perpetuate the memory of Abraham Lincoln, the saviour of our country.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—The Central Railroad of New Jersey has issued their annual traveler's guide for seashore, lake and mountain. The book is a beautiful example of typographical art and is prepared in a manner to be very attractive to the pleasure seeker.

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Leave Scotch Plains. {6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m. / 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2.00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

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CLARK—In Rahway, June 2, Miss Rachael A. Clark, aged 73 years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Job Clark.
Funeral services from her late home, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished, house, No. 92 Duer street. Enquire on premises. 6 3 tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Reference. 45 Sandford avenue.

3 PLEASANT convenient rooms to let. 404 Third street, corner Central avenue. 6 1 6

FOR SALE—Carpets, furniture, and household goods, at 820 Third place. 4 21 tf

WANTED—Extra good colored cook and laundress, at 47 Washington avenue. 6 2 2

WANTED—For cash, a buggy; must be in good order. Give price and particulars. Address Buggy, care Press. 6 2 2

WANTED—Situation by a young married man, with good education; willing to work at anything; has good knowledge of horses. 339 East Third street. tf

WANTED—A reliable white girl for general housework. Reference required. Call 908 West Front street. 6 2 2

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WOULD like a few more table boarders. Also a large airy front room with board. 6 2 3

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A Columbia FREE!

A lady's Columbia Bicycle, 1897 Model, will be given to the winner in THE AMERICAN QUEEN competition, which will be open to all the subscribers to THE AMERICAN QUEEN until June 30, 1897.

The Columbia, the standard bicycle of the world, has been selected for this competition, because the publishers of THE AMERICAN QUEEN are convinced that it is the best and that the woman who wins it would have it in preference to any other make.

The Columbia is now on exhibition at our store, and will remain on exhibition until June 30th, when the competition will close and the Columbia will be awarded to the fortunate winner.

The contest which we have just inaugurated, by or through which some subscriber to THE AMERICAN QUEEN is already well under way.

The contest will remain open until June 30, 1897. The conditions and plan of this contest are simply these: We purpose presenting a Columbia Bicycle, 1897 Model, to the lady subscriber of THE AMERICAN QUEEN, for one week, for a family of five, to exceed 500 for the week. The subscriber who furnishes the *best menu*, for one week, for a family of five, the cost of such menu not to exceed $10 for the week, will be presented with the bicycle.

The merits of the menus submitted will be passed upon by the Editor of THE AMERICAN QUEEN, Miss Mary J. Bisland, and the person furnishing the best menu, in Miss Bisland's judgment, will be awarded the bicycle.

The menu submitted should be enclosed in one envelope and the name of the sender in another, the two being handed in or sent in together, addressed to us. The envelopes containing the menus will then be numbered and sent to Miss Bisland and the envelopes containing the names reserved by us, and when Miss Bisland makes her choice of the menus we will inform us of the number of the winner and she will inform us of the result in local newspapers and THE AMERICAN QUEEN.

The only requirement necessary to admit you to this contest is that you be a subscriber to THE AMERICAN QUEEN.

The menu submitted should become a reader of THE AMERICAN QUEEN. THE QUEEN is published at $1 a year, but to give all our friends a chance to get this splendidly useful home publication for the ensuing year and at the same time have a chance to become the proud possessor of the standard cycle, we shall until the 30th day of June receive subscriptions (only one, however, will be received from each family) for the nominal fee of 25 Cents a year. Come to the store at once, register your name, will fix their minds on good things to eat and mould them into an acceptable menu for the week, and at the same time keep the cost down to $10.

THE COMPETITION. Our aim in offering this competition is to have every lady we can reach with this announcement become a reader of THE AMERICAN QUEEN. THE QUEEN is published at the store and may be seen at any time.

We want everybody to feel free to go into this contest and we hope that hundreds of our customers will fix their minds on good things to eat and mould them into an acceptable menu for the week, and at the same time keep the cost down to $10.

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Today we place on sale one hundred dozen ladies' fine hose, high spliced heel and double sole, 14c. pair; regular value 25c.

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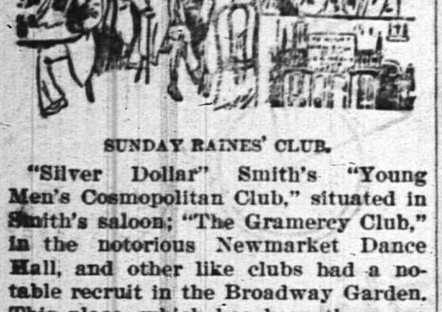
NEW YORK LETTER.

Each succeeding Sunday under the amended Raines law demonstrates beyond any shadow of doubt that the new law is a dismal and mirth-provoking failure—mirth-provoking for the saloon men and dismal for those whose duty it is to restrict the sale of liquor on the Sabbath Day. The statesmen who have predicted that the law would compel New Yorkers to go thirsty on Sunday or seek other more congenial climes are, like the doughty Douglass, defied. The ability of a saloonkeeper to misconstrue a law and convince those whose duty it is to enforce it that his construction is right would open the eyes of even those statesmen who make laws to meet conditions they are thoroughly unfamiliar with and prevail upon a Legislature to adopt them as the condensed wisdom of a Solon. The police have worked manfully to carry out the law, and they refuse to be held responsible for the evasions, and admit that they are powerless.

The first Sunday under the new law was comparatively dry, the second less so, and now all restrictions seem to have been swept away. The saloon men, after due cogitation, have found the loophole through which to crawl, and they have made wondrous use of the knowledge. Nearly all of the old Raines law hotels are now open, as in former days, and many saloonkeepers revived old clubs, with charters dating prior to May 23, 1897, and under the guise of running a club kept open house.



SUNDAY RAINES' CLUB.

"Silver Dollar" Smith's "Young Men's Cosmopolitan Club," situated in Smith's saloon; "The Gramercy Club," in the notorious Newmarket Dance Hall, and other like clubs had a notable recruit in the Broadway Garden. This place, which has been the scene of several raids by the police, and is the gathering place of many of the worst elements in the city, by some means managed to revive an old club with a sufficiently ancient license, and like the other places, is now open Sundays. A sign hanging over the cashier's desk announces that applications for membership in the club would be received by the cashier, who, it was learned, was also secretary and treasurer of the club.

When the Republican leaders insisted, against the protest of Lauterbach and the Republican organization in this city, in passing the Raines law amendments, it was suspected that they did so for the purpose of satisfying the demands of the country for a strong law yielding a big revenue, and at the same time so wording the amendments as to afford opportunity for evasion in case the city authorities did not care to make an honest effort to enforce the enactment. In other words, the Republican organization of the city, though obliged to accept an unpopular law, is given a chance to escape by the opportunities for lax enforcement. Whether the law is really adequate to stop liquor selling in illegal hours cannot be determined until an aggressive effort is made to enforce it, just as Roosevelt enforced the old Excise law when he first became President of th Police Board. Deputy Chief Cortright, indeed, says that he is satisfied with the way the police have enforced the new enactment, although he refers to the difficulty in dealing with notorious clubs which, having purchased old charters, are doing a regular liquor business under the guise of a regular club membership.

The Mayoralty contest has set out at such a lively pace that it is almost impossible to follow it. The control of Greater New York for four years will be a big thing for the party fortunate enough to capture it. The enlarged city will spend $70,000,000 a year and have 23,000 persons on its payrolls. One result seems to be foreshadowed by the early agitation that has started, and that is that no small man will be elected Mayor. Whatever his politics, the man himself must have a character measuring up to the dimensions of the great office. Nearly all the men thus far mentioned for the Mayorality are of the grade known as "first-class." Even "Lou" Payn names as his first choice Cornelius N. Bliss, Secretary of the Interior, and Mr. Bliss may now, therefore be considered as the first choice of the regular organization, with General Benjamin F. Tracy in reserve. It will be remembered that the Platt men urged Bliss for the Cabinet and the President took them at their word and selected him. Would the Platt men be really pleased if the people also took them at their word and actually chose Mr. Bliss for Mayor? It may be said that Mr. Bliss entered the Cabinet with reluctance, and prefers to reside in New York. But when he accepted the Cabinet place it was understood that he had enlisted for a full term. Three years ago Mr. Bliss might have been the candidate for Mayor instead of Strong, but he declined to run. Most of the other men named as candidates are, like Low and Schieren, of the highest standing. The only two of a second grade proposed for the office are Congressman Quigg, for whom Mr. Platt has a strong liking, and Lieutenant Governor Woodruff, who is suggested by Payn as second to Bliss.

CYRUS THROP.

A TRILBY VILLAGE.

It has a Svengali Square and a Little Billee Street.

Now that there is a town named Trilby down in Florida, with streets named for the characters of DuMaurier's book, it is fair to assume that for years to come the people of that neighborhood will hear nothing, see nothing, think of nothing but Svengali, Svengali, Svengali.

The founding and the naming of this town are part of a good story. It seems that H. B. Plant, the millionaire, who owns all the railroads on the western side of Florida, was called on to name the new town which he caused to have built at the crossing of two of his railroads. There had been a station there before the new town was started, and it had been called Macon. When it was decided to cut down the grade of the railroad at that point the old station house, which was about all there was to the old town of Macon, was left standing high upon the bluff. It had to be torn down, as it was of no use in its lofty altitude above the track. When the old building was demolished the death knell of Macon, Fla., was sounded, and then the question was asked Mr. Plant, the railroad President, "What shall we name the new town?"

Just at that time the railroad magnate was much absorbed in a second reading of DuMaurier's book, and when the question was asked he responded: "Let us call the little town site Trilby." And so it was. Strange to say, the little village at once began to grow. It was put down Trilby on the maps of Florida, and it became conspicuous by reason of the Trilby craze, which was in full frenzy just at that time. Real estate agents took hold and helped to build it up, while traveling newspaper men passing over the railroad wrote columns about the town that was growing there to perpetuate the name of Du Maurier's book. The town of Trilby is today a pretentious little place with a dozen or more stores, shops and dwellings. The streets are named appropriately. The principal square is called Svengali square, and the three leading streets which run parallel and lose themselves in this square are called "Little Billee street," "Taffy street," and "The Laird." There are several avenues named after the women folks of the book.—New York Sun.

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 3 30, 3 30, 4 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 35, 10 30, 11 45, p.m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 38, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, am; 12 02, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05, 11 35, a m; (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30, 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 40, (1 40, Saturdays only) 3 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 04, 6 09, 6 15, 7 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 39, 5 09, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 45, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 25, 4 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 9 28, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 55, 9 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 3 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 28, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 32 a m; 6 30, 10 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 15 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

3 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 20 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

3 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m. 1 15, 3 51, 5 22, 5 54, p. m. Sunday. (except Ocean Grove) 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m 1 15, 3 51, 5 22, 5 54, 7 03, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 22 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 36*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 27* 1 17 night. Sundays—5 17, 5 45, 9 55 10 44 a. m., 2 35, 4 55, 5 09* 6 45 p. m. 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 4 35, 5 36*, 6 39*, 8 21, 9 27* p.m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a.m., 2 35, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m., 2 17, 5 36*, 6 45 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 10 44 a.m., 5 09*, 6 45, p. m., 1 17 night.

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11 54 a. m. Daily except Sunday. Local for Mauch Chunk.

12 52 p. m. daily except Sunday. "BLACK DIAMOND EXPRESS" for Rochester and Buffalo.

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For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 6 48, 7 50, 10 05 a. m. 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. m Sunday 8 00, 9 10 a. m. 2 20 and 6 25 p. m.

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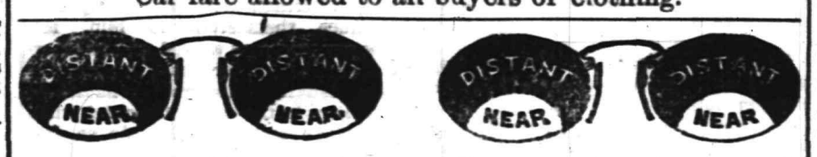

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ATTEMPTED MUTINY.

Checked by the Prompt Action of the Warden.

Sacramento, June 3.—An attempted mutiny at the state prison at Folsom was checked by the prompt and decisive action of Warden Charles Aull, who directed that the guards should shoot down the seven ringleaders at the first sign of revolt.

About 300 convicts are employed at the rock crusher, and the plan agreed upon by the mutineers was that when they returned to the rock crusher they should refuse to work. Warden Aull learned of the projected mutiny and secured the names of the ringleaders.

The warden waited until within a few minutes of the hour for the 300 convicts to strike and when they felt themselves about to become masters of the situation. Then he gave the order that at the first sign of the threatened revolt the guards should shoot down the seven ringleaders, whose identity the warden had made known to the guards. The convicts completely collapsed at this unexpected turn of affairs. There was no signal to strike, and they went about their work as usual.

ALLEGED FILIBUSTERS.

The Crew of the Dauntless Placed Under Bonds at Key West.

Key West, June 3.—The 33 men, including the crew, found on board the alleged filibuster Dauntless, which arrived here in custody of the United States cruiser Marblehead, were arraigned before United States Commissioner Otto and were each placed under a $100 bond to appear next Wednesday, when District Attorney Clark will be here to conduct the investigation.

Nothing of a contraband nature was found on board the Dauntless, although the cruiser's officers saw men throwing packages overboard before the Dauntless came to in reply to the shots of the Marblehead.

The capture took place near Palm beach after a three hours' chase. The cruiser fired three blank shots and one solid shot before the Dauntless stopped.

Among those arraigned were J. E. Cartaya, Colonel Emilio Nunez and Charles Silva.

THE VALENCIA'S EXPERIENCE.

Ward Line Steamer Fired on by a Spanish Cruiser.

Havana, via Key West, June 3.—The Ward line steamer Valencia, which has arrived at Cienfuegos, reports an exciting experience while off Guantanamo bay.

The Spanish cruiser Reina Mercedes signaled the Valencia to display her colors. As the Valencia did not immediately comply the Reina Mercedes fired a blank shot, which was followed almost immediately by a solid shot, falling out of range. The Valencia then displayed her colors.

It is understood that the United States vice consul at Santiago de Cuba has lodged a formal protest against the act of the cruiser. Captain Quesada left yesterday by the steamer Mexico to investigate the affair, which has a serious aspect.

A Singular Electric Accident.

Albany, June 3.—An extremely singular accident here caused the instantaneous death of two horses by electricity. While a wagon of the National Express company, drawn by two horses, was turning a corner near the Delaware and Hudson depot an electric light pole fell, landing between the horses and not touching them. The live wires, however, fell across the horses' necks and killed them instantly. One horse remained in a standing position, his head high in the air until the current was shut off. The other horse sank to his knees and remained in the rigid state until the current ceased.

Durrant's Appeal Fails.

San Francisco, June 3.—Murderer Durrant's first effort to gain a respite by appealing to the federal courts has failed, United States Circuit Judge Gilbert having refused to issue the writ of habeas corpus for which his attorney applied. Notice of the intention to appeal to the United States supreme court has been filed, and application for leave to appeal will be made formally. This, however, may be refused, as in the Butler case, although Durrant's attorneys are confident that the leave will be given.

Shot by His Drunken Friend.

Kingston, N. Y., June 3.—William Hommel of Saugerties was deliberately shot in the eyes by his friend, Tom Kelly, in the latter's residence near that place without any apparent provocation. Asking his father for his gun, Kelly said, "Do you want to see how nice I can shoot a man?" Returning from another room with the weapon, he fired directly at Hommel, destroying his sight, and, it is thought, with fatal effect. Kelly was drunk, and no motive for the deed is known.

A Big Cargo.

Buffalo, June 3.—The big steamer Andrew Carnegie came into port with a record breaking cargo. She was drawing about 16 feet 2 inches forward and 16 feet 6 inches aft. Her cargo weighs 5,570 tons net and consists of 171,000 bushels of oats, 55,000 bushels of barley and 51,000 bushels of wheat. This is the heaviest grain cargo ever afloat on the lakes.

Senator Aldrich Indisposed.

Washington, June 3.—Senator Aldrich, who has charge of the tariff bill, is confined to his room at the Arlington hotel by an attack of indigestion. The senator's physician says there is nothing serious in the attack, but advised him to refrain from his senatorial labors for a few days.

Cretan Chief Issues a Proclamation.

Khania, Island of Crete, June 3.—Hadji Michalis, as chief of the Cretan insurgents, has issued a proclamation calling upon the Cretans to elect a general assembly, to resume their ordinary everyday relations and to respect the lives and property of the Mussulmans.

Death of an Acrobat.

Montreal, June 3.—George Fyfe, one of the Martinetti brothers, who was injured while doing an acrobatic turn at Sohmer park last Wednesday, died at the General hospital at this place.

Frost Damages Crops.

Middletown, N. Y., June 3.—The heavy frost in Sullivan county is believed to

A NOTABLE BANQUET

Given to the Commercial Leaders at Philadelphia.

A BRILLIANT ASSEMBLY PRESENT.

Among the Distinguished Guests Were the President and Members of His Cabinet—Nearly Fifteen Hundred Persons Participated.

Philadelphia, June 3.—The commercial leaders of the western hemisphere assembled in the great exchange room of the Bourse last night at what was probably the most notable banquet ever given on this continent.

The banquet was notable not only in point of members, nearly 1,500 persons participating, but in the distinction of the chief guests. President McKinley was there, and he spoke to the assembly. Seated also at the table of honor were Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, Attorney General McKenna, Congressmen Dingley, Dalzell, Grosvenor, Heatwold and Tawney, the ministers from Mexico, Brazil, Chile, Argentine, Venezuela and other South American governments, the Chinese minister and a number of eminent officials from the capital.

The hall in which the dinner was held covers an entire block in area. It was gorgeous with light and color. The massive pillars supporting the gallery which stretches around the room were draped abundantly in the national colors, while between them hung in ample folds the flags of all the governments on the American continent. The guests on entering passed under an archway of ferns and smilax and were greeted by a magnificent sight. On every side stood huge potted palms, and the tables were literally smothered with cut flowers. But the most effective feature of the decorations was the light arrangement.

A Brilliant Spectacle.

Trailing lines of tiny electric lights in varicolored globes sparkled from the midst of the flowers which filled the centers of the tables, and others scintillated between the folds of the flags with which the walls were hung. Ensconed in a compartment formed by walls of flags at one end of the hall was the Marine band, under Director Fanciulli, which alternated with the Germania orchestra, stationed at the other end.

Owing to the great number of guests, nearly an hour was occupied in getting them seated, and almost immediately after this had been accomplished a great shout from the eastern end of the hall announced the arrival of the presidential party.

This was at 8 o'clock. Escorted by Mayor Warwick and Dr. William Pepper, president of the Commercial museums, and followed by Secretary Porter, the cabinet officers and foreign ministers, the executive passed to his seat amid a storm of cheers. To avoid undue delay in reaching the toasts the serving of the banquet was promptly begun.

President McKinley sat at the right of the presiding officer, Dr. Pepper, and on his other side sat Theodore C. Learch. The secretary of agriculture, the attorney general, Mayor Strong of New York, Mayor Warwick and a number of the foreign ministers occupied seats at the same table.

Governor Hastings opened the postprandial talking with a response to a welcome from Pennsylvania.

Theodore C. Learch followed, with "Our Manufacturing Industries."

The Brazilian minister spoke briefly, and ex-Secretary Olney then responded to "International Law."

The Chinese minister responded to "The Orient," and then followed President McKinley's speech in response to the toast, "The President of the United States."

Following the president, Ministers Perez of Mexico, Fernandez of Costa Rica, the Argentine minister and Congressman Dalzell responded to appropriate toasts.

The Commercial Conference.

The banquet was given in conjunction with the international commercial conference, which had its inception in the Philadelphia Commercial museum, under the auspices of which institution the conference was held.

Among those in attendance at the conference were President McKinley members of the cabinet and quite a number of ministers and other representatives of foreign countries. The delegates themselves, about 50, were representatives of foreign commercial bodies, principally of Mexico and Central America. In addition to the foreign delegates to the conference there were also representatives present from commercial and trade organizations of almost every city of importance in the United States.

The principal address was delivered by President McKinley.

Dr. William Pepper, president of the Philadelphia Commercial museum, explained the objects and aims of the museum, for the advancement of which this conference had been called. He said it had been organized for the purpose of promoting trade with foreign countries and particularly with the object of obtaining information relative to the world's markets and all trade conditions in foreign lands which might lead to an increase of our export trade. He said that although the museum was located in Philadelphia it had no local significance, but was national in its scope and importance.

Fatally Injured by an Explosion.

Greenwich, Conn., June 3.—Thomas McCarty, employed at the Vorhis quarry, was fatally injured while attempting to draw a blast that had missed fire. After the explosion McCarty was found in a hole yards away with both eyes blown out, his hands shattered and injured internally.

Turkish Navy to Be Improved.

London, June 3.—A dispatch to The Daily Mail from Berlin says that the Turkish government has opened negotiations with an English firm for overhauling the entire Turkish fleet. All the ironclads will be reconstructed and six new men-of-war built.

Suicide With Strychnine.

Wallingford, Conn., June 3.—Mrs. John Brosnan, aged 40, committed suicide by taking strychnine at her home on Colony street. No cause can be assigned unless the woman was laboring under a temporary aberration.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 4:30 a. m.
Sun Sets: 7:25 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 8:25 p. m.

GOSSIP OF THE CYCLERS.

TEMS INTERESTING TO DEVOTEES OF THE STEEL STEEDS.

The Popular Exercise Provides Incidents and Expressions That are of Especial Moment When Wheeling is the Rage

John E. Stewart, of West Seventh street, is mastering the mysteries of wheel riding and soon will be an accomplished rider.

The race meet officials of the Crescent Wheelmen last night decided to have the events postponed from Decoration Day take place July 5th, that being the day of celebration for the glorious Fourth, which will fall on Sunday.

Wheelmen will find that the lowering of the crosswalk over Grove street at the intersection of that thoroughfare with Craig place, is a great improvement. The crosswalk used to be several inches higher than the rest of the road and was a dangerous obstacle, particularly at night.

A Trenton minister is responsible for a new phrase in connection with the wheel, having announced on Wednesday that beginning with next Sunday there will be a "bicycle stable" attached to his church. He says he wants riders, whether in bicycle suits or bloomers, to feel free to attend his church at any time, and that they will find in the "stable" ample accommodations for the care of their wheels.

Everybody in Plainfield has learned to ride a wheel, is learning to ride one, or is thinking about it. Now Councilman Elliott T. Barrows, of the Police Board, is one of the converts to the bicycle and has purchased a Spalding wheel of W. H. Rogers. Robt. Rushmore and H. W. Beebe also have the right idea and have picked out the Spalding for their mount for the present season.

The Committee on the Inter-Club Century Run, Newark to Philadelphia, June 12th, reports a number of entries already received, and great interest in the run among club and unattached riders. The survivors' medals will be absolutely unique in design and far surpass any previous medals, it is even hinted that they may be solid silver, and winners can feel assured they are worth winning, for as the Inter Club makes no profit out of the run it has a handsome extra surplus to put into medals. The pace will not exceed 8 miles per hour, and every new rider should try and win centurian laurals in this the most famous century of the whole year. The secretary and treasurer, Madison Rush, 1004 Walnut street, Philadelphia, is well provided with entry blanks, checks and badges, and intending riders should send in their applications early to insure comfortable accommodations.

The work of the riders in the Irvington-Milburn race is regarded as remarkable considering the difficulties under which the race was run. It is significant that the leading positions were won by men of this State, indicating that those who constantly train on the course are best fitted to go over the twenty five miles. With a good road it is believed that some of the men who trained over macadam thoroughfares would have fared better if not won a prize. A number of riders declared yesterday that the condition of the Millburn course on Monday will now warrant the Associated Clubs in selecting some other place for this annual race. Complaint is made that while Millburn contains several big hills and furnishes an excellent test of a man's road riding qualifications, rainy weather makes it unfit for a 25 mile race. The idea of selecting a new course has been under advisement for some time, and it is more than likely that the event will be held elsewhere next year.

AROUND THE BASES.

A great game of ball may be expected, Saturday, when the Crescents will play the New Brunswick Y.M.C.A. on the grounds at the corner of La-Grande avenue and Richmond street.

A HAZER OFF THE LIMITS NOW.

Lewis H. Rand Has His Privileges Re-established at West Point.

At midnight, Monday night, the term of punishment which has kept three of the cadets at the West Point Military Academy at their duties for three years without furlough expired, and the cadets were allowed to visit the town nearby. One of the three cadets were Lewis H. Rand, of West Front street, who went from here three years ago after winning a competitive examination for the place.

Rand assisted in the hazing of one of the cadets and was kept at the Academy for a long time without furlough as a punishment.

Those who have seen Rand since his admission to the West Point Academy say that his friends would hardly know him. He has been doing very well in his studies and now stands second in his class in mathematics.

Brereton Platt, of this city, and Robert Shayne, of Brooklyn, formerly of this city, were his guests last Monday. Rand will leave West Point on June 11th for a furlough which will last until August 28th.

AN EMBRYO NOMADIC INVASION.

Rehearsal of the Gypsy Performers of the Fete Champetre.

There was a strange assemblage in the capacious barn of Charles W. McCutchen, in the rear of his residence on Rockview avenue, last evening The picturesque costumes of the gypsy maidens and their wild escorts were something unusual to be found in the staid borough of North Plainfield. It was not an invasion of these nomadic tribes, however, but merely a rehearsal of the gypsy dance which is to be such a pleasant feature at the Fete Champetre, to be held at Johnston Park on Saturday afternoon and evening.

There was some trouble in finding a place in which to hold a rehearsal, but Mr. McCutchen realized that the Town Improvement Association was as much for the benefit of North Plainfield as Plainfield, and very kindly loaned the use of his barn for the rehearsals.

Initiation Fee Increased.

At the meeting of the Exempt Firemen's Association last evening, eight new members were elected. The by-laws were so amended that the initiation fee was raised to $3, and the same will take effect in sixty days. The tenth anniversary of the association will be celebrated about July 20th, and the event was discussed at the meeting last night. It is proposed to make the celebration one of the best ever held.

Good News for Bicyclists.

Arrangements are being perfected to build a bicycle path, ten feet wide, from Dunellen to Lincoln, on the south side of the Central Railroad, and thence through Lincoln boulevard to Bound Brook. This movement will be a godsend to bicyclists who want to visit Bound Brook and Somerville It is expected that this improvement will be completed by July 4th.

Still Alarm of Fire.

A still alarm of fire was sent in to fire headquarters yesterday in response to a fire which broke out in the chimney on the house occupied by W. W. Stratton, on East Third street. No. 2 hose wagon was sent to the above place and with the aid of an extinguisher the flames were soon put out. The damage was small.

—The Borough Council will hold a regular meeting on Friday evening of this week. Business of importance will be considered.

—Paughcaughnaughsinque Tribe, I. O. R. M., will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival June 15th. At the meeting of the Tribe this evening arrangements will be made for the festival.

—The members of the Independent Fife and Drum Corps are arranging to give a big supper at an early date and they have extended an invitation to the members of Warren Engine Company, of the borough.

—Edward White will place on sale tomorrow one thousand dozen of fine hosiery for ladies, gentlemen and children. The goods were sold in auction room by one of the most prominent importers in New York. Mr. White was one of the largest buyers and bought them at one half their value.

OIL SHELL TO QUIET WAVES.

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A shell for shooting oil upon the stormy seas from the shore, in order to reach wrecked vessels, has recently been invented and successfully tested.

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The wooden plug projects three inches beyond the shell, and is grooved around its circumference and acts as a feather to hold the shell in position during its flight. The head of the shell is also weighted with a band of lead to aid it in holding its position while in flight and in maintaining its direction. When the shell in its flight strikes the water the impact drives in the piston head, forces out the plug and liberates the oil.—New York Herald.

He Got His Match.

One cold and stormy evening last winter a prosperous-looking business man stopped in the vestibule of a large office building, on his way out, and attempted to light a cigar. An urchin with an armful of papers also stood within the arch, stamping his feet on the stone step to warm them, as he lustily cried his wares.

The wind blew out the last match which the fur-coated broker had about his person, and he turned to the boy and said:

"Here, boy, give me a match."

The lad eyed the gentleman furtively, as he inquired, "Say, mister, is that a demand or a request?"

Instead of being angry at his reproof, the gentleman—for such he was—replied kindly:

"A request, my boy, a humble request; and I'll take a couple of evening papers, too, I guess," he added, as he received the match from the youngster's hand and passed him a quarter, "and you may keep the change."

"That man's got manners if he's a mind ter take time ter use 'em," said the boy as his patron boarded a car.

"That boy won't always have to sell papers if he practices what he preaches," thought the broker, as he sat down to read the news.

A Puzzle for the Barber.

Three brothers bearing a remarkable resemblance to one another are in the habit of shaving at the same barber's shop. Not long ago one of the brothers entered the shop early in the morning, and was shaved by a German who had been at work in the shop only a few days. About noon another brother came in and underwent a similar operation at the hands of the same barber. In the evening the third brother made his appearance, when the German, dropping his razor in astonishment, exclaimed: "Vell, upon my vord! dat man hash de fashtest beard I never saw; I shaves him dis morning, shaves him at dinner-times, and he gomes back now mit his beard so long as it never vash!"

Parson Goodman—Is there anything you would like to do before you die, Brother Jones?

Brother Jones—Yes, parson; I would like ter go an' sit in th' parlor fer one night before I die. I've got ten daughters, yer know, an' I hain't had a chance at thet parlor nights, fer over twenty years.—Judge.

Watch as a Compass.

Your watch may be used as a compass. Point the hour hand to the sun, and the south is exactly half-way between the hour and the figure XII. on the dial. For instance, supposing it is four o'clock, point the hand indicating four to the sun, and II. on the dial-plate is exactly south. Supposing it is eight o'clock, then the figure X. on the face of the watch will show due south.

The Smallest Screw.

The smallest screws in the world are those used in the production of watches. The fourth jewel wheel-screw is the next thing to being invisible, and to the naked eye it looks like dust; with a glass, however, it is seen to be a small screw, with 260 threads to the inch, and with a very powerful glass the threads may be seen quite clearly.

May Be Something In This.

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Mrs. Kelly—"Yes, Mrs. Casey, me hoosband left home two wakes ago, an' Oi haven't seen him sinst."

Mrs. Casey—"An' phwat made him do that, Mrs. Kelly?"

Mrs. Kelly—"Faith, de doctor says he tinks he runs away in a fit of temporary sanity."

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SHERMAN'S BAD MEMORY OF FACES.

An Amusing Incident Due to His Forgetfulness.

Secretary Sherman is making himself talked about a good deal by his inability to recognize his former colleagues when they call to see him. The dignity of two distinguished members of the United States Senate sustained a severe shock during the last few days, when they called upon Secretary Sherman, and were obliged to introduce themselves to him. Mr. Babcock, who has served as Mr. Sherman's secretary for neary twenty-five years, usually whispers the names of the callers in the ear of his chief when he gets an opportunity to do so, but when Mr. Sherman has no prompter he makes a mess of it. He never does know the members of the diplomatic corps apart, and when they are introduced to him he cannot pronounce their names. It is quite painful on diplomatic day to see him struggle with the tongue-tangling titles of the Ambassadors and Ministers from abroad.

It is even whispered that the venerable Senator did not recognize one of his colleagues in the Cabinet when they met at the residence of a friend the other day, but this is an old failing of his.

Some evidence of Sherman's preoccupation had recent exhibition when Newlands, of Nevada, called to make a play for a consulship for which it seems a constituent was suffering. It was the day Voorhees died. Newlands and Sherman shook hands.

"That was sad news," quoth Sherman, with a look full of the sympathetic, yet far away. "That was very sad about Newlands dying."

"What!" said Newlands, a bit disconcerted to be thus suddenly thrust into Summerland.

"Newlands, Newlands," repeated Sherman in tones of vague official grief; "the news of Newlands' death. He was a worthy Senator."

"You mean Senator Voorhees," corrected Newlands.

"No, Newlands," repeated Sherman, still vague, yet still tenacious. Newlands came away. He did not press for a consulship. Newlands said that to be thus cut down like a flower was too much for him. Nor did he think the Administration would heed a cry from the tombs in disposing of consulships. So Newlands filed sadly forth, and was dumb, opening not his mouth further.

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GRAND FETE CHAMPETRE

THE LONG ANTICIPATED EVENT TO COME OFF TOMORROW.

The Grounds of Johnston Park Will be Graced and Beautified by Plainfield People and Effort in an Admirable Cause.

Tomorrow there will be held in Plainfield an entertainment charming and unique, for which must be used the descriptive French term Fete Champetre, in lack of an appropriate English or American phrase. "Picnic" is a name to stir the "long, long thoughts of youth," but it won't cover the ground in the present case. It is a picnic and a May-Day, a strawberry festival and a church-fair, all rolled in one, to which the New Jersey suburb invites the rest of mankind. For a day and a night the beautiful and ample grounds, the groves and grassy fields, the winding walks and running waters of the John Taylor Johnston estate will become a public pleasure ground. To the beauties of nature, the touch of art will add charms that will haunt the memory of the visitor. Reminders of old-world life, customs of the middle-ages and of later colonial days, here will mingle in picturesque confusion, under nineteenth century light. The fete will comprise joys and attractions for every age and many tastes. For the little folks the May-pole and lawn-dances, games, and pony-rides in care of careful men; for the boys and girls boat-rides upon the pond, games and dances galore; for youths and maidens fair more boat-rides, more dancing, with walks and talks, and visiting of booths and tents, in particular of the gypsy tent where fortunes will be told. In very truth not even the pen of a ready writer can begin to set forth all the delights for eye and ear, for mind and body, now being devised and prepared by many busy committees and individuals. But the reader may be assured that amid unnumbered details of preparation to gratify the sense of beauty, to mingle the fantastic, the artistic and the realistic into one memorable picture, not for an instant will the wants of the inner man be neglected. Throughout the afternoon refreshments will be served by dainty costumed maids, upon tables or stands in shady nooks. Speaking of wheelmen, how many do you think will visit the Plaihfield fete? Give a guess now beforehand, and you shall know the week after. A Boston Yankee, who knows a thing or two, has recorded 2,500 wheels as his guess. That's a good many wheels, and yet that number is said to be used in Plainfield alone. Few or many, the wheels and their riders will be cared for, that is checked, stored, repaired, and fed, as need may be. So let the jolly rubber-rollers come.

The following are the ladies in charge of the supper tables: Mrs. O. T. Waring and Mrs. G. W. VanBoskerck, chairmen, and Mesdames Pierri Mali, W. W. Howland, D. M. VanVliet, J. G. Foster, Robert A. Slausson. L. H. Bigelow, Robert Lowry, H. M. Stockton, W. D. Murray, N. Pendleton Rogers, J. T. Baker, J. H. Carman, R. M. Stover, Miss Tweedy and Mrs. Titus.

The aids are: Mesdames Charles E. Brooks, A. D. Shepard, Thomas Minford, W. Palmer Smith, H. B. Opdyke and the Misses Hellwig, Colles, Randolph, Halloway, Ryder, Hall, McCready, H. Brainard, M. Sterling, E. Sterling, Louise Bushness, C. Kampman, Edith Gilbert, Pierson, Flora Griffin, Clapp, Madiline Day, Taylor, Horne, Haviland, E. Tracy, Bushnell, Bonny, I. Bass, Drayton, Dryden, Swayze, Lulu Patten, Edna Thayer, Grace Miller, Rachel Coe, Clark, Middledith, Grace Yerkes, Elsie Brokaw, Susie Milne, Margaret Vermeule, E. VanDeventer, R. Bass, Lena Bass, Rambo, Bessie Coe, Edith VanBoskerck, Lulu Holly, Helen Weaver, Randall, Gertrude Rushmore, H. R. Shreve, May Cahoone, Lois Eastman, Wortherspoon, Ginna, E. McClure, K. McClure, Nancy Lawson, Katie Wood, Emma Miller, Jessie Bushnell, Laura Lovell, Helen Lovell, Cordilin Miller, Anna Miller, Fuller, Lucilli Rockwell, Agnes Minford, E. Little, F. Cahoone, the Misses Gibbon, Mrs. F. Moore, Mrs. Roger Murray, Mrs. Pfieffer and Mrs. Charles Stover.

Bradley Yields to Romance.

The latest novelty placed by Senator Bradley on his board walk is a "trysting tower." This structure is on the south side of the Asbury avenue pavilion, and its name the Senator posted on the tower today. The Senator erected this tower for romantic persons who delight in viewing the ocean undisturbed by a crowd.

The Gift of Coffee to the Fete.

Through the courtesy of a local grocer, a New York coffee company will give all the coffee used at the Fete Champetre to be held Saturday afternoon and evening at Johnston Park.

MAKING BETTER ROADS.

SEVERAL IMPORTANT CITY STREETS TO RECEIVE PROPER ATTENTION.

East and West Front Streets and Plainfield and Crescent Avenues are to be Put in First Class Shape During the Summer.

Councilman Frost, chairman of the street committee, says that West Front street will now be repaired from Central avenue to Compton's Lane and every bad spot in the road will be fixed. Especially at a point near Washington avenue where the street is in a wretched condition. It is the intention to build the road in such a way that the water will run off easily.

Plainfield avenue will also be treated and put in first-class condition the same as East Front street between Park avenue and Watchung avenue, and East Front street will be repaired as far as Berckman street. Crescent avenue is also slated for treatment. Some of the street work has been delayed on account of the delay in laying curbing and sidewalk. The men who are doing this work have difficulty in getting their material and at the same time their work increases.

The use of larger stone on the streets is giving great satisfaction and undoubtedly will make much better roads. The steam roller is kept busy whenever possible and this aids materially in the work.

At the meeting of the City Council next Monday evening the street committee through Councilman Frost will ask the council for a street sprinkling wagon. For sometime past the city has been using a wagon belonging to the county and if the city owns one it will be a great saving.

SOCIAL FEATURES ONLY.

A NEW DEPARTURE IN RECEPTION TO BOROUGH GRADUATES.

The Annual Business Meeting to be in Mid-winter and Thus Avoid the Disagreeable Delay That Has Before Ensued.

The invitations for the reception to the graduating class of the North Plainfield High School, by the Alumni Association of that school, will be out in a few days. Preparations are being made for the reception, which will be a departure from the usual customs of past years.

The reception will be held in the school building, on Somerset street, on the evening of Friday, June 25th, the night after commencement. Heretofore, a business session has been held at the first part of the reception which has consumed much valuable time. To obviate this, it has been decided to hold the business meeting at the reception in midwinter when the officers for the year will be elected. The early part of the evening will be devoted to a reception to the graduates. It will be followed by refreshments and dancing.

The building is to be decorated for the occasion with flowers and the colors of the graduating class. The committee in charge of the decorations consists of Miss Nora Williams, chairman; Miss Laura Emmons, Miss Bertha Thorn, Miss Maud French, Miss Alice Needham, Miss Lulu Avery, Walter Raynolds, Warren Church, John H. Van Winkle, Jr., and E. Maxwell Honeyman.

HULSIZER AT LAST GETS HOME.

Passes Metuchen Twice Before a Train Stops to Let Him Off.

Tidney Hulsizer keeps a hotel at Metuchen, about five miles from New Brunswick, on the road to New York. Wednesday night he left New Brunswick on the 8.28 train, which stops at Metuchen only to take on passengers. There were no passengers to get on, and he was carried through to Elizabeth. He boarded the first westbound train that stopped there, but it passed Metuchen, and at 11 o'clock he was landed safely in New Brunswick.

Hulsizer then waited for the 11:24 train, and, getting the conductor's solemn promise that it would stop at Metuchen, boarded it and at last reached his native village.

Historical Association.

Justice A. P. Sutphen, of Somerville, has been presented with a handsome cane, made from one of the pin oak timbers which originally formed the wooden piers of the old Van Veghten bridge at Finderne. Several of these old timbers were excavated last summer, near the old stone abutments, in laying the piers for the new bridge. The county records show that the wooden piers were sunk in 1710. Engineer Joshua Doughty has had a section of one of the ancient timbers, which is in an excellent state of preservation, made into canes, which will be presented to the members of the Board of Freeholders.

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—Fine creamery, 15 cents a pound at MacDonald's. 6 4 2

SUING FOR A DIVORCE.

MRS. ABNER BARTLETT WANTS HER MATRIMONAL BONDS SEVERED.

Papers Served on Mr. Bartlett this Morning, the Charge Being of a Statutory Nature—Called in Chancery on the 12th

What has been portending for some time past finally came to a focus this morning when Abner Bartlett was served with a notice that his wife' Mrs. Elizabeth M. Bartlett, would make application to Chancellor McGill at Trenton on June 12th for an absolute divorce on statutory grounds. The papers were served by a representative of James M. Trimball, a Newark lawyer, who has been engaged by Mrs. Bartlett to prosecute her case.

Mr. Bartlett has engaged Harry Runyon and Reed & Coddington to represent him.

The application will be made a week from tomorrow and then Mr. Bartlett will have twenty days in which to file an answer.

It has been known for a long time that Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett have indulged in frequent disagreements and a few weeks ago Mrs. Bartlett left her home on Westervelt avenue owing to her inability to live happily with her husband. Since then she has been boarding.

Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett have been married about eighteen years. Mr. Bartlett was the son of Abner Bartlett, Sr., of New York, one of the biggest contractors in the Metropolis during his career. He died a few years ago and left an estate valued at $250,000, from which his son now receives a yearly income.

Mrs. Bartlett is a French woman and came to this country with original production of "The Black Crook," in which company she was the ballet instructor.

Since her marriage Mrs. Bartlett has devoted a portion of her time in giving dancing lessons.

DISPUTE ABOUT A PIANO.

Estranged Couple's Matters in a Justice's Court, Too.

On May 19th last, the law firm of Pope & Runyon attached a piano belonging to Abner Bartlet to satisfy a claim of $150 which was due John Beerbower. At the time Mrs. Abner Bartlett claimed that the piano belonged to her and she applied to the court for a venire to try the right of property. The defendants failed to serve a notice on Constable Rockafellow demanding the re-delivery of the goods, and when the case was called this morning in Justice Moffett's office it could not be tried for the right of property.

The Justice instructed the jury to bring in a verdict of nonsuit, owing to the failure of the defendant to serve the proper notice on the constable, and the jury did as they were directed. June 10th, at 8 o'clock in the morning, has been set as the time for the trial for the right of property It will be tried before Justice Moffett at his office on North avenue.

EXPRESS WAR RE-OPENED.

Several Detectives at the Station This Morning, But Nothing Was Done.

The campaign against the package expressmen by the officials of the United States Express Company has re-opened with fresh strength. There was a stay in the proceedings while a trial case was up in the Union county court at Elizabeth, but when the package expressman, who was suing the company, was non-suited, the campaign was started afresh.

Whitney Frazee is the local package expressman against whom the company has been waging war for many weeks. There were half a dozen detectives at the station this morning on the lookout for him, to prevent him from carrying packages on the train. Frazee appeared in time for the 8:27 train, but without any packages. He took the train without opposition on the part of the railroad detectives, and the crowd, who had assembled to see the fun, was disappointed.

Fire Laddies House-Warming.

Next Monday evening the members of the West End Hose Company will have a house warming and they have invited the members of Warren Engine Company to join them in the celebration. At a special meeting of Warren Engine Company last evening the members accepted unanimously in invitation received from the West End Hose Company.

Werner's Great Fire Sale

of clothing will commence tomorrow morning. The entire stock will be sold at a sacrifice that will astonish everybody. His big adv. will appear in tomorrow's Press. Watch for it. Read it.

—Van Arsdale reminds you in his ad today of having your feet fitted in good shoes and rubbers, your old shoes repaired, etc., before you go on your vacation.

A CONVICTION VACATED.

MICHAEL WATSON GAINS ANOTHER POINT OVER THE CITY.

Supreme Court Decides That City Judge DeMeza Had No Right to Hold the Trial in Private Without Counsel Present.

Michael Watson, who has been before the City Court charged with breaking the excise laws more than any other alleged offender in the city, is to the fore again. He has not been in jail for some time but there has been a case hanging over his head for some months which was only decided yesterday.

Watson was charged with selling liquor from his store on Grant avenue, near South Second street, on Sunday, which is against the city ordinance. He was arrested and finally pleaded guilty. City Judge DeMeza sentenced him to pay a fine of $100 and go to jail for a term of sixty days. He was taken to Elizabeth and viewed the world from behind the bars for several days. Then he was released on a writ of certiorari, obtained by S. S. Swackhamer, one of his counsel.

James J. Bergen and Hugh Meehan, who are also cousel for Watson, obtained from the Supreme Court yesterday a decision setting aside City Judge DeMeza's conviction on Watson's plea of guilty. The ground of the decision is that the City Judge received the plea in his private office instead of the City Court room. Watson at first pleaded not guilty, and a day was set down for his trial in the City Court room. Before the day arrived, Watson went alone to the City Judge in the latter's office, withdrew his plea of not guilty, and put in a plea of guilty. The City Judge accepted the plea and imposed sentence of fine and imprisonment. Watson afterwards tried without success to withdraw the plea of guilty. The Court holds that the conviction cannot stand because it was made in the private office of the City Judge without the presence of counsel on either side. S. S. Swackhamer was associated with Messrs. Bergen & Meehan in the case.

The Corporation Counsel says that he has several courses under consideration as to Watson's case. The city may decide to take the case to the court of last resort, or to accept the decision and proceed against Watson by indictment. He was unwilling to give any opinion on the case until he should have had opportunity to read the decision.

TO ENLARGE THEIR HALL.

SAENGERBUNDS FIND THAT THEY NEED MORE ROOM.

An Extension to be Made to the Rear of the Present Building, and the Basement Altered in Many Important Ways.

The monthly meeting of the Gesang and Turn Verein was held last evening when much business was transacted. Two members were elected and four applications were received. The members decided to pay a visit to the Aurora Singing Society during the first part of next month, and Henry Haurand, Rudolph Spiegel and Louis Moraller were appointed a committee to arrange for the trip which will be made on some convenient Sunday.

The building committee, of which Robert Jahn is the chairman, made a report and presented plans and specifications for the proposed new additions to the present structure. The extension to the building in the rear will be 24 feet and 44 feet wide. A perfect system of ventilation will be introduced, and in the addition a commodious stage, with dressing rooms, will be erected. The bowling alleys will be made the regulation size and the dining room will be enlarged considerably. A great change will be made in the basement so that it will be large enough to use for any ordinary purpose, such as to hold meetings or social gatherings if the upper part is in use. The entire building will be heated with hot water and every modern convenience, including bath rooms for men and women, will be provided.

Mr. Oakley is the architect and when the improvements are completed they will cost the society about $4,000. Owing to the lateness of the hour last evening the members adjourned for two weeks when a special meeting will be held for the purpose of considering in detail the proposed changes.

Next Monday, known among the Germans as Pfingst Monday, will be celebrated by the Plainfield and North Plainfield members of the above society. This day is to the Germans what St. Patrick's Day is to the sons of Ireland. The members have decided to celebrate by holding a bicycle run to Elizabeth. All who intend going will meet at Henry Haurand's hotel next Monday noon when the start will be made. It is hoped that all who can will go.

ANOTHER JUNE BRIDE.

A PLAINFIELD YOUNG MAN GOES TO NYACK, N. Y., FOR A WIFE.

Miss Nellie May Smith Becomes Mrs. Edward Randolph-The Affair a Pretty Home Wedding—Those Composing Bridal Party.

A very pretty home wedding took place in Nyack, N. Y., yesterday afternoon, when Miss Nellie May Smith, daughter of Mrs. Catherine M. Smith, of that place, was united in marriage to Edward Fitz-Randolph, a rising young business man of this city. Mr. Randolph is a graduate of the Pennsylvania College of Pharmacy and is now in charge of one of the departments of the pharmacy of L. W. Randolph, on West Front street.

The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride, 64 First avenue, Nyack, by her minister, Rev. T. R. Davis. The relatives and friends of the couple, numbering 80, were present at the ceremony, which was performed at 3:30 o'clock. A reception followed and the wedding dinner was served. Dancing followed in the evening.

The bride was attired in cream satin and carried white bride roses Her maid of honor was Miss Sadie Randolph, of Plainfield, sister of the groom. Miss Randolph wore a gown of white organdie over nile green silk. She carried a bouquet of pink roses.

The best man was Edwin Polhemus, of Brooklyn. The ushers were George Snediker, of Plainfield, and Alfred Perry, of Nyack. The groom presented the best man and each of the ushers with a handsome scarf pin.

The house was charmingly decorated for the occasion with pink and white roses and potted plants. The effect was very pretty. The presents filled one of the rooms at the bride's home and were many and valuable. They included a number of pieces of silver and glass ware and furniture for the new home of the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph boarded the 8:40 train for New York amid showers of rice, and started on their wedding tour, in which they will visit Philadelphia and several southern cities. On their return they will reside at 145 West Front street, where a furnished home awaits them.

DRAKE'S DEFI TO RUNYON

LAND BOOMER CHALLENGES EDITOR TO A BICYCLE RACE.

The Contest, if Agreed to by Editor Runyon, Will be Held on Lincoln Boulevard—Stakes to Be a Dinner

Silas D. Drake is nothing if not original and daring in his ideas. Mr. Drake has distinguished himself in many ways during his career, and undergone criticism good, bad and indifferent, but above it all he carries his head high and exploits again and again in divers ways to the edification, amusement and benefit of the community in which his name is a syonym of enterprise and hustle. The latest novelty for Mr. Drake to surprise an unsuspecting public with is to challenge Editor Runyon to a bicycle race. Mr. Drake's challenge and conditions, if accepted, were sent to Editor Runyon this morning. It is as follows:

Bound Brook, N. J., June 4th, 1897.

Frank Runyon, Editor Courier-News, Plainfield, N. J.

In a friendly spirit I hereby challenge you to ride a bicycle race for a half-mile or mile, best two in three, on Lincoln Boulevard, Lincoln, on and after thirty days from accepting my challenge, the loser of the race to provide a good, substantial clam-bake to the editors and reporters of Union, Somerset and Middlesex counties; dinner to be given immediately after the race at Lincoln Park.

Surely there is no more healthful recreation than bicycle riding, and the fact that I have been identified with newspaper work since boyhood, and at present editor of the up-to-date Real Estate News, certainly gives us an opportunity to show the newspaper fraternity that there is a little sporting blood in the profession.

On your acceptance arrangements can be made that will be satisfactory to you.

Yours truly,

Silas D. Drake,
Editor Real Estate News.

The Pedagogical Library.

Somerset county is second on the list this year in raising the money for pedagogical library, and the additional amount from the State, making $200 in all, will soon be in the hands of the Superintendent. If now the teachers throughout the country would at once send in to the Superintendent the names of such books as they would like to have included in the library, it would greatly facilitate the work of the committee to be appointed for a selection of the library and the arrangement of a scheme for its most profitable one.

Fatal Play at Bonfire.

Russell Huff, six years old, of Still Valley, near Phillipsburg, was burned to death last night. While the little fellow was playing around a bonfire his clothing caught fire, and in a few seconds he was one mass of flame. Death came in a short time.

TALENT IN THESE GIRLS

MISS JACKSON'S CLASS GIVE THEIR CLOSING RECEPTION.

A Delightful Programme of Recitations and Drills Was Presented in a Creditable Manner in Y. M. C. A. Hall Last Night.

It is rare, indeed, when a more satisfied audience has left the Y. M. C. A. Hall than the one that departed last evening after attending the annual reception of Miss Addie Parker Jackson's classes in physical culture and rendering. Miss Jackson personally took no part, but the results of her efforts were to be seen in everything. The different recitations were given with spirit and showed the ability of the pupils as well as the excellent instruction they had received. Miss Jackson was exceedingly fortunate in selecting such recitations as seemed most adapted to the characteristics of those taking part. Some of the pupils have only been with her a year, but it can truthfully be said that there was not an unpleasant featuar to the entire affair and that everybody did very well. The programme opened with an Eastern Temple drill, the exercises in which were adapted from various forms of Oriental worship. The young women taking part were all gowned in white. The monotony of color was broken by the red sashes which were worn by all. Those who participated in the drill were the Misses Amy C. Burt, Mabel Bonnell, Katharine Dwight, Euphemia Demarest, Lucie Palmer Davis, Aimee Emmons, Mary A. Luckey, Alice Morgan, Marie Newman, Grace Overton, Rita Pond, Constance Patton, Lucy Pound, Ella Serrell, Elsie Smith and Eleanor Williams.

Then followed "An Hour with Standard Authors." "Marguerite of France," a thrilling poem by Felicia Hemans, was recited by Miss Lucy Pound with much feeling. Miss Euphemia Demarest recited "The Blind Girl of Castel Cuille," by Longfellow, simply yet effectively. One of Eugene Field's charming little prose compositions, "Little Mistress Merciless," was pleasingly given by Miss Marie Neuman. It was a difficult selection delightfully rendered.

The pathos in "The Swan Song of Parson Avery," by Whittier, was effectively brought out by Miss Amy G. Burt. Miss Aimee Emmons found favor with the audience at the start in her recitation of Tennyson's "In the Children's Hospital." The pathetic story was told in a way that almost drew tears to the eyes of many of her hearers.

Miss Mary A. Luckey recited a difficult selection by Elizabeth Phelps Ward, "St. Basil's Bell." She carried her audience with her from the start and heightened the dramatic effect of the story itself by her clever portraying of the parts.

In the interval that followed, Miss Jackson was called to the front of the stage and presented with a magnificent bouquet of roses. Each of the speakers received flowers after their selection.

Three character sketches, "A Little Quaker Sinner," by Miss Ella Serrell; "In Grandma's Chest," by Miss Constance Patton; "Aunty Doleful," by Miss Elsie Smith; "Autumn," by Miss Eleanor Williams. They were all excellent and the different characters were brightly and delightfully represented. Again was Miss Jackson's skill evident in the successful rendition of them.

Richard Harding Davis has written a very humorous sketch called "Traver's First Hunt," which was recited by Miss Lucie Palmer Davis. The selection was really very funny and Miss Davis' rendition of it made it seem doubly so. Her portrayal of the supposed famous hunter was most excellent.

"Swing Low, Sweet Chariot" was the name of a beautiful little sketch, recited by Miss Katherine Dwight. It was so sweet, soft, with here and there a touch of pathos, that it seemed most suitable to the girl who gave it so effectively.

Miss Rita Pond recited a thrilling poem, "The Song of the Market Place," most acceptably and deserved the hearty applause that was accorded her.

The programme ended with a monologue, "When Jack Comes Late," by Miss Grace E. Overton, one of the most talented of all Miss Jackson's pupils. The character represedted was "Sally Sanders," who the night of the first scene had just become engaged to Jack Hamilton. Jack was just supposed to be departing when she called him back. Her delight at the engagement was delightfully represented, particularly when she thought about the jealously of the other girls. Then she directed Jack to put the engagement in at least five papers. It was to go in the

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BERMUDA EXPLORERS

A New York Expedition Goes to Study Its Marine Life.

TO ESTABLISH A SOUTHERN STATION.

It Is Proposed to Maintain a Laboratory to Be Open to Any One Who Wishes to Study Tropical Life.

New York, June 4.—Professor Charles L. Bristol, of the biological department of New York university, has started for the Bermudas at the head of an expedition which will make a scientific reconnoissance of the islands during the next two months.

The expedition is for the collection of specimens of the marine life of the tropics, but principally to select a site for the building of a permanent station for laboratory work.

Professor Bristol has decided that such a station is necessary to secure the best results in the work of his department of the university.

It is the intention to throw the laboratory open to every scientist who cares to investigate the wealth of tropical life found in the Bermudas. Such facilities for study have heretofore been lacking, and Professor Bristol is confident that the laboratory will prove of the greatest advantage in the advancement of biological investigation in the United States.

To Erect Buildings.

It is the intention to erect a two-story building at the most convenient site. The lower floor will contain the tank-room and aquarium, the upper the workrooms. The present expedition is well supplied with apparatus and preservative materials, and Professor Bristol hopes to bring back a rich load of biologic "truck" for the university museum, for classroom dissection and for exchange with other colleges. Part of the collection will be placed in the American Museum of Natural History in Central park.

Those who sailed with Professor Bristol on the steamship Orinoco are Dr. Tarleton H. Bean, superintendent of the New York City aquarium, who goes to study fishes; Dr. Walter M. Rankin of Princeton university, who will study mollusks and crustaceans; Warren H. Everett, an instructor of New York university; C. E. Brush, Jr., '99; F. W. Carpenter, '99; Mr. Rosenthal, 1900; Robert Brown, 1900, and H. B. Grose, Jr. They will be joined later by John D. Briggs, Jr., '98; M. D. Gates, '97, and Mr. Haycock of Harvard.

General Hastings Interested.

General Russell Hastings, who commanded the regiment in which President McKinley served during the war, is interested in the scheme to establish a permanent station. He has offered the university his assistance toward securing a site. General Hastings and his wife have lived some years in the Bermudas, where he is a large landowner. Both are enthusiastic students of plant and animal life. It was Mrs. Hastings who first introduced into the islands the Easter lily, which has since become one of their principal articles of export.

Professor Bristol says that the Bermudas hold forth peculiar attractions to the student of the marine life of the American tropics. There is but one biological station of this sort on the whole Atlantic coast—at Wood's Hill, Cape Cod, a resort for teachers and students of biology from all over the country. The work done there has accomplished much for the advancement of science. But there will be no rivalry between Wood's Hill and the Bermuda station.

At Cape Cod the only forms of life available for study are those of arctic and temperate coast lines, excepting occasional pelagic specimens driven in by heavy winds. The Bermudas, on the other hand, mark the most northern limit of purely tropical life, as shown by the coral growths.

The only previous attempts made to study the fauna of the southern Atlantic have been made by the summer expeditions sent out by Johns Hopkins university. These were only during the summer months, and their effectiveness was necessarily handicapped on this account and from lack of apparatus and chemicals. Yet they yielded splendid results, Professor Bristol says.

Constable Shoots a Woman.

Buffalo, June 4.—Charles Linke shot and fatally injured Mrs. Ida Strohaur. Linke is a constable and was sent to the Strohaur residence to remove a sewing machine upon an attachment. The woman declares that the shooting was deliberate, while Linke says it was accidental. Linke has been locked up. The hospital surgeons say the woman cannot recover.

Ex-Presidents Invited to a Banquet.

Montreal, June 4.—A banquet is to be given at the Windsor hotel on the evening of June 21 in honor of the queen's diamond jubilee, and invitations have been issued through the mayor to ex-Presidents Grover Cleveland and Benjamin Harrison to attend. It is expected that the former, at least, will be able to accept the invitation.

Movements of Naval Vessels.

Washington, June 4.—The Petrel has sailed from Yokohama for Nagasaki and the Lancaster from Buenos Ayres for Montevideo. The Wilmington has arrived at Jacksonville. The Brooklyn has sailed from New York for Southampton to represent the United States navy during the jubilee ceremonies.

Mr. Bryan In Buffalo.

Buffalo, June 4.—W. J. Bryan has arrived in this city and held a reception at the Hotel Genesee. He lectured on bimetallism before an enormous crowd in the Academy of Music. Mr. Bryan spoke for two hours and a half, delivering a carefully prepared address.

Suicide of a Minister.

Philadelphia, June 4.—Rev. Adam Boley, pastor of a Lutheran church in the northeastern section of the city, has committed suicide by shooting himself in a room at the Swiss hotel, a third class hostelry at Third and Buttonwood streets. No cause is known.

The Baroness Goes to Buffalo.

Montreal, June 4.—The Baroness von Turkheim, accompanied by her uncle of Boston and a detective, left with her boy for Buffalo to meet Lawyer Hutton, who has charge of the interests of the Fair heirs.

SPAIN WANTS CAMPOS

The Queen Regent Sends For the ex-Captain General.

HE MAY SUCCEED WEYLER IN CUBA.

Her Majesty Requested Senor Canovas to Continue the Government Until the Crisis Is Passed—Hatred of Americans Expressed by Spaniards.

Madrid, June 4.—A cabinet council has been held. The queen regent presided. The retiring premier, Senor Canovas del Castillo, made a long statement regarding Cuba, the Philippine islands, the internal situation and the relations between Spain and the United States, which led to his resignation.

Her majesty declared herself satisfied with the explanations of Senor Canovas and begged him to continue the government until the crisis was solved.

Senor Canovas, after the council, said the queen had asked him to telegraph to Marshal Martinez Campos, asking him to come to Madrid, and that the latter had replied that he would arrive here today.

The retiring premier added that a solution of the crisis will be difficult and will depend upon the conferences between the queen regent, Marshal Martinez Campos and Senor Sagasta, the Liberal leader. It is said the latter is preparing to apply extensive reforms to Cuba through the instrumentality of Marshal Martinez Campos who, it is believed, will shortly succeed General Weyler as captain general of Cuba.

Feeling Bitter Against Americans.

Havana, June 4.—The angry feeling against Americans in Cuba is increasing, as shown by the heated utterances of some of the newspapers in Cuba.

The Diario de la Marina shows bitterness against the American newspaper correspondents who have been sending reports to their papers of the Calhoun-Lee-Congosta investigation into the death of Dr. Ricardo Ruiz, a naturalized American citizen. The Diario says these correspondents are indiscreet and that they have sources of information not reached by the Diario.

The Diario also charges the American newspaper men with sending out fantastic reports and with concealing the real truth, which it claims is very favorable to Spain.

The newspaper trains its journalistic guns upon the United States consul general, Lee, charging him with ignorance of the Spanish language and with being surrounded by Americans born in Cuba, who are generally hostile to the Spanish government. The Diario further reflects upon the judgment of the United States consul general.

The Diario de la Marina prints a letter from a correspondent in Santa Clara making a savage attack upon the United States consul at Sagua la Grande, Mr. Walter B. Barker, charging him, among other things, with furnishing relief in the shape of provisions to Messrs. Seligli and Yova and their families, both of whom are said to be owners of sugar estates and not in need of assistance. The correspondent of the Diario de la Marina uses this allegation to reflect upon the honesty and good faith of the reports of Mr. Barker to his government.

Damages For an Assault.

Kansas City, June 4.—Dr. Charles S. Norris has been awarded $7,000 damages in a suit against Ebenezer Whyte, Jr., a Walnut street grocer, for assaulting him in September last. The testimony showed that Norris entered Whyte's store and during a conversation with Whyte, Sr., called the latter an old scamp. Young Whyte, who was standing near, overheard the conversation and struck the doctor, knocking him down. Dr. Norris was unconscious for three weeks. Defective eyesight, paralysis and a generally broken down constitution was declared to be the result. Whyte pleaded self defense.

Strike May Be Augmented.

New York, June 4.—It is probable that the ranks of the striking garment makers will soon be augmented by the pants and vest makers' organization, as well as the cloakmakers', the latter having given notice that they have decided to strike on June 15. The former have about 12,000 members and the latter 10,000. In the case of the cloakmakers, it is said that the pending strike can only be avoided by the manufacturers acquiescing to demands for an increase in the wage scale of from 25 to 35 per cent. The pressers are also said to be preparing for a strike.

Prominent Bostonian Dead.

Boston, June 4.—M. F. Whitney, cashier of the Lincoln National bank, died at his residence in Lexington. He had recently returned from Bermuda, where he had been in search of health. He was 60 years of age. He was a delegate to the National Republican convention at Philadelphia which gave General Grant his second nomination for the presidency. At the annual G. A. R. encampment in 1886 he was elected junior vice commander of the Massachusetts department.

Alleged Counterfeiter Held.

Gouverneur, N. Y., June 4.—George Flint, one of the alleged counterfeiters arrested a week ago, has been held for the United States circuit court, which sits in Buffalo in September. Bail was fixed at $500, but has not been furnished.

Forest Preserve Counsel Appointed.

Albany, June 4.—Assemblyman Alds has been appointed to the position of special counsel to the forest reserve board. Mr. Alds' principal duty will be to investigate the validity of titles to land which is offered to the board for sale.

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The venerable old man whom the writer saw was only too glad to discuss his pet subject. He said that strange as it might seem, very few doctors realized that three quarters of the most prevalent diseases were all attributable to faulty digestion.

He then went on to say that a child of average intelligence knows that putrid meat or decaying vegetables are poisonous, and must be avoided, and yet these same foods, even if taken into the stomach in the freshest possible condition soon decompose unless digested and absorbed.

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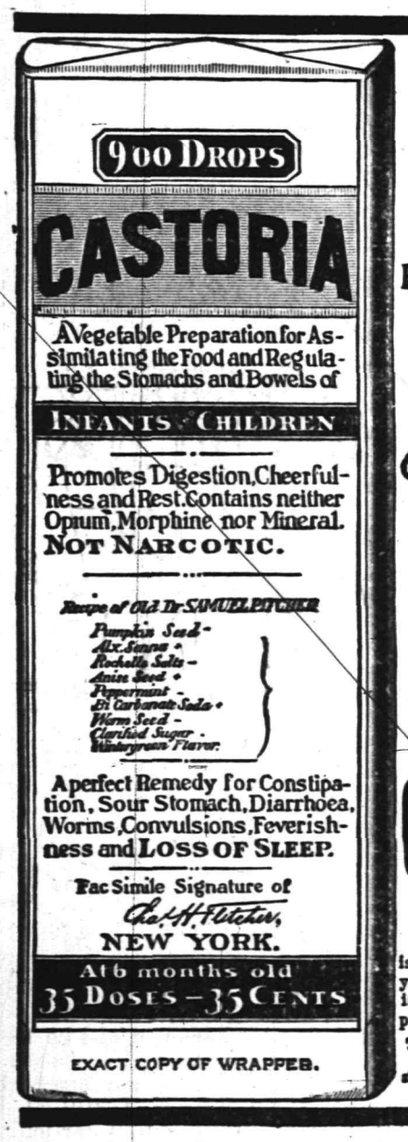

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Mr. Miles, of Somerset street, went to New York Wednesday evening and took the Mystic Shrine Degree at the Scottish Rite Hall.

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Mrs. Morgan Taylor and her daughter, Miss Edith, of Rockview Terrace, have gone to Belmar where they will remain for the summer.

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R. D. Schoonmaker, of West Eighth street, has returned from Princeton University for the summer.

Francis J. Blatz, of Somerset street, will graduate from the New York University Law School on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman fo the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss Elizabeth Long, of Somerville, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Clara Long, of Park avenue.

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COLLAPSE OF A BUILDING.

A New Business Structure Gives Way, Killing Two Men.

New York, June 4.—A new building, constructed after the latest methods and approved by the building department of the city, collapsed yesterday morning and killed two men. It was almost ready for occupancy, and in a few weeks hundreds of men would have been working there at the hour the accident occurred yesterday morning. Few of them could have escaped death.

The building that collapsed was the five-story structure just completed at Fifty-first street and the North river front as a soap works for David S. Brown & Co. The men killed were Jacob Jacobson, a Swedish carpenter, and an employee of the Otis Elevator company.

Immediately after the accident the police arrested David S. Brown, owner of the building; Alexander Brown, Jr., brickwork contractor; John F. Jackson, who was in charge of the men testing the kettles, and Macy, the superintendent of the building. They were taken to the West Forty-seventh street station and released. Subsequently Captain Schmittberger caused the arrest of Archibald Hamilton of 65 North Moore street, foreman for Post & McCord, the iron work contractor, and Alexander Brown, Jr. He said he was looking for Jackson.

Later Architect Kilburn was also arrested.

GUNBOAT LAUNCHED.

The Princeton Enters the Water at Camden, N. J.

Camden, N. J., June 4.—The United States composite screw gunboat Princeton has been launched at the shipyards of John H. Dialogue & Son, this city. She was christened by Miss Marguerite U. Updike, daughter of Mayor F. Mulford Updike of Princeton.

The bottle of wine used in the ceremony was adorned with the stars and stripes and Princeton's colors. Naval Constructor H. H. Varney had charge of the arrangements. The Princeton slid into the river at 3:19 p. m.

Many naval officials from Washington and prominent citizens of Princeton witnessed the launch. Among the former were Chief Engineer A. B. Canaga, Lieutenant T. D. Griffin, Naval Constructor R. C. Dashiel, Congressman J. J. Gardner, Naval Engineer S. C. Hahm, D. A. Green, chief clerk of the bureau of construction, and nearly the entire board of construction.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At New York—
New York..... 1 0 4 0 1 0 0 0 *— 6
Louisville ..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0— 1
New York—Hits, 3; errors, 2. Louisville—Hits, 3; errors, 4.
Second game—
New York..... 3 3 0 2 0 2 *—10
Louisville ..... 1 3 1 1 0 0 0— 6
New York—Hits, 7; errors, 2. Louisville—Hits, 5; errors, 8.
At Brooklyn—
Brooklyn ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0— 0
St. Louis..... 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0— 1
Brooklyn—Hits, 4; errors, 1. St. Louis—Hits, 5; errors, 3.
At Philadelphia—
Pittsburg ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0— 1
Philadelphia .. 1 2 0 4 0 0 0 3 *—10
Pittsburg—Hits, 8; errors, 4. Philadelphia—Hits, 9; errors, 1.
At Boston—
Boston ..... 0 3 1 0 2 0 0 0 *— 6
Cleveland ..... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0— 1
Boston—Hits, 9; errors, 2. Cleveland—Hits, 5; errors, 1.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	24	8	.750
Cincinnati	23	12	.657
Boston	22	12	.647
Pittsburg	19	13	.594
Cleveland	17	16	.515
New York	17	14	.548
Philadelphia	18	18	.500
Brooklyn	17	17	.500
Louisville	16	18	.529
Chicago	12	22	.353
Washington	9	22	.290
St. Louis	7	29	.194

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Bombs fired at North Fifth and Roebling streets, Brooklyn, severely injured three Italians and caused a panic.

Howard Gould of New York has purchased the steam yacht Miranda from Sir George C. Lampson of London.

The British ship Dunow has been wrecked off Kangaroo island and become a total loss. The officers and crew escaped.

Perrin H. Sumner, known as the great American identifier, was sentenced at New York to serve six years in the penitentiary. He was convicted of swindling.

S. L. Post, Jr., fell in a faint on the floor of the New York Stock Exchange. Post was carried to the secretary's office, where he died. Heart disease caused his death.

There is great excitement at Elko, Nev., over the theft of $40,000 worth of bullion from the Dexter mine in the Tuscara district. Two officials of the mine are suspected.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western firm and held higher; city mills patents, $4.80@5.05; winter patents, $4.55@4.90; city mills clears, $4.70@4.80; winter straights, $4.15@4.30.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened firm on higher cables, advanced on foreign business and covering, but later reacted under local realizing; June, 75½c.; July, 73⅝@74⅜c.

RYE—Steady; No. 2 western, 35¾c.

CORN—No. 2 quiet, but firm on continued unfavorable crop news; September, 30⅜@30½c.

OATS—No. 2 dull, but steady; September, 23c.

PORK—Easy; mess, $8.50@9; family, $9.50@10.50.

LARD—Quiet; prime western steam, $3.85 nominal.

BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 10@14½c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Steady; state, large, 8@8¼c.; small, 7½@7¾c.

EGGS—Steady; state and Pennsylvania, 11@11½c.; western, 10@10½c.

SUGAR—Firm; fair refining, 2⅝c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3¼c.; refined firm; crushed, 5¼c.; powdered, 4⅜c.

MOLASSES—Quiet; New Orleans, 22@28c.

RICE—Quiet; domestic, 4¼@6c.; Japan, 4¼@4½c.

TALLOW—Steady; city, 3c.; country, 3⅛c.

HAY—Quiet; shipping, 50c.; good to choice, 60@70c.

BIG PLOT UNEARTHED

By the Arrest of a Man and Woman For Counterfeiting.

SCHEME TO START A REVOLUTION.

Intended to Overthrow the Existing Government of Costa Rica—Several Million Dollars of False Bank Notes Have Been Captured.

New York, June 4.—By the arrest of Ricardo de Requesens and a woman of the name of Eugenia Reineman a conspiracy was revealed that was set on foot not only to cause a revolution in the republic of Costa Rica, but to supply the funds for overthrowing the existing government by means of counterfeited bank notes of the bank of Costa Rica.

Chief Hazen of the United States secret service caused the arrests, after an investigation by federal detectives that has lasted for over a month.

Counterfeit notes of the Costa Rica bank to the amount of several millions of dollars have been captured. The chief remarked that he had seldom seen such fine workmanship as the notes exhibited.

Early last month Mr. Calvo, the minister from Costa Rica at Washington, requested the government to investigate the conspiracy. It was found that De Requesens, who is a native of Costa Rica, had a printing establishment under the title of the Spanish American Printing union at 126 Maiden lane. The printing office is where the false notes were made, it is said, and many of the details of the conspiracy to cause the revolution was arranged there.

De Requesens and the Reineman woman made a trip to Costa Rica, but were turned back by the president of the republic after they had been there about two days. Several of the conspirators have been arrested in Costa Rica by United States secret service detectives who went there to investigate.

Alfred Wolcott, an English waiter of the Hotel Imperial, in San Jose, the capital of Costa Rica, has been arrested, and $847,000 in the counterfeit notes was found in his possession. Two other men were arrested with $70,000 worth of the bogus money, and a sofa which was shipped from this city and which had 4,039 of the counterfeit notes hidden in the lining, was intercepted. Chief Hazen said that he understood that all the bogus bills were of the $100 variety.

The prisoners were held by United States Commissioner Shields for examination on June 16. Other arrests are to be made.

Trolleys Must Not Carry Freight.

New York, June 4.—Judge Gaynor, in the supreme court, Brooklyn, has granted an injunction enjoining the Long Island Electric railroad and the National Express company from running freight cars of the express company over the railroad's tracks. The suit is brought by Aaron A. De Graw, a property owner along the line of the trolley. It is alleged that under the law governing surface roads they have no right to handle other than passenger traffic. The issue involves the right of express companies to operate their cars on any surface road in New York state.

To Allow Pictures of the Fight.

Ottawa, June 4.—Sir Oliver Mowat's bill to prohibit the exhibition in Canada of the kinetoscope pictures of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons prizefight was practically killed in the senate when the senators refused to take the bill seriously. Amendments were proposed and adopted providing that no newspaper in Canada shall be allowed to publish accounts of prizefights and that no foreign newspaper containing an account of a fight shall be admitted into Canada. Loaded with these amendments the bill is practically dead.

Struck by a Hurricane.

Port Natal, South Africa, June 4.—The Danish bark Nordby, Captain Christiansen, from New York Jan. 13 for this port, which arrived here May 30, reports when out two weeks from New York she was struck by a terrific hurricane, during which serious damage was sustained to the spars and rigging. Her wheel and all her boats were smashed and two seamen washed overboard and drowned.

Schooner Destroyed by Fire.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., June 4.—The Thomaston, Me., schooner Mary B. Smith, from Thomaston for New York, with a cargo of lime, caught fire here and was destroyed. The sails, rigging and movable property on the deck were saved. The loss is not known. The Mary B. Smith was built at Ipswich in 1854 and was principally owned in Thomaston, Me. She registered 81 tons.

A Peculiar Accident.

Waltham, Mass., June 4.—F. C. White, engineer at the Roberts paper mill here, met with a peculiar and possibly fatal accident. While sharpening the knife of a lawn mower upon a grindstone, in some manner the knife slipped, inflicting a deep gash in Mr. White's throat and reaching within a short distance of the jugular vein.

Drowned Body Identified.

Kingston, N. Y., June 4.—The body of E. S. Schmittman of New York was identified by his son by means of a safe key found in his pockets. The body was found in the Hudson river at Rhinecliff on Tuesday and was taken possession of by a coroner at Red Hook. A watch and a sum of money were found in the pockets.

Four Fishermen Drowned.

Halifax, June 4.—Four fishermen were drowned off this harbor. They were attending to their lobster traps when a heavy sea struck their boat, throwing them into the breakers. The drowned are Spencer Griffin, son of the lighthouse keeper near by; James Manthorne, John Burke and Thomas Burke.

Vandals In a Church.

Cohasset, Mass., June 4.—Vandals are evidently at work in this town, and St. Anthony's Catholic church suffered materially. The chandeliers were smashed, the communion service stolen, and the poor box was broken open. About $100 damage was done to the interior of the church.

Weather Predictions.

Clearing; cooler; southwesterly winds, becoming northwesterly.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Showers This Afternoon; Clearing Tonight; Saturday Fair, Cooler.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 82 Degrees.

STOP THE THIEVING.

The somewhat startling frequency with which burglaries are now occuring in Westfield and other nearby towns, suggests a need in those localities of an organized effort by the local authorities for the protection of property. A night patrol, if properly conducted, with trustworthy men as watchmen, ought to give a fair degree of security. Where such a system has failed, it has general failed because it was laxty adminis tered. With a proper system of time registers, patrolman can be kept constantly on their rounds during the night, and when this is accomplished, the business of the professional burglar becomes at once more difficult and more serious. This is only a suggestion, however. The point to be borne in mind is, that action of some sort is needed at once to check the wholesale pillaging that is going on.

TOO MANY BILLS.

Too many laws; too much government. In New York the Legislature passed this year nearly a thousand bills, and Gavernor Black has signed about 800 of them. In New Jersey the new laws will run well up into the hundreds, although Governor Griggs killed nearly a hundred of the bills passed by the Legislature. What under the sun is the use of so many laws, for all these are in addition to thousands of laws already on the statute books. There are too many laws; they are too complicated and conflicting. Even the courts can't reasonably constiue them. The people are governed altogether too much.—Elizabeth Journal.

AFFECTING BENEFICIAL ORDERS.

In a recent suit of a member of a secret and fraternal society to recover sick benefits claimed to be due him, the justice nonsuited the plaintiff on the ground that he had not laid his case before the highest court or tribunal known to the order, the Supreme Court of New Jersey, having held that members of fraternal societies must exhaust every remedy known to their order before resorting to courts of law. This is a point that members of lodges and other societies will do well to make a note of.

BEST MAN FULL OF JOKES.

By a Bit of Tact He Monopolized All the Fun Himself.

Mr. and Mrs. James Everett Kimball, who were married in the Seventh-Day Baptist church, Wednesday evening, are spending their honeymoon at Beachcroft, East Gloucester, Mass. They escaped the showers of rice that their friends had planned for them, thanks to the efforts of the best man, Benjamin F. Langworthy, of Chicago, who had provided a ladder down which they crept from the second story window. Mr. Langworthy looked out, however, that they should not go unannounced. He sent their trunk ahead all bedecked with white ribbons and saw that their pockets were filled with rice, even if they were not showered with it.

Yesterday morning, he sent a pair of old shoes tied up with white ribbon by express to Beachcroft, as a gentle reminder to the couple.

LOVER'S WALK NO HIGHWAY.

Path Randolph Made While Courting Was Not a Public Road.

Vice-Chancellor Reed has refused to issue an injunction in the suit of Cezare F. Randolph against Michael Fox The two are neighbors and reside near New Brunswick. Their difficulty arose because Fox refused Randolph permission to travel over his land in order to reach his mother-in-law's house. The complainant held that the path he travelled was a public highway, but the defendant proved that Randolph himself had formed the path while courting his present wife.

—Additional local news on the third page.

—Fine creamery, 15 cents a pound, at MacDonald's. 6 4 2

—A special display of Jersey vegetables and berries will be found at the grocery of Neuman Brothers tomorrow. There will be a particulary fine assortment of peas, beans, tomatoes and asparagus.

—Have you selected your ice dealer for the summer? If not, the Plainfield Ice and Cold Storage Company solicits your patronage. John Morton, well-known to every housewife for his prompt service, is still one of the firm and would be pleased to serve you. You may order by telephone No. 41.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

James P. Wagner and family, of Duer street, moved yesterday to Dunellen.

Miss Sarah Kane, of West Third street, is visiting friends in Brooklyn for three weeks.

Mrs. J. H. Dumont, of Brooklyn, is visiting her sister, Mrs. George T. Rogers, of Myrtle avenue.

J. H. Primrose is in town endeavoring to organize a lodge of the Improved Order Heptasophs.

Charles Dunham and Miss Dunham, of Bound Brook, were guests of Plainfield friends yesterday.

Mrs. Mary H. Pike, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Martin I. Cooley, of Rockview Terrace.

Mrs. Arthur Lee Rogers, of New York, is visiting at the home of Mrs. A. VanDeventer, of Willow avenue.

J. C. Garey and family, have returned to their home on Craig place, after a week's visit with friends in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Rider, of Netherwood, left the city yesterday for Florida where they will remain for awhile.

George Hughes, of the borough, has returned from College, where he has been studying for the profession of lawyer.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Randolph, of West Second street, went to Nyack yesterday to attend the wedding of their nephew.

Nathan Reed, of New York, has come to this city to spend the summer. He is now boarding at 515 Park avenue.

Hon. and Mrs. N. B. Williams, of Lebanon, Conn., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. L. E. Livermore, of the Babcock building.

Miss Lizzie Day, of East Fourth street, has accepted a position as bookkeeper at J. M. Smalley's butcher shop, 405 Park avenue.

Mrs. John H. Kitchen and son, William Kitchen, of Somerset street, have returned from a short visit with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mrs. T. H. May, of Somerset street, accompanied by her niece, Miss Alice Demarest, are spending the day in New York, visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Randolph and family, of West Eighth street, have gone to Nyack to attend the wedding of their son, Edward F. Randolph.

Miss Clara Shepard, of the borough, is now private secretary to R. M. Dawson, manager of the Plainfield branch of the Prudential Insurance Company.

Edward O. Clark, of Washingtonville, has left Newark, where he was studying law, and entered the law offices of McNabb & Clark, where he will study hereafter.

Miss Louise Snediker and George Snediker, of Grove street, have been in Nyack, where they attended the wedding of Miss Nellie M. Smith, of Nyack, and Edward F. Randolph, of this city.

William Newcorn and Frank Blatz, of this city, went to Trenton today to take their written examinations which will admit them to the bar. Next Monday they will take their oral examinations.

Dr. Harris, president of Bucknell University, Lewisburg, Pa., will preach at the Scotch Plains Baptist church. Dr. Harris is a speaker of great power and no doubt there will be a large congregation present to greet him. He will be the guest of Dr. Cole while in Scotch Plains.

Walter B. Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, will not return this week as usual to spend Saturday and Sunday in Plainfield. His final Junior examinations at Stevens Institute have begun and will continue all next week. On Friday of next week, the Institute will close for the summer and he will return to Plainfield. During July, he will return to Hoboken to take a supplementary term of machine shopwork.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—The old board walk in front of the Buchannan property on Duer street has been removed preparatory to the laying of a stone walk. Those who are obliged to travel that way will appreciate the new walk exceedingly.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Fine creamery, 15 cents a pound, at MacDonald's. 6 4 2

—A meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps will be held tonight.

—Young rabbits and quail are very numerous in South Jersey at present, giving promise of good gunning next fall.

—Florist Peterson had charge of the floral decorations at the Lewis-Kimball wedding, Wednesday evening.

—A regular meeting of the Borough Council will be held this evening. Matters of importance will be considered.

—Flynn Brothers, 318 West Front street, have just received a large line of ladies Princess seamless oxford ties in black or tan.

—The employes of the street railway were busy repairing the wires on the West Front street line of the trolley yesterday.

—The Board of Directors of the Boys' Club have decided to have the exhibition of the work of the club repeated next Monday evening.

—Preparatory service in Trinity Reformed church this evening at 8 o'clock, preceding the sacrament of the Lord's supper on Sunday morning at 10.30.

—Patrolmen Fraleigh and Lunger are now doing night duty in business part of the city. The first of the month all of the officers were changed about.

—Grand Union Tea Company, 138 West Front street, handle best brands of tea and coffee at prices to suit the times. Their advertisement appears in another column.

—The regular meeting of the Consistory of the German Reformed church was postponed from last Wednesday evening until Wednesday evening of next week.

—Petitions are being circulated asking for the release of John W. Murphy, of Burlington, now serving a term in State prison for being short in his accounts as Township Collector.

—Herbert E. Meddaugh, vice president of the New Jersey Painting and Decorating Association, who was injured by falling from a trolley car on Tuesday, died in the General Hospital, yesterday, in Elizabeth.

—One of William Dean Howell's popular farces, "The Mouse Trap," will be given by the members of the Epworth League of the First M E. church, on the evening of Thursday, June 17th, in Vincent chapel. A programme including vocal and instrumental music will be given.

—Hunterdon county authorities are trying to apprehend the persons who attempted to assassinate John Cronce, a farmer, living near Oak Grove. Cronce, while on his way to Flemington with his two children, was fired upon from ambush. The bullet intended for him killed his horse.

—Ex-Sheriff George Barrett, of Camden, has announced himself as a candidate for commander of the New Jersey Department of the Grand Army of the Republic, which holds its annual encampment at Atlantic City next week. He will receive the almost unanimous support of the South Jersey delegation.

—The Music Committee of the Asbury Park Common Council, through Chairman Kirkbridge, signed a contract yesterday with W. N. Bartow, of Brooklyn, to furnish a band for the beach this summer. The band will give it first concert on Saturday of this week and continue the concerts twice daily until October 1st.

—The accounting of estate of McRee Swifth was filed in the Middlesex county Surrogate's office in New Brunswick. The amount of the principal is given as $211,292.02, with an income of $10,136.94. After the disbursements were made and the legacies paid there was a balance of $196,515.19. The commission paid on the principal was $17,395.22. There was no commission paid on the income.

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TALENT IN THESE GIRLS.

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"Herald," she said, and he must be sure that it was in the "Daily Press." Then Jack departed

The second scene was laid in the same drawing room the next evening. Jack had promised to come early but he had not arrived. "Sally" worried as the minute flew by, was sure that he was false, planned how she was to receive him cooly but when she heard his step in the hall flew to meet him with open arms.

E. Maxwell Honeyman, A. Willis West and Carl Stedman Brown acted as ushers. Charles Steiner collected the invitations at the door.

—Fine creamery, 15 cents a pound, at MacDonald's. 6 4 2

—Having picked 201 quarts of strawberries in eight hours, Henry W. Cranmer, of Richmond, claims the championship of South Jersey.

—The new culvert at the corner of Park avenue and West Second street failed to carry off the surplus water during the heavy shower last evening. On the other side of the street the culvert worked all right.

—The session of the Reformed Church Synod of Asbury Park was taken up yesterday with the reading of reports and miscellaneous business. President Charles W. Fritts announced his standing committees for the year.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Griggs expect to go to housekeeping at an early date.

Charles Coriell was in New Brunswick yesterday on important business.

Justice Storms, of New Market, has returned from a business trip to New York.

The members of the W. C. T. U. held a very interesting meeting yesterday afternoon.

A regular meeting of the borough Board of Education will be held next Monday evening.

The borough council will hold a meeting next Monday evening and transact important business.

Mrs. A. J. Whitney has returned from a two months visit with relatives in Massachussets and Illinois.

Clarence Vliet, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Schievely, has returned to his home in Philadelphia.

Mrs. S. E. Dickenson is entertaining friends from Canada. They are delighted with Dunellen and vicinity.

It is said that Captain Thompson has purchased the Ryder property, where he has been residing for some time.

Next Thursday evening Rev. Frank Fletcher will deliver his interesting lecture, "Sherman's March to the Sea," in the M. E. church.

W. Dunham has a St. Bernard dog which is probably the largest in this vicinity. Mr. Dunham had the dog weighed recently and he tipped the scales at 195 pounds.

The building of the town hall and the improvements of the roads has increased the tax rate to $226. This is considered pretty high for the privileges enjoyed by Dunellenites.

Committees from Piscataway township and the borough will meet at Nelson's Hotel, New Market, next Monday evening, for the purpose of adjusting the State railroad tax matter. Counsel Willis will represent the borough and Counsel Suydam will be present for the township.

Today is known as "School Day" in Piscataway Township, and the scholars in the township, together with the teachers, are assembled on Mahlon Vail's farm. Addresses were made by J. C. Morris, president of the Board of Education of Piscataway Township, Prof. Maxson, of Plainfield, and a number of other prominent educators. An interesting programme was also rendered by the scholars. At noon a dinner was served to all.

A strange state of affairs exists in Dunellen, for the borough has no Justice of the Peace, and those who have business in a Justice's court are obliged to go to New Market where Justice Storms holds court. At the last election in the borough Thomas Todd was elected to the office of Justice but he did not qualify and is not likely to. It is understood that he does not want the position. Of course, there are cases which can be taken before Mayor Brakely and he usually disposes of all ordinary cases. It is a matter of considerable interest to know how the borough will get along without a Justice of the Peace.

An amusing story is related of a Plainfield young man who, until recently, has been calling on a young lady in Dunellen. A few nights ago he called as usual but did not find his girl at home. He learned that she had attended prayer-meeting and he thought that he would wait for her. When the service was out he noticed his girl coming down the street with another young man. This did not please him and he decided that he would ask for an explanation. Before he could do this he saw the two, as he thought, going for a trolley car at a lively rate of speed. The Plainfield young man gave chase and at the same time he called to his girl to wait for him. The two did not wait and before he could reach the car they disappeared from view. This was more than the young man could stand jumped aboard and came to Plainfield. It afterwards happened that it was not his girl that left the borough with the other young man, but another young woman. The Plainfield man's girl walked off in another direction in company with a Dunellen young man. It is said that the Plainfield youth has decided to remain away from Dunellen in the future.

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity.

Central Council No. 131, Jr. O. U. A. M., meets tonight.

The Township Committee holds a meeting in the town rooms tonight.

The I. O. S. has organized a bicycle club and will take runs every Monday afternoon.

A family from Brooklyn moved into Dr. Theodore Smith's house on Clark street yesterday.

Mrs. B. J. Crosby left last night for Chicago, to meet Mr. Crosby on his return from California.

Harold Francis has returned to Perth Amboy after a few days' visit with his parents in this place.

The Bard Cycle Company has opened a temporary office in the building of L. E. Hart, on Elm street.

Fifteen fresh air children from New York city are now being entertained at the Children's Country Home.

J. Campbell Snyder, of Washington, D. C., has returned after a visit with Octavius Knight and family, of Elm street.

C. Sheerer, who has been conducting a tailoring establishment on Elm street, moved to New York, on Wednesday.

Thomas Dowd, of Plainfield, has been awarded the contract for laying the Union Water Company's mains in Westfield.

Mr. Hickson has removed from Central avenue to the house formerly occupied by Mr. Campbell and family, on Clark street.

Granville Toucey is recovering from a severe shaking up received in a fall from his bicycle at Springfield, on Decoration Day.

Rev. Wm. A. Ruth, of the Methodist church, will exchange pulpits with Rev. Alfred Evans, of Cranford, on Sunday morning.

The committee on Fourth of July celebration will hold a meeting tonight to decide upon a program and arrange for the purchase of fireworks.

The Willow Grove Sunday-school will hold its Children's Day exercises on Sunday afternoon. Roland Randolph has charge of the musical programme.

Harry A. Knight entertained the I. O. S. at his residence on Elm street last evening. After the evening's business had been disposed of, refreshments were served and an hour was pleasantly passed at whist.

Mrs. James Hannon, of Sussex street, who underwent an operation for tumor in the Elizabeth General Hospital, on Monday, is reported to be improving.

The case of Holmes against Cotton, over the ownership of a Jersey cow, which was to have been tried by Justice Collins yesterday, was postponed, and will come up on final trial next Tuesday. The case will be tried at New Providence.

The Ladies' Sewing Society of the Presbyterian church holds its annual strawberry and ice cream festival on the church lawn this afternoon and evening from 4 until 10 o'clock. From 8 until 10 o'clock a phonograph entertainment will be held in the lecture room in connection with the festival.

The strawberry tea and festival given by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church at Gale's clubhouse last evening, was a success, in spite of the severe storm, which compelled the committee and their patrons to give up the pretty lawn and take refuge within the clubhouse. After the storm passed over a large number of people visited the clubhouse and partook of the good things. The committee in general charge of the affair are: Mrs. W. Affleck, Mrs. L. M. Whitaker, Mrs. John Ingram, Mrs. Terry, Mrs. Giles, Mr. Townley and Mr. Woodring. In charge of the flower table were Mrs. S. S. Mapes, Mrs. C. E. Pearsall and Mrs. F. B. Hain. The cream and berries were served by the Misses Edith and Beth Morehouse, Miss Allie Crosby, Miss G. Woodruff, Miss Carrie Woodruff, Miss Ella Ferris and Miss May Moffett. The tea will be given again this evening in order that those who were afraid to venture out last evening may have an opportunity to attend.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

The trustees of the Baptist church held a meeting last night.

Mrs. Frank Fischer is visiting Mrs. Savage, of Springfield avenue.

Mrs. C. M. Flanders is entertaining a number of friends from New York.

Ex-Collector Norman Dunn is slightly improved after his recent serious illness.

The township committee are constructing a fine macadam roadbed on Marsh's road.

Mrs. Milliken, of New York city, is the guest of Mrs. T. J. Walsh, on the mountain road.

Justice Joseph Clark has been awarded the contract for painting the Baptist church buildings.

An interesting Eastern Temple drill will take place at the entertainment of Miss Anna D. Cooper, in the Scotch Plains school hall, on Monday evening.

Turton & Co. have received today their first lot of Jersey strawberries, from Keyport. They are of the famous variety known as the Lady Washington, and are of exceptionally fine flavor.

All Saint's Church, Scotch Plains—A full choral service will be rendered by the choir of the Holy Cross church, North Plainfield, on next Sunday evening, June 6th, at 8 o'clock. An address will be delivered on church music by the Rector, Rev. Edward H. True; and a cordial welcome is extended to all.

An exciting pig chase occurred in Scotch Plains yesterday. Two porkers belonging to Philip Jahn escaped and entered the field of C. M. Flanders, on Front street, and threatened considerable damage to the growing crops. Mr. Jahn offered a cash reward for the capture of the animals, and a large crowd of men and dogs turned out and joined in the chase. After half an hour's hot work the pigs were captured by Thomas Emery.

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The widespread belief that whatever we offer is the best and that whatever our prices are they cannot be beaten, is founded on the actual facts.

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Leave Scotch Plains.	6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m.
	2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
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—Additional locals on page 3.

—The contract case of Manners against Baldwin will be tried in Justice Mosher's court June 10th. Judge DeMeza represents the plaintiff.

—A special meeting will be held at the First Church of Christ this evening, after which the board of trustees will meet.

—A standing bush, containing about fifty beautiful fragrant Jac. roses, attracts the attention and is much admired by passersby at the home of Mrs. D. J. Marshall, 317 Park avenue.

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DIED.

ENRIGHT—In this city, June 3d, 1897, Bridget Enright, aged 36 years.

Funeral from her late residence, 501 Monroe avenue, Saturday, June 5th, 1897, at 8:30 a. m., and from St. Mary's church at 9 a. m. Friends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in St. Mary's Cemetery.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

WANTED—$2,000 on first mortgage. Address S. C., care Press. 6 4 2

SITUATION wanted for a competent woman, as chambermaid and waitress, or would assist with ironing. Apply present employer, 20 Rockview avenue. 6 4 3

HORSE wanted for his keep, for 30 or 60 days. Apply Howell's grocery, 191 North avenue. 6 4 2

FOR SALE—Light runabout wagon, very cheap. 334 Carlton avenue.

FOR SALE or to let, 437 East Fifth street; price $3,000, rent $25. Mulford, broker.

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished, house, No. 92 Duer street. Enquire on premises. 6 3 tf

3 PLEASANT convenient rooms to let. 404 Third street, corner Central avenue. 6 1 6

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—Fine creamery, 15 cents a pound, at MacDonald's. 6 4 2

—Edward White will put on sale tomorrow a lot of new hammocks at very low prices.

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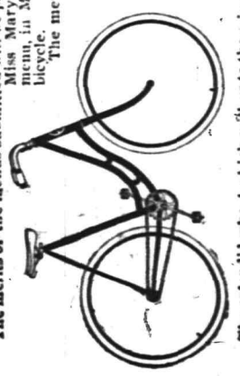

A lady's Columbia Bicycle, 1897 Model, will be given to the winner in THE AMERICAN QUEEN competition, which will be open to all the subscribers to THE AMERICAN QUEEN until June 30, 1897. The Columbia, the standard bicycle of the world, has been selected for this competition, because the publishers of THE AMERICAN QUEEN are convinced that it is the best and that the woman who wins it would have it in preference to any other make.

The Columbia is now on exhibition at our store, and will remain on exhibition until June 30th, when the competition will close and the Columbia will be awarded to the fortunate winner.

The contest which we have just inaugurated, by or through which some subscriber to THE AMERICAN QUEEN is going to win a fine, high-grade $100 Columbia Bicycle, is already well under way. The contest will remain open until June 30 1897. The conditions and plan of this contest are simply these: We purpose presenting a Columbia Bicycle, 1897 Model, to the lady subscriber who furnishes the *best menu*, for one week, for a family (five, the cost of such menu not to exceed $10 for the week. The merits of the menus submitted will be passed upon by the Editor of THE AMERICAN QUEEN, assisted by Miss Mary L. Disland, and the person furnishing the best menu, in Miss Disland's judgment, will be presented with the bicycle.

The menus submitted should be enclosed in one envelope and the name of the sender in a separate one, the two being handed in or sent in to us. The envelopes containing the menus will then be numbered and sent to Miss Disland and the envelopes containing the names reserved by us, and when Miss Disland makes her choice of the menus she will inform us of the number of the winner and we will then announce the result in local newspapers and THE AMERICAN QUEEN.

The only requirement necessary to admit you to this contest is that you be a subscriber to THE AMERICAN QUEEN.

The splendid wheel which will go to the winner is on exhibition in the store and may be seen at any time.

We want everybody to feel free to go into this contest and we hope that hundreds of our customers will fix their minds on good things to eat and build them into an acceptable menu for the week, and at the same time keep the cost down to $10.

THE COMPETITION.—Our aim in offering this competition is to have every lady we can reach with this announcement become a reader of THE AMERICAN QUEEN. THE QUEEN is published at $1 a year, but to give all our friends a chance to get this splendidly useful home publication for the ensuing year and at the same time have a chance to become the proud possessor of the standard cycle, we shall until the 30th day of June receive subscriptions (only one, however, will be taken from each family) for the nominal fee of 25 Cents a year. Come to the store at once, register your name, receive your receipt for THE QUEEN for one year and try to win the Columbia.

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Proceedings of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County.

[OFFICIAL.]

Pursuant to the statute, the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union, for the year commencing on May 12, 1897, convened in the Court House in the City of Elizabeth, on Wednesday, May 12, 1897, at 11 o'clock a. m.

The Board was called to order by S. Rusling Ryno, Clerk, who administered the oath to Freeholders-elect Christian Ehrlich and John Farrell.

The roll was called by cities and townships, as follows:

Clark Township—Benjamin King.

Cranford Township—George W. Littell.

City of Elizabeth—Wm. H. Hulskamper, Frederick Miller, James C. Ogden, Jacob Brucklacher.

Fanwood Township—John Robison.

Linden Township—Henry Krause.

New Providence—John F. Wahl.

City of Plainfield—J. Frank Hubbard, John H. Tier.

City of Rahway—Christian Ehrlich, John Farrell.

Springfield Township—J. Martin Roll.

Summit Township—Wm. H. Swain.

Union Township—James A. Burnett.

Westfield Township—Addison S. Clark.

All members were present excepting Freeholder Hulskamper, of the City of Elizabeth.

The clerk stated that the first business would be the election of director of the board and called for nominations

Freeholder Swain nominated J. Frank Hubbard. There were no other nominations.

Freeholder Clark moved that the election of J. Frank Hubbard as director be made unanimous and that the clerk cast the ballot, which was carried.

Freeholders Roll and Clark were appointed as tellers.

Upon ballot being cast, it was declared by the tellers to read as follows: "For Director, J. Frank Hubbard," who was thereupon declared elected as director for the ensuing year.

Director Hubbard was escorted to the chair by the tellers and briefly returned his thanks for the honor again conferred upon him

RESOLUTIO S.

By Freeholder Littell:

Resolved, That the salary of the county collector be fixed at fifteen hundred dollars ($1,500) per annum.

On motion of Freeholder Roll, the resolution was on roll-call adopted unanimously.

Freeholder Littell nominated Edward M. Wood for County Collector; there were no other nominations.

Freeholder Clark moved that the election of Mr. Wood be made unanimous and that the clerk cast the ballot, which motion was carried.

Upon ballot being cast, Edward M. Wood was declared elected as County Collector for the term of three years as the unanimous choice of the Board.

Mr. Wood, in a short speech accepted the office to which he had been elected and thanked the Board for the honors as again conferred upon him; he briefly referred to the excellent economical management of county affairs by the Board during the past year, as evidenced in the handsome balance shown at the end of the year, and also by the unusual fact, that there had been a balance to the credit of all appropriations, thereby making unnecessary any transfer of funds.

By Freeholder Littell:

Resolved, That the salary of the County Road Inspector be fixed at sixty dollars ($60) per month.

On motion of Freeholder Roll, the resolutions on roll-call was unanimously adopted.

Freeholder Littell nominated James W. Fink for County Road Inspector; there were no other nominations.

Freeholder Littell moved that the election of Mr. Fink be made unanimous and that the clerk cast the ballot, which motion was carried.

Upon ballot being cast, Mr. Fink was declared elected as County Road Inspector for the ensuing year, as the unanimous choice of the Board.

By Freeholder Swain:

Resolved, That the rules of order governing the last Board be adopted as the rules of this Board.

On motion of Freeholder Miller, the motion was adopted without dissent.

By Freeholder Ogden:

Resolved, That the regular meetings of this Board be held on the first Thursday of each month at 2:30 p. m.

On motion of Freeholder Littell, the resolution was adopted without dissent.

By Freeholder Littell:

Resolved, That the proceedings of the Board of Chosen Freeholders be published in the following papers, at the compensation of $100 per annum each, viz: City of Elizabeth—Elizabeth Daily Journal, Daily Leader, Freie Presse, Contractor and Gazette. City of Plainfield—Courier-News, Daily Press. City of Rahway—New Jersey Advocate, Union Democrat. Summit Township—Summit Herald, Summit Record. Westfield Township—Union County Standard, Westfield Leader.

On motion of Freeholder Miller, the resolution on roll call was unanimously adopted.

By Freeholder Littell:

Resolved, That all papers authorized to publish the minutes of this Board, shall publish the same within one week from the time of receiving copy of the same and shall send to the clerk of this board a copy each month of said paper containing such minutes.

On motion of Freeholder Roll, the resolution was adopted without dissent.

By Freeholder Burnett:

Resolved, That the Director be and is hereby constituted a member of all committees.

On motion of Freeholder Brucklacher, the resolution was adopted without dissent

By Freeholder Tier:

Resolved, That a committee of five (5) be appointed to meet a committee from the Somerset County Board, to consider the advisability and probable cost of building two (2) line bridges on Watchung and Sycamore avenues in the city of Plainfield, over Green Brook, between Somerset and Union counties and report on same at the next meeting of this Board.

On motion of Freeholder Roll, the resolution was adopted without dissent,

By Freeholder Littell:

Resolved, That when this meeting adjourns it stands adjourned to meet on Thursday, May 20, 1897, at 2.30 p. m.

On motion of Freeholder Farrell, the resolution was adopted without dissent.

From F. W. Westcott, County Physician, his annual report as follows:

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the county of Union:

Gentlemen—I herewith submit to your Honorable Body my first report, ending May 1, 1897.

I have investigated 105 cases during the past year. Number of cases due to natural causes, 42; number of deaths due to railroad accidents, 30; number of deaths due to other causes than railroad accidents, 7; number of cases from drowning, 6; from burns, 3; from heat, 2; number of still births, 2; from hemorrhage following operation, 1. Of this number, five remain unclaimed and unknown.

(Signed.)

Frank W. Westcott, M. D.,
County Physician.

On motion of Freeholder Robison, received and placed on file.

The Director then announced the appointment of the standing committees for the year 1897-98 as follows, viz.:

Collector's Bond—Wahl, Miller, Burnett.

Publication—Hulskamper, Wahl Swain.

Discharge of Prisoners—Krause, Roll, Robison.

Settle with Collector—Littel, King, Krouse.

Audit Accounts—Ogden, Roll, Burnett.

Lunacy—Miller, Roll, Clark.

Public Grounds and Buildings—Farrel, Ogden, Clark.

Jail Inspection — Tier, Krause, Swain.

Stationery — Little, Hulskamper, Ehrlich.

Settle with Sheriff—Robison, Tier, Wahl.

Miscellaneous Accounts and Agreements—King, Robison, Brucklacher.

Legal Questions—Ehrlich, Tier, Brucklacher.

Appropriations — Farrell, Ogden, Littell, Clark, Brucklacher.

County Roads—Roll, Ogden, Littell, Krause, Swain.

Elizabeth Drawbridge—Hulskamper Miller, Burnett.

Rahway Drawbridge—Ehrlich, Farrel, King.

There being no further business, Freeholder Roll moved to adjourn, which was carried.

The Director declared the board adjourned until Thursday, May 20th, 1897, at 2:30 p. m.

S. RUSLING RYNO, Clerk.

BREAKING A $20 GOLD PIECE.

When Tapped by a Connoisseur the Center Fell Out.

One of the most puzzled men in town is a Montgomery street restaurant keeper who recently took in a $20 gold piece which filled all the ordinary requirements of genuineness so far as a superficial test could reveal true facts. But a few days ago a banker stepped into his place and saw the $20 gold piece which the restaurant man had received only a short time before. The banker had a queer look in his eyes as he took the coin and rapped it sharply with his knife, and the restaurant keeper had a stranger expression as he saw his supposed $20 piece break into two pieces, says the San Francisco Call.

"How is this?" he demanded.

The banker answered: "It is the same old game. I had one of these pieces myself, and since that I have tested gold pieces of the $20 denomination very carefully. If that had been genuine my test would not have broken it."

Then the restaurant keeper and the banker carefully examined it together. The outside of the gold piece was all right, seemingly, when the dissevered parts were placed together. The milling seemed to be up to the standard. The weight was correct.

But the inside of the piece was half filled with a composition which was not the customary gold and alloy. Still closer examination revealed that the gold had been sawed through with exquisite care and skill just inside of the milling. Then the milling had been removed, and from the interior of the piece some of the gold had been extracted and the baser composition was made to take the place of the more precious metal. Then, with equal deftness and skill, the milling had been replaced and soldered in some way, and the trick was done.

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 30, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 38, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 25, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28, p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16, 11 14 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30 5 41, 7 01, 8 13 8 52, 10 17, p m.

Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 20 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 1 45, p.m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 57, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, am; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 25, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28 1 45, 3 17 3 30, 5 41, 7 01 8 13 8 52, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03 10 05, 11 35, a.m; (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 3 32 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, (1 40, Saturdays only) 3 11, 3 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 15, 7 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 39 5 09, 6 35, 10 35, 1 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 38, 7 48, 8 19 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 2 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 9 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46 3 11, 4 36, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 28, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 02 a m; 6 30, 10 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 18 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

3 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 36 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

5 15 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m, Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 18 a. m, Sundays—For Easton.

4 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m. 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 03, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 32 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 48, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 4 36, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a.m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m., 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 10 44 a. m., 5 09*, 6 45, p. m., 1 17 night.

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12 54 a. m. Daily except Sunday. Local for Mauch Chunk.

12 52 p. m. daily except Sunday, "BLACK DIAMOND EXPRESS" for Rochester and Buffalo.

1 44 p. m. daily except Sunday. Local for Mauch Chunk.

2 34 and 4 58 p. m. daily except Sunday, express for Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Pottsville, Hazleton, Shamokin, and principal intermediate stations.

6 25 p. m. daily. Local for Easton.

7 10 p. m., daily except Sunday, for Slatington and principal intermediate stations.

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2 15 p. m. Sundays, local for Shamokin.

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For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 6 48, 7 50, 10 05 a. m. 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. m Sunday 8 00, 9 10 a. m. 2 20 and 6 25 p. m.

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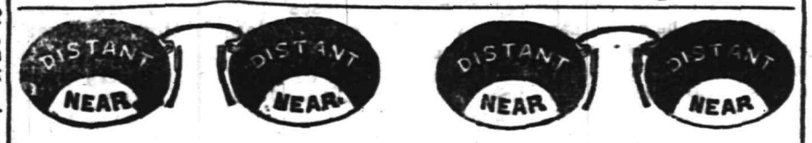

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EMBASSADORS MEET.

First Sitting Between Representatives of the Different Countries Held.

Constantinople, June 4.—The first sitting of the peace negotiations was held at the Tophane palace between the embassadors of the powers and Tewfik Pasha, the Turkish minister for foreign affairs.

No secretary was present, and the only record that will be kept of the proceedings was such as each embassador would make for himself.

It is understood that the result of three hours of deliberation was that Count Nelidoff, the Russian embassador, will prepare a memorandum as to the rectification of the frontier; M. Cambon, the French embassador, a memorandum as to the capitulations in the case of Greek subjects in Turkey, and Sir Philip Currie, the British embassador, a memorandum as to indemnity.

The conference then adjourned, to meet again Saturday to consider these memoranda.

An Armistice Signed.

Athens, June 4.—It is officially announced that an armistice has been signed between the Greek and Turkish military commanders in Thessaly and Epirus.

MAGOWAN'S PROPERTY.

Disposal of Part of It at Public Auction at Trenton.

Trenton, June 4.—The sale of ex-Mayor Frank A. Magowan's personal property under executions representing nearly $200,000 worth of judgments was adjourned without disposing of the furniture of the colonial mansion. The sale, apart from wagons and horses, embraced Magowan's holdings of stock in the various companies with which he has been connected.

The stock was put up in large blocks and was sold for nominal sums, after a statement in each case that the stock had been hypothecated for loans and that it was sold subject to this hypothecation.

The buyers were persons interested in the loans made on the stock. Magowan was at the sale, and after entering a protest and showing indignation became suppliant and begged Senator Skirm, who has been his principal financial backer, to stop the sale.

The mansion in which Magowan and Mrs. Barnes Magowan are living is mortgaged for $15,000. Foreclosure proceedings are now pending.

DIFFICULTIES AMONG VESSELS.

A British Steamer Charged With Having Interfered With an American Vessel.

Halifax, June 4.—Reports have just been received here of several difficulties that have occurred on the New Foundland fishing grounds between American, French and Canadian schooners and the captain of her majesty's steamer Pelican.

A complaint has been made against the captain of the Pelican that he interfered a few days ago with a Nova Scotia schooner and compelled the captain to sell herring to French vessels at 40 cents per barrel.

It is supposed that the captain of the Pelican maintained that the fish were taken in French waters. Other schooners, it is said, were treated in the same manner.

On May 22 two American schooners and several French vessels had a difficulty over the cargoes of the former, which the Americans were obliged to sell to the French. One of the fishermen, Captain Ozon, says the warship had no right to compel the sale of the fish.

THE DURRANT CASE.

An Appeal May Delay the Execution For Six Months.

San Francisco, June 4.—The attorneys for Theodore Durrant again appeared before Judge Gilbert in the United States circuit court and applied for a writ of supercedeas for the purpose of staying the execution of sentence, but this was denied by the court.

An application for leave to appeal from this decision to the supreme court of the United States was then granted. Although it is an open question whether, in view of the denial of the stay of supercedeas, the order of the court acts as a stay of proceedings, Attorney General Fitzgerald told Warden Hale to take no action in the premises pending the appeal.

As the United States supreme court does not meet again until October next this virtually means a respite for six months at least.

VIOLENT ELECTRIC STORM.

Roofs Blown Off, Windows Broken and Other Damage Done.

Rome, N. Y., June 4.—This vicinity was visited by the most violent electric storm that has been experienced since 1893. The rain fell in sheets for about 10 minutes, accompanied by high wind and a part of the time by hail. There was incessant thunder and lightning. Within a mile west of Rome 35 Western Union telegraph poles were blown down. A part of the roof of the State Custodial asylum was blown off. Many of the asylum windows were broken by hail. The fire alarm, electric light and telephone wires were badly tangled. A new 100 foot smokestack at the electric light works was blown down. Lightning struck one or two buildings.

Town Struck by a Waterspout.

Sioux Falls, S. D., June 4.—Reports from Jasper, a small town six miles northeast of here, say that a waterspout struck there. The Great Northern track for miles is two feet under water, and nearly all culverts and bridges in that region are washed out. Crops are damaged greatly.

Bluejackets Desert.

Boston, June 4.—Word was received at police headquarters from the Charlestown navy yard that seven bluejackets belonging to the flagship New York, now lying at this port, had deserted. The customary $20 will be paid for the return of each one.

Collision Between Vessels.

L'Original, Ont., June 4.—The steamer Hale, bound from Ottawa to Montreal, collided with the tug Sir Hector. The latter vessel sank within two minutes. The captain and crew were saved with difficulty.

New Postmaster.

Washington, June 4.—E. R. Allen has been confirmed as postmaster at Columbus, Pa.

MAKING GOOD RECORD.

The Senators Doing Remarkably Well In the Tariff Matter.

MR. TILLMAN SPEAKS ABOUT SUGAR

He Defends Himself From Charges—Some Lively Exchanges Occur Between Him and Other Members—The House Makes Several Amendments.

Washington, June 4.—The senate has again made good progress on the tariff bill, covering about 10 pages of the metal schedule and almost completing it. The formal contest against the measure was maintained, but all the amendments tending to change the bill as reported were voted down and the finance committee sustained. The debate was mainly of a technical character, the Republican senators continuing the policy of refraining from making speeches.

Before the tariff bill was taken up Senator Tillman of South Carolina gave the senate another hour of exciting controversy over the proposed sugar investigation. He defended himself from public charges relative to his administration of the governorship of South Carolina and then moved that the committee having charge of the sugar resolution be discharged from further consideration of it, thus bringing the subject directly before the senate.

Mr. Gallinger of New Hampshire, in behalf of the committee, made a spirited protest against this course, and also urged that the senate should not turn aside from its public work to investigate charges affecting the private character of senators.

There were frequent lively exchanges between Mr. Tillman, Mr. Gallinger and Mr. Jones of Nevada, but in the end Mr. Tillman withdrew his motion.

Senator Pettigrew gave notice of an amendment he will offer to the paragraph in the tariff bill relating to iron ore. The amendment takes sulphuret of iron from the free list and imposes a duty of $2.25 per ton. Mr. Pettigrew made an effort to have the amendment considered at the time, but was met with objections from several Republican senators, including Senator Pritchard. Mr. Pritchard afterward stated that his reason for objecting was to be found in the fact that he has a similar amendment pending, which he has been led to believe the finance committee may accept.

House Proceedings Quiet.

The house proceedings were enlivened by a single incident, the attempt of Mr. Terry (Dem.) of Arkansas to secure consideration as privileged matter of a resolution for the immediate appointment of the committee on foreign affairs, in order, as the preliminary whereases recited, to permit action on the senate Cuban belligerency resolution. It was ruled out of order, and an appeal taken from the decision of the chair was laid on the table by a strict party vote.

Mr. Simpson, the Populist leader, was absent, and several bills were passed by unanimous consent. The Frye bill to prevent collisions on certain harbors, rivers and inland waters of the United States and the senate resolution for the relief of the El Paso flood sufferers, amended so as to make the appropriation of $10,000 available out of the unexpended balance of the appropriation for the Mississippi flood sufferers, were passed, and the conference report on the Indian appropriation bill was passed.

Tariff Reform Club's Work.

Washington, June 4.—The tariff reform committee of the Reform club has established headquarters at room 77 Corcoran building, and it is intended to maintain an organization till the close of the pending tariff legislation. Mr. James G. Parsons is in charge of the undertaking here. Mr. Calvin Tompkins, the chairman of the committee, has been here for the past few days and states that he has completed arrangements for the satisfactory conduct of the work. Mr. Tompkins says that the presence of leading business men has been arranged for, representing the following industries: Cotton, lumber, wool, woolens, linens, silk, paper and tobacco. Representatives from these trades and industries will be present in Washington in advance of the debate which is to take place in the senate on each schedule, so that ample opportunity for discussion will be provided.

Mail Service Contract Awarded.

Washington, June 4.—The postmaster general has awarded to the Starin transportation line of New York the contract for performing the newly instituted New York harbor mail service. This provides for a vessel to carry the mails from Quarantine station to the government pier near the Battery, to the Pennsylvania railroad depot at Jersey City and to a point adjacent to the Grand Central depot in New York city. The mails for New York are landed at the Battery pier, while landing at the other two points obviates the necessity for sending the outside mails through the New York office and expedites them by many hours through direct train connections. The contract price is $29,740, and the contract is to run four years.

Orchards Damaged.

Hudson, N. Y., June 4.—The apple tree worm is causing great destruction in the orchards of Columbia county. Large numbers of trees have been wholly or partly stripped of leaves by the pest. The big gray nests hang everywhere in the bare branches of the trees. All attempts to stay the work of destruction by the worm have proved unavailing, and there are fears that every orchard in the county will be ruined.

Unable to Obtain Bail.

Newburg, N. Y., June 4.—Former Assemblyman Grant B. Taylor, arrested last week on the charge of forgery in the first degree, is still in jail here, having been unable to procure bail. It is probable that all attempts to obtain bail will be abandoned until after the grand jury acts next week. It is stated that losses by reason of certain mortgages have been made good.

Death of Editor Lynk.

Amsterdam, N. Y., June 4.—Martin Lynk, a well known newspaper man and one of the founders of the Amsterdam Sentinel, died in Syracuse, aged 48 years. For several years he was publisher of the Fort Plain Standard. He leaves a family.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 4:30 a. m.
Sun Sets: 7:26 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 8:26 p. m.

GOSSIP OF THE CYCLERS.

TEMS INTERESTING TO DEVOTEES OF THE STEEL STEEDS.

The Popular Exercise Provides Incidents and Expressions That are of Especial Moment When Wheeling is the Rage.

Miss Manning, of West Front street, has purchased a new wheel.

George Zimmer, of Linden avenue, has received his new wheel, built by P. H. Zimmer.

J. W. Crawley, of the Plainfield Electric Light Company, has purchased a Pierce of E. Frank Vail.

F. W. L. Fullerton, of Montclair, rode over to Plainfield, Wednesday afternoon, on a tandem with a friend to call on his Plainfield friends.

F. L. C. Martin will pilot a party of Plainfield cyclists through the Inter-Club century run on Saturday, June 12th. Those who can take advantage of the run will do well to consult Mr. Martin.

C. Elmer Willis and Clarence Trelease, of Newark, left New York last evening on a tour to San Francisco and return. They arrived in this city at 10 o'clock this morning, and will leave tomorrow morning.

F. L. C. Martin is to act as Marshal of the New Jersey Club Division at The Telegram parade on the Boulevard, tomorrow afternoon. He has selected Meredith Dryden and Albert Woltmann, of this city, as his aides.

The Y. M. C. A. cyclers will receive and entertain the members of the Y. M. C. A. Cycling League of Northern New Jersey at the association building, this evening. The visitors will arrive here between 8 and 9 o'clock and will be given a short programme and refreshments for the body.

The committee of the Associated Cycling clubs of Philadelphia in charge of the Inter-Club Century Run from Newark to Philadelphia, announces that positively no scorching or fast riding will be permitted on the run. The time will average eight miles per hour. Ample time will be allowed at each stop for rest, and no one need become tired or exhausted by keeping up an unusual pace. It is intended that every starter shall come in a winner at the end and be able to sport one of the Inter-Club medals, as the handsomest trophy of the year, if he chooses to. The roads are superb; their grades almost entirely level the greater part of the way and easily rolling where not strictly so, while their surface is finer than any city park drive, and the unsurpassed scenery makes up a trip unequalled in this country.

AROUND THE BASES.

The Plainfield Athletic Club will play the Elizabeths on the latter's grounds Saturday afternoon at the Linden race track.

Ben. Eddy, the baseball player, expects to go to California at an early date where he will play on one of the crack teams in that State.

Tomorrow afternoon the New Brunswick Y. M. C. A. baseball team will come to this city and play the Plainfield Athletic Club team on the LaGrande avenue grounds. A good game is promised.

TENNIS.

The New Jersey state championship originally scheduled for yesterday on the courts of the Hohokus Valley Tennis Club, has been indefinitely postponed at the request of the management of the club. There has been such a falling off in the interest of tennis during the last year, due in part to the increase of bicycling and golf, that the club has not yet been able to put its grounds in proper condition for a tournament.

Lightning Killed a Cow.

Lightning struck and instantly killed a cow last evening owned by John Kelly, of Clinton avenue. The cow was in pasture at the time and when Mr. Kelly went for her he found the animal dead in the field. The animal was a valuable one and Mr. Kelly feels the loss very much.

FARM BUILDINGS BURNED.

A Stirling Farmer the Victim of a Careless Employe's Pipe.

Yesterday afternoon, between the hours of 2 and 3 o'clock, a large barn owned by J. McGraffs, and located this side of Stirling, was totally destroyed by fire. The structure was an old-fashioned one and was worth about $3,000. The contents, including a number of wagons, harnesses, calves, a quantity of hay, straw and feed, and a large collection of farming utensils, were all destroyed.

Mr. McGraffs was out in the field working at the time when he noticed smoke coming from the roof of the barn. When he reached the spot he discovered that the interior of the structure was ablaze. There was no one about the place at the time. Mr. McGraffs believes that one of his workmen was in the barn smoking a pipe and that accidentally some sparks set fire to the hay or straw. There being no fire protection in that vicinity all hopes of saving anything was useless.

The barn and contents were partially insured.

GALA DAY FOR PUPILS.

Annual School Day of Piscataway Observed in Vail's Grove.

Today will be a gala day for the pupils, parents and friends of the public schools of Piscataway township It is known as School Day and the occasion is under the management of the Board of Education. The exercises are being held in Mahlon Vail's grove in New Market and began at 10 o'clock in the morning, when the pupils of the ten schools arrived in charge of their teachers. The procession was formed at the schoolhouse and a march made to the grounds, where seats were provided for 500 people. Among the speakers scheduled is Prof. Maxson, of this city.

Through a Bottle at the Clerk.

Yesterday afternoon about 4:30 o'clock Miss McGee, of Somerset street, called at F. W. Rowley's drug store and asked for a quanity of alcohol. She had a bottle with her and she desired that no label be placed on the same to designate its contents.

The clerk refused to give the woman the alcohol without a prescription. This angered her and she threw the bottle at the clerk. It missed its aim and struck the wall.

After a while Miss McGee was removed to the home of Mrs. Randolph, on Somerset street, where she has been stopping for some time. Proper treatment was given her and in a short time she became quiet.

Euchre Playing the Feature.

The members of the Thursday Evening Euchre Club were entertained last evening at the home of Miss Etta Krymer, of West Second street. As usual, euchre was the feature of the evening. The first prizes in the game were won by Mrs. Will Tier and Robt. M. Clark, and the second prizes by Miss Etta Krymer and Edward O. Clark. Refreshments and a social time followed.

Seeking an Assailant.

The Hunterdon County authorities are seeking the person who is charged by John Cronce, a well-to-do farmer living near Oak Grove, whith attempted assassination. Cronce was on his way toward Flemington late in the evening with his two children. While passing a lonely spot a bullet fired from ambush whizzed past Cronce and struck his horse, which fell dead in the road.

Bicycle Sociable Details.

There will be an important business meeting of the Epworth League of the First M. E. church this evening, in Vincent chapel. The officers will be elected for the ensuing year and the report of the old officers will be read. The final details for the bicycle sociable will be made. The business session will be followed by a sociable, when refreshments will be served.

Chimney Collapsed.

Last evening during the heavy storm a chimney on the house located at the corner of Watchung avenue and Harmony street, and occupied by Mr. Moffett, the Somerset street photographer, collapsed. At first it was thought that the chimney was struck by lightning, but later it was discovered that the bricks were loose and that the wind and trees was responsible for the accident.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

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—Four and six-button length white chamois kid gloves, 67 cents, at White's tomorrow.

—Crane & Clark, hatters, will close out their stock of men's shoes tomorrow at about half price.

—The Volunteers of America will hold their usual service at Reform Hall, Sunday, at 8 p. m.

—A rose festival will be given in the chapel of the First Presbyterian church Thursday, June 17th, under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary.

—Don't fail to hear the converted bartender and tramp, now an evangelist, John Fairchild, of Newark, who will be at Reform Hall, Sunday next, at 4 p. m.

—The strawberry and ice-cream sociable and dance held in Amphion Hall last night under the auspices of Martha Washington Council, No. 23, D. of A., was a success financially as well as socially.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Peter B. Bogart, formerly of this city, but now of Brooklyn, spent yesterday as the guest of A. E. Bushnell and family, on Park avenue.

Cards are out announcing the approaching marriage of Helen Coriell, of Dunellen, to Clarence White, of Red Bank, at the home of the bride's parents on Wednesday, June 16th, at 7 p. m. Mr. White is of the shoe firm of White & Knapp, of Red Bank.

Slashed by a Razor.

The young colored people of this city, held a dance in T. A. B. hall last evening and a lively fight resulted before the affair came to an end. Just how it started is not known, but a white man was present and became engaged in a row with some of the colored men.

The latter crowded the former so hard that he drew a razor from his pocket and slashed it back and forth. While doing this the instrument caught Sam Conway in the breast, inflicting a painful wound. The cut is not a serious one and no arrests have been made.

CURRENT WIT AND HUMOR

"Might I ask what school of poetry you prefer?" inquired the young man who writes.

And the old gentleman replied: "The homeopathic school. The smaller the dose, the better it suits me."—Washington Star.

Little Willie—Ma, is pa your "steady?"

Mamma (somewhat shocked)—Why do you ask such a question?

Willie—I thought he must be, 'cause I notice that he comes here to see you two or three times a week and for an hour or two on Sunday, just as the cook's beau does, and he's her "steady," she says.—New York Journal.

"I wonder," said the philological boarder, "why a fight is called a scrap?"

"Because it is a broken peace," the Cheerful Idiot explained, with his usual promptitude.—Indianapolis Journal.

"They say that it takes at least three generations to make a gentleman."

"Like one of these?"

"Yes, I suppose so."

"Hump! It doesn't seem worth the trouble."—Truth.

"Excuse me," said Farmer Corntossel to the clerk, "but would you mind telling me what them is?"

"They are pajamas."

"What are they fur?"

"To wear when you have retired."

"Well, ideas does differ. But I must say thet if them's evenin' clothes I don't blame some folks fur defyin' fashion an' declarin' p'int blank thet they won't wear 'em."—Washington Star.

"I don't understand why you dislike Herbert so," said Mabel to her father.

"I don't think he has any ideas of finance."

"I am sure you wrong him. He is devoted to it. He stopped right in the middle of his proposal to me to ask how your business was getting along." Washington Star.

Operator (on 'Change)—"I'll sell a car of cash hay at $2.55."

Operator No. 2 (just learning)—"I'll take it."

"Who for?"

"Ah, don't get gay. For the horses."—Chicago Tribune.

A Popular Priest Resigns.

Father Holleran, the assistant rector of St. Patrick's church at Elizabethport, resigned yesterday, and has gone to Bordentown, where he will take charge of a parish.

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Green Peas, fair quality, per can	5c	Top Round Steak, per lb,	14c
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WHAT'LL VOORHEES DO?

AN INTERESTING SITUATION FOR THE JERSEY REPUBLICANS.

The Union Senator Bound to Bob Up as a Pesky Problem in the Gubernatorial and U. S. Senatorship Campaign.

One fact was developed at last week's special session of the Legislature which has thus far received but little attention. Its importance with relation to the United States Senatorial campaign is bound to bring it out in all its pesky obtrusiveness, however, and it will rise up to vex the Republican managers in the days to come. Toward the close of the late regular session of the Legislature, in which so much peanut politics figured, it was conspicuously noticed that a severe frost has settled upon the relations of Governor Griggs and Senator Foster M. Voorhees, leader of the majority in the Senate.

The demonstration of disaffection came during the Senatorial caucus on Monday night last, preceding the extra session. There was a long, informal talk among the fourteen Republican Senators as to the course to be pursued. It was a well established and thoroughly understood fact that the Governor and the other State leaders desired the Legislature to simply correct the typewriter's error in the anti gambling amendment and skeedaddle home. How well the leaders had things in hand was demonstrated later when the crucial test came. Many of the Senators had felt the withering stroke of the veto pen upon pet measures, and they hoped to gather enough support to resurrect these bills from the "executive graveyard," but they were enjoined by the leaders to leave it all alone because the regular session had done enough mischief for one year. At length it was unanimously agreed that no new legislation should be considered and that the vetoed bills should be allowed to moulder in their grave.

Senator Voorhees was not entirely satisfied. Holding fast to the theory that the proposed judiciary amendment to the Constitution was not new business, but simply the taking up of neglected duty, he made an earnest plea for his amendment. But when put to a vote Voorhees was the only one who gave it an affirmative; all the others were opposed to bringing up any subject whatever except the correction of the typewriter's error.

Surprised by the unanimity with which his request was turned down, disappointed over the turn affairs had taken and chagrined by the apparent disregard of his colleagues for the wishes of the people, Senator Voorhees restrained himself with difficulty. He warned the Senators that a day would surely come when this act would rise up to vex them. He said it was a mistake they would regret some day and he intimated pretty openly that Governor Griggs was back of it all; that the fight had been made purely personal for political reasons and that the one to blame for the blunder would come face to face with his day of reckoning.

Now, this unpleasant and dangerous family disturbance among the Republicans bodes no good and if the Democrats can only pour oil on their wounds they will find a way open to them to walk off with the two big prizes which the people of the State have in waiting for somebody. The Griggs-Voorhees feud is more likely to grow in strength and virulence in the coming summer when the wire pulling at the county fairs and the sea-shore resorts begins. Voorhees is a power among the younger element of the party. In very truth it would not surprise many if that were the secret of the opposition to him. He loomed up as a probable obstacle in the slate making.

He had led the fight for the selection of his warm friend and colleague, Senator Stokes, as Secratary of State. When that effort failed and Stokes was turned down, Voorhees declined to keep up his spirit and activity. His outburst at Monday night's caucus was not the first intimation of his displeasure. He had showed on previous occasons that he was disappointed with the turn events had taken, particularly as he had played a somewhat conspicuous part in shaping up a course which he had calculated would be steered by the Republican ship of State. Now, the question arises:

What will Voorhees do?

Surely he will be needed in the campaign so rapidly approaching. He will remain a member of the Senate to vote for a successor to United States Senator for James Smith. He may again be a candidate for Governor.

Whatever happens Voorhees must be spelled with a big V and the prospects for smooth running for the great Republican machine are not over bright.

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TO DINE AND HARMONIZE

UNION COUNTY DEMOCRATS LOVE FEAST NOW ASSURED.

The Event to Be Held at Elizabeth—Those at the Head of the Affair—James E. Martine to be a Prominent Speaker.

The proposed harmony dinner of the Union County Democrats, reported exclusively in The Press, is assured. A conference was held yesterday afternoon in a law office at Elizabeth to perfect arrangements.

Dr. Saenger, of Orange, son in-law of Freeman O. Willey, the author of the book, "The Way Out of the Wilderness," who ran for Congress unsuccessfully against Charles H. Fowler, came from Orange on his wheel to help the Union county men to push the thing along.

The leaders in the project are W. D. Wolfeskeil, State Committeeman, Dr. Saenger, who it is said is willing to be the next Congressional nominee; Jacob W. Sheppard who is being urged by his friends to run for Surrogate; Samuel Schluner, who is ambitious to be City Attorney; B. C. Harris, Fred Zior, the Tall Sycamore of Union county, former Fire Chief Oliver Conlon, late sergeant at-arms of Elizabeth District Court, who hired a band during the Bryan campaign; Assistant Prosecutor Frank H. Dunn, Joseph Mannifield, President of the Carpenters' Union; Lawyer James P. Powers, who tried to beat Foster Voorhees for State Senator, and Surveyor William J. Lansley, the chief promoter of the reunion.

Lansley has his heart set on being Elizabeth's next City Surveyor, and was manager of the Bryan and Sewall campaign in Union county.

James E Martine, of this city, the farmer orator, will be the chief speaker.

The list of other speakers will be announced later.

It is the intention of the promoters to have the dinner at Clark's Hotel the latter part of this month.

RAIN A MESSAGE TO STOP.

THE FETE CHAMPETRE POSTPONED FOR A WEEK.

Everything Was in Readiness for the Grand Affair But Inclement Weather Put a Damper on the Elaborate Plans.

The Fete Champetre has been postponed. The broad lawns of Johnston Park will not be the scene of life and gayety, this afternoon, as was expected. Instead all the preparations have come to a sudden halt and the Fete will wait over until next Saturday when the members of the Town Improvement Association intend to hold it if the weather permits.

The skies were watched by many anxious eyes all yesterday afternoon. When the storm of the early afternoon broke away and the blue sky appeared, everybody thought that fair weather was assured for the Fete, but again the dark clouds rolled up from over the mountain and just at the dinner hour the big drops of rain began to patter down in quick succession. Even then it was hoped that the Fete might come off successfully. The thought that the storm was to be of short duration was an unfounded one, and, at intervals, all through the night, the rain fell. This morning, the leaden skies and falling rain quickly decided the question of postponement and great posters were immediately posted all over the town telling that the Fete Champetre has been postponed until next Saturday.

While the promoters of this wonderful affair were greatly disappointed by the weather and the necessity of postponement, it will not make any real difference with the Fete itself. Nothing of a destructable character had been placed in position before the rain fell so there was nothing for the water to soil. In some cases, more time will enable those in charge to make it even better than was first planned and in no case will it tend to injure the Fete.

Junior Endeavorers Rally.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church held its last meeting of the season until fall, in the church at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The president, Miss May Serrell, led the meeting. The special musical programme included a quartette selection by Agnes La Boyteaex, Carrie Fuller, Harold Nomer and Edward Weseman, and a charming solo by little Miss Josphine Serrell. A collection was taken for foreign missions, and before adjournment the social committe announced that on next Saturday afternoon the society will go to Washington Rock on its annual picnic.

Out of the Justice's Jurisdiction.

The case against Louis Dunavan in the city court was dismissed by Judge DeMeza this morning, as he declared the case beyond his jurisdiction. It was a case for a justice's court, he said.

THE BOROUGH AFFAIRS.

COUNCILMEN AND MAYOR CONSIDER MANY IMPORTANT THINGS.

Fire and Police Departments Receive Considerable Attention—New Marshals Appointed—Appropriations Ordered Levied

A great deal of important business occupied the attention of the borough Council at the regular meeting held last evening, and all of the members were present to attend to it. The financial report of the borough clerk was as follows:

Borough balance, $1,608.23; fire department, $988.02; light, $1,980.65; roads, $895.05; poor deficit, $336.62; paid county and State, $3,443 36; total balance, $1,691.97. There was collected from fines, etc., $107.50. The following collections were reported by Tax Collector Spencer: 1896, $272.02; 1895, $95.05; 1894, $82.17; received from the County Clerk from liquor licenses, $712.50.

The West End Hose Company extended an invitation to the Council to attend an informal opening of the new house next Monday evening and the same was accepted.

The resignation of ex-Marshal Walter G. Smalley was received and accepted.

The Plainfield Ice and Cold Storage Company in a communication stated that their reservoir at Washingtonville was now about completed and they asked the Council to inspect the same. They desired that the Council try and arrange to be present when the company's engineer could be there.

The residents of Craig place petitioned for an electric light and asked that it be located at 19 Craig place. The matter was referred, with power. The taxpayers and property-owners of Sycamore avenue asked the Council to macadamize their street and stated that they would pay their share, $271 25, toward the work. Later the petition was granted, with the understanding that if the part already macadamized is not to the proper grade the property owners will make it so, and also pay 50 per cent. of the cost of doing the work. J. C. Peck petitioned for a culvert on Myrtle avenue, at the corner of Sycamore avenue, and the same was granted.

Mr. Woolston, in reporting for the street committee, stated that $294.60 had been expended on streets in the borough during the past month, and $1,095 80 had been spent on Somerset street. Of the latter amount one-third will be returned by the street railway company. Mr. Woolston also said that the work of laying sidewalks is progressing satisfactorily and that the Mayor had given valuable aid in this line.

Mr. Rogers offered several suggestions, which later took the form of resolutions, and were adopted. One was that carpenter work was needed at Warren Engine and West End Hose houses to the amount of $45. At the former place the stalls, ceilings and front doors needed repairing. Another suggestion was that at Fourth of July time several extra firemen would be required to do duty night and day and for the purpose $75 would be needed. Still another suggestion was that the supply of badges for the firemen was exhausted and more are in demand. He said that the most excellent chief of the department had suggested that the new badges be numbered from No. 1 upwards. To secure these badges would mean an expenditure of about $35. The last suggestions were that in accordance with custom the members of the West End Hose Company be presented with a sufficient number of chairs for their house, and that the necessary grading be done about their house. As above stated, resolutions were offered by Mr. Rogers covering all of the suggestions, and all were adopted.

Mr. Burtis offered an ordinance regulating the police department and the same was adopted on its second reading and laid over until the next meeting for final adoption. The same action was taken with another ordinance offered by Mr. Burtis which regulates the office of borough engineer. The former ordinance is chiefly a set of rules which in the main are the same as used in this city.

Mr. McLoughlin stated that the tax maps were about completed and he offered a resolution that the Mayor and clerk be authorized to draw a warrant for $600 which amount is to be used under the direction of the Streets and Public Health Committee for the payment of the maps.

At this time the Mayor appointed William Campbell and C. H. Graeder as night marshals and George Kliner as marshal to take the place of Marshal Smalley, resigned. The Mayor in making the appointments said that the borough was not sufficiently protected, and he felt as though the de-

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THE CITY RESPONSIBLE?

CHARLES H. HAND REFUSES TO PAY TAXES UNDER MARTIN ACT.

He Makes Two Strong Points in His Own Favor—The Matter to be Referred Directly to Martin Act Commissioners.

In a mild way, Charles H. Hand, the well-known real-estate owner and operator, has got his dander up and does not propose to be mulcted by the city by paying taxes on a piece of property that, on the authority of the city's own tax officials, was said to be entirely clear of tax encumberances when he bought it. Among those properties that fall under the provisions of the Martin Act is the house and lot known as the Frazee property, at the corner of Watchung avenue and Second street, which Mr. Hand bought some years ago.

Mr. Hand argues that he has every point in his favor as against the enforcement of the Martin Act for the collection of $69, which is said to be due the city for taxes previous to 1880. He says that the property was once sold by Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh at a special master's sale and advertised and announced from a public place at the time of the sale as entirely clear of all encumberances, taxes or otherwise. Mr. Hand thinks that when the Court of Chancery guarantees the title of a piece of property sold under its authority that that is enough and the city is taking upon itself a good deal of responsibility in endeavoring to collect from an innocent purchaser an encumberance which the highest court of the State said did not exist.

Mr. Hand's second point is also a strong one. He insists that the city, the same as a private corporation, must be responsible for the acts and errors of its employes. There is no disputing the fact that all this trouble about delinquent taxes previous to 1880 being paid now by innocent parties, is clearly the fault of the tax officials during the period in which they accumulated. If the records had been kept properly there would have been no complications such as have arisen. Mr. Hand says, and it is the same with others, that when he sought information from the Tax Collector as to tax claims against the property in question, he was informed that none existed. If the Tax Collector, the city's recognized authority on such a matter, gave erroneous information, then it is the plain duty of the city to stand the costs of these errors, the same as would any responsible corporation. Numerous lawyers who accepted information from the Tax Collector in the same manner as Mr. Hand did, and then passed on the title of lands submitted for their approval by prospective purchasers, are also greatly interested in this last point raised by Mr. Hand. If the latter succeeds in having the city recognize the point as well taken, it will release them from the errors that will be charged up against their professional ability otherwise.

Mr. Hand made a statement to the committee on taxation at the Council meeting a few evenings ago, and they were so strongly impressed with the points made by him that it is their intention to refer his case directly to the Martin Act Commissioners. If Mr. Hand does not have the case adjusted without expense to him he says he will carry it to the State Board of Taxation.

At Mountain Park Inn.

The following are the guests registered today at the Mountain Park Inn: H. A. Wheeler, C. C. Wheeler, Miss Wheeler, Miss Packard, D. C. Doty, C. H. Cottrell, Mrs. H. A. Wheeler, Bayonne; Theodore H. Smith, Orange; Mr. and Mrs. John Byers, Valpariso, Chila; Major Allen Wallace, Mrs. Wallace, child and maid, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith, Newark; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Havens, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Stiger, E. M. Seger, New York; Miss Leonard, Bergen Point.

Operation Was Imperative.

Miss Mary Kenney, aged twenty-one years, a resident of Spooner avenue, was taken to the hospital last evening about 11 o'clock suffering with septic peritonitis. It was learned that an operation was imperative and Drs. Long and B. VanD. Hedges performed the operation last night. It was successful and the patient is doing nicely.

Church Auditorium to School Rooms.

The work of converting the old Seventh-Day Baptist church edifice into a schoolhouse is to begin Monday. The plans have been filed with Building Inspector T. O. Doane and are approved by him. There are to be four rooms on the first floor and an entrance at either end. The second floor is not to be finished at present.

The Misses Pound, of West Front street, have purchaseed new wheels and have learned to ride.

EPWORTH LEAGUE ELECT

AND ARRANGE FOR THEIR NOVEL BICYCLE SOCIABLE.

Robert W. Davis Will be President For the Coming Year—The Bicycle Run Will be Held Next Tuesday Evening.

Tuesday evening, if the weather is pleasant, the cyclists of Chapter No. 1, of the Epworth League, at the First M. E. church, will inaugurate their plan of a bicycle sociable. Last evening, the League held its business meeting at which the final arrangements for the run were made.

The meeting was held in Vincent chapel and was the annual meeting, at which the officers for the ensuing year were elected. Reports of the retiring officers were made and told of the League and its flourishing condition at present.

It was decided to send a delegate to the international convention to be held at Toronto, on July 15th, and pay the expenses of the delegate. Announcement was made of the entertainment to be held in Vincent chapel on the evening of June 17th. The first part of the entertainment will consist of a miscellaneous programme including vocal and instrumental selections. The second part will consist of one of William Dean Howell's farces, "The Mouse Trap."

The election of officers was held with the following result: President, Robert W. Davis. first vice president, Miss Anna Smalley; second vice president, Miss Elsie Horne; third vice president, Miss Ada Angleman; fourth vice president, Miss Madiline Day; secretary, James A. Stafford; treasurer, David S. Dunavan.

There has been a movement among the members, as was exclusively told in the Press, to get up a bicycle run for some evening in the near future for the benefit of the members of the League and their friends. The question was discussed and found general favor with the members last evening. It was finally decided to have the run, or "bicycle sociable," on Tuesday evening of next week. There will be no regular organization with captain or lieutenants but the run will be under the chaperonage of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Joy. The start will be made form Vincent chapel at 7:30 o'clock on Tuesday evening.

RECEPTION AND MUSICALE.

William E. MacClymont's Pupils Had a Social and Musical Time.

The reception and musicale given by William E. MacClymont and pupils at Mr. MacClymont's residence, 73 Washington avenue, yesterday afternoon, from 4 to 7 o'clock, was in every particular a pleasing affair. The rooms were attractively decorated with palms chiefly.

The programme consisted of instrumental selections by some of Mr. MacClymont's best pupils, including Miss Lillian Nicholl, Miss Clara Van Fleet, Miss Beatrice Miner, Miss Ida M. Tallamy, Miss May Batchelor, Miss May Doane. Some of the selections rendered were Mr. MacClymont's compositions. "Rosalie" and "My Dream Lady," composed by Mr. MacClymont, were sung effectively by Robert M. Clark.

The house was thronged with friends of Mr. MacClymont and his pupils, there being fully three hundred present. Mrs. J. C. MacClymont, Mrs. William E. MacClymont and Miss Lillian Nicholl received the guests, and those who presided at the table while tea was served were Miss Josie Dally, Miss Lottie Dally, of New York; Miss Jennie E. Marlow, of Roselle; Mrs. Frank Jones, Miss Nora Williams, of North Plainfield. Miss Ida Shaefer, of Trenton, was among those entertained by Mr. and Mrs. MacClymont.

The pupils acquitted themselves with great credit to themselves and their teacher, and the guests were loud in their praise of the programme and its rendition.

MAKING WAY FOR THE TROLLEY.

Three Important Meetings to Consider Applications for Right of Way.

Next Tuesday night trolley matters will be considered by the Common Council at Bound Brook and a franchise will probably be granted to one of the companies, providing the certiorari proceedings are decided next Monday.

The Piscataway Township Committee will consider the ordinance of the Brunswick Traction Company on its third reading on Thursday, June 17th, when the Committee will meet at New Market.

The Raritan Township Committee will consider the local traction company's ordinance on Friday, June 18th.

Epworth League Parade Postponed.

The parade of the Junior Societies of Epworth League and Christian Endeavor, which was to have taken place next Tuesday, has been postponed until fall.

DUSKY FLATS EPISODE.

ITS COLORED DENIZENS AIR THEIR TROUBLES IN POLICE COURT.

Barber Champion and Mrs. Jackson Indulged in an Exchange of Compliments and Then Raced to See the City Judge.

Paradise Alley has a rival in the chase for notriety in the police court. "Dusky Flats," as that portion of Madison avenue in the vicinity of the old Alert Hose Company's house between Front and Second streets, has been called, is rapidly rising in reputation by the wonderful performances of its denizens.

Three passing colored characters from "Dusky Flats" lined up before the City Judge this morning on the charge of disturbing the neighborhood with their profane and indecent language. It is the belief of the people of that district that the first one to reach the Judge's office is the best, which will explain the race for that office yesterday.

There was trouble in the "Flats" between Albert Champion, who runs a barber shop and incidentally an intellegence office, and Mrs. Rosie Jackson and her daughter, Annabel, who is known to fame as "Mag" or "Bell." Champion is a little man, agile and spry. Mrs. Jackson has a ponderous form, and, like all large bodies, moves slowly. So it was the Champion who reached the Judge's office first and made a complaint against his neighbors.

The trial was exciting and grew more so as time flew by, for Rosie became excited and it took the combined efforts of her daughter, a friend and two officers to keep her quiet. Champion explained that he had been a good boy but that she had called him improper names. Rosie reciprocated and told how he had said very improper things to herself and daughter. Witnesses were sworn and added their testimony.

Anabel is the dusky belle of the flats and she immediately tried her blandishments on Roundsman Flynn, who administered the oath. The officer was not to be captured, however, and all her smiles were then turned on the court.

The Judge decided that Champion was guilty and fined him $10. Mrs. Jackson was also found guilty and fined $5, while the belle of the flats escaped with a reprimand.

TOO DRUNK TO REMEMBER.

But His Victim's Face Bore Evidence of the Assault.

Michael Welch had a forgetful mind when he appeared before City Judge DeMeza, this morning, charged with quarreling and fighting. He couldn't remember who struck the first blow. In fact, he could not remember whether any blow was struck or not, and his idea of the fight that followed was singularly indistinct and hazy.

John Sloan, the other prisoner, had very forcible rememberances of the affray as his face bore witness It was scratched and bitten, he said, by Welch. His story was that Welch who lives next door to him on West Third street rushed the growler all of last Monday morning and afternoon in company with a few friends and was soon fighting drunk. Sloan said that he was passing down the yard when Welch grew ugly in his actions and after a few words that Welch and his friend, Doyle, started for him. A lively scrap ensued in which Welch set his teeth in the side of Sloan's face and used his finger nails with dire effect on Sloan's cheek. Sloan's statements were substantiated by his witnesses.

Welch admitted that there would have been no trouble if he had not been drinking but could remember nothing, he was so drunk, he explained.

The Judge declared Sloan not guilty and discharged him. He was well represented in the case by ex-Judge W. A. Coddington. Welch was fined $10.

LOST A COLLECTION OF A LIFE TIME.

L. E. Howard Suffer $3,000 Loss by an Explosion of an Oil Stove.

L. E. Howard suffered a severe loss by fire at the Peek-a-mose Club ground in Ulster county, New York, a week ago Thursday, when his private studio was laid in ashes, with its valuable contents, by the explosion of an oil stove. Mr. Howard had gone to the club grounds three weeks ago to spend the summer there. Though the building was a small one and of little value itself, the contents, including all the mementos, curios, hunting outfits, etc., of a personal nature, were destroyed. A valuable diamond stud, a gold and aluminum nugget chain, and a gold match box set with diamonds. Mr. Howard estimates his loss at $3,000. His many Plainfield friends will regret to hear of the loss, which it will be impossible to replace, as the articles were the collection of a life time.

TROOPS FIRE ON MOB

In Protecting a Prisoner From Violence Several Are Killed.

THE URBANA LYNCHING EPISODE.

After Being Repulsed by the Soldiers the Crowd Rallies and Captures the Prisoner and Hang Him to a Tree In the Jailyard.

Urbana, O., June 5.—Four men were killed and 10 wounded by shots fired by a company of the Ohio national guard in defense of Charles Mitchell, in jail at this place on the charge of assaulting a woman. In spite of the militia the mob finally entered the jail and lynched the prisoner. All of the victims were innocent citizens, who were spectators of the scene of excitement. In addition to this list it is feared that Mrs. Eliza Gaumer, who was assaulted by the negro, will not recover, and several of the injured are in a serious condition. There is intense feeling against some of the officials, and further complications are apprehended.

One week ago Mrs. Eliza Gaumer was assaulted by Mitchell at her home in this city, near the courthouse.

The negro was first held for robbery, but on last Wednesday was arraigned for criminal assault. Mrs. Gaumer was unable to appear in court, and the hearing was held at her home. As Mitchell entered her room she exclaimed: "The brute, hang him! How dare you face me again, you brute!"

Threats of Lynching.

Soon after the identification Wednesday at Mrs. Gaumer's home there was talk of lynching. Crowds surrounded the jail that night, and the sheriff and the local militia had trouble in protecting the prisoner. Thursday a grand jury was impaneled, and it soon returned an indictment for criminal assault. Mitchell, disguised in a soldier's uniform, was brought from jail into court. He waived the reading of the indictment, pleaded guilty and was promptly sentenced to 20 years in the penitentiary, the maximum punishment for his crime. An attempt was made to take Mitchell to Columbus, but the crowds which had gathered about the courthouse made a rush for the jail when the wagon drew up. The militia drove them back, but the mob increased in numbers and grew more threatening. Sheriff McLean and the troops had all they could do to hold the jail, and the trip to Columbus was given up before the departure of the last train.

In the meantime crowds had also surrounded the depots so as to make sure their man should not be taken away. As the night wore on the mob increased, and the shouts and murmurings indicated that it was in dead earnest. Inside of the jail, the sheriff and his deputies and one company of militia were posted to the best advantage, for it was apparent that grim work would be necessary to protect the wretch who cowered in his cell as the angry roar of the mob surged and rose on the air.

Early yesterday morning an attack was made on the jail, and the military began firing. Over 20 volleys were poured into the crowd. The mob was repulsed, leaving four killed and 10 wounded. The range was close, but the soldiers fired wildly. Of the killed and wounded, nearly all were on the outskirts of the mass of men. Those immediately in a direct line of fire escaped. The volley drove the crowd back a little way, and it was found that two men, named Higgins and Bell, had been instantly killed. When their bodies were picked up in the courthouse square, it made the crowd furious.

Second Attempt Successful.

After the dead and wounded were cared for the crowd rallied and made a second and this time successful attempt to capture the prisoner. The local militia had been on duty two nights, and they did no more shooting. The mob then broke for the jail. No force was needed, as Sheriff McLean delivered the keys, and the crowd soon found Mitchell's cell. Throwing a rope over the trembling wretch's head, he was dragged out, receiving some kicks and blows. When the outer door was reached, the noose slipped off, and Sylvester Zimmerman tied it so securely as to receive the cheers of the crowd. The rope was thrown over one of the limbs of a tree in the courthouse yard, Mitchell was jerked up until his head struck the limb and his neck was broken, and then his body dropped to the ground. The crowd repeated the jerking several times until they were sure he was dead. While the body of Mitchell was lying on the ground hundreds crowded about to see it. The colored people were greatly excited. They had previously met and adopted resolutions for the punishment of Mitchell, but many of them offered the opinion that he was not guilty. Women and children, as well as a multitude of men, witnessed the lynching, which occurred in broad daylight. There was no attempt at disguise or secrecy.

Governor Bushnell has arrived here to investigate the trouble and especially the action of the troops. Governor Bushnell was attending an encampment at Wooster and was met by a delegation from here on his return to Columbus. These citizens of Urbana asked for protection by troops for Sheriff McLean, against whose life threats had been freely made, and if he was now here it is believed that there would be serious trouble. Sheriff McLean is now in Dayton. He escaped by the back door of the jail and claims that dynamite was being prepared to blow him up. In the excitement and bitterness that prevails it is almost impossible to get at the facts as to the responsibility for the loss of life, but it is generally claimed that Sheriff McLean ordered the troops to fire.

It is believed that there will be a thorough investigation into the action of the mayor, as well as that of the sheriff and military officers.

Mrs. Gaumer, the victim of the lynched negro, is the widow of a well known newspaper publisher. Her brothers-in-law are D. H. Gaumer, publisher of the Zanesville Signal and an ex-state senator, and C. N. Gaumer, formerly publisher of the Mansfield Shield and an ex-state representative.

Chicagoans Off For the Jubilee.

Toronto, June 5.—A special train of 10 cars of Chicago excursionists, en route to England to attend the jubilee, has passed through here.

A STRIKE INQUIRY.

Administration Has Sent Agents to Investigate the Matter.

ASK ABOUT IMMIGRANTS ESPECIALLY

It Is Alleged by the Inspectors That the Unrestricted Influx of Polish and Russian Hebrews Cause the Trouble.

New York, June 5.—The administration at Washington has sent agents to this city under special directions from Secretary of the Treasury Gage to investigate the tailors' strike.

One of the investigators is the chief factory inspector of Pennsylvania, and another is Samuel N. Marks of this city.

They called upon Leader Schoenfeld and asked him for an explanation of the strike, what brought it about, etc., but it is understood that Schoenfeld would give no answer.

The investigators have also made inquiries at the United Hebrew charities and attended a meeting of the strikers on Tuesday night at Cooper Union.

Inspectors Marks and Watchhorn of the immigration bureau have been busy interviewing the striking tailors and the manufacturers and contractors who gave them employment. The inspectors have been engaged on the work since last Monday at the instance of the senate committee on immigration.

The committee is anxious to learn just what part the influx of immigrants plays in the existing labor difficulties and with that end in view the committee sought the assistance of Secretary Gage, who detailed two inspectors to look the matter up among the tailors in this city.

Inspectors Busy.

Since Monday last the inspectors have been at work among the striking tailors. Yesterday they began with the manufacturers and contractors and also called on the local factory inspectors.

They visited the establishment of Alfred Benjamin & Co. at 53 Lafayette place, one of the largest clothing manufacturing concerns in the country.

Marks and Watchhorn have gone into the subject most thoroughly. In talking to the members of the firm of Benjamin & Co. they learned that the manufacturers thought a restriction of immigration would be a good thing.

While in the office of Benjamin & Co the inspectors said that the striking tailors lay the source of their trouble to the unrestricted immigration of Polish and Russian Hebrews.

The strikers favor a restriction of immigration, so the inspectors said.

Cloakmakers' Impending Strike.

The impending strike of the cloakmakers has caused some excitement in that trade. Secretary Marcus O. Braff of the United Brotherhood of Cloakmakers of New York and vicinity said that there are over 5,000 men in that organization, and hundreds have applied for membership. He expects that unless the manufacturers grant living wages 10,000 cloakmakers will strike before the expiration of this month.

Every wholesale cloak manufacturer in this city has received a circular from the United Brotherhood of Cloakmakers requesting the former to co-operate with the latter in crowding the small east side manufacturers out of existence.

Pursuant to this request, Daniel Richman, president of the Cloak Manufacturers' association, met Secretary Braff and two other members of the United Brotherhood and promised to take the matter into consideration and if he found the plan practicable lay it before his association. He was to have given the Brotherhood his answer by May 25 but failed to do so.

The plan suggested by the Brotherhood was to get the co-operation of the big manufacturers in compelling every cloakmaker to join the Brotherhood.

Charitable Bequests.

Troy, N. Y., June 5.—The will of Lewis E. Gurley will be presented for probate Tuesday. The estimated value of the estate is $300,000. Among the bequests are $5,000 to the American Baptist Missionary union, $3,000 to the Hudson River Baptist association, and $5,000 to the American Baptist Home Missionary society. The Fifth Avenue and South Baptist churches, Rensselaer Polytechnic institute, Troy Orphan asylum, Mohawk and Hudson Humane society and Troy Young Men's association receive generous gifts.

Old Newspaper Man Dead.

Indianapolis, June 5.—William F. Clark, Sr., is dead. He was supposed to be the newspaper worker and editor of longest continuous service in the country. With the exception of three years, he had been identified with the press since his fourteenth year and was 88 years old. His house at Mercer, Pa., was formerly a station on the "underground railway" that took negroes to Canada.

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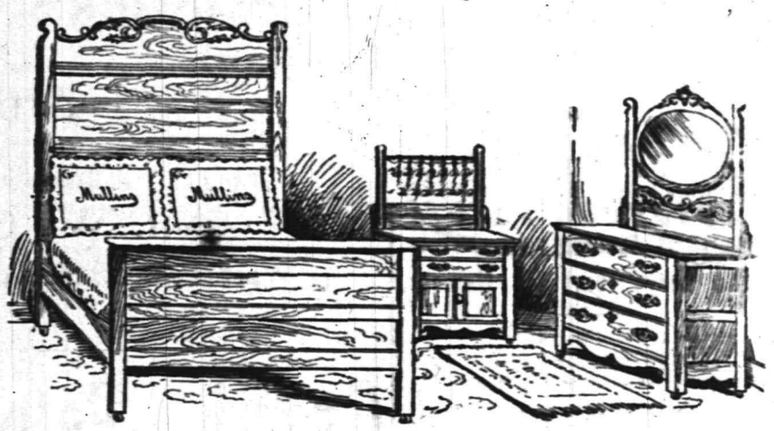

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Ralph Schoonmaker was arraigned before City Judge DeMeza yesterday on the charge of riding his wheel without a bell. Sentence was suspended.

A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison, of Worthington, Ind., "Sun," writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for Constipation and Sick Headache and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2025 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a back ache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50c and $1. Get a bottle at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Ethel Staples, of Brooklyn, is the guest of her friend, Miss Lucie Palmer Davis, of East Fifth street.

Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption.

This is the best medicine in the world for all forms of Coughs and Colds and for Consumption. Every bottle is guaranteed. It will cure and not disappoint. It has no equal for Whooping Cough, Asthma, Hay Fever, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, La-Grippe, Cold in the Head and for Consumption. It is safe for all ages, pleasant to take, and, above all, a sure cure. It is always well to take Dr. King's New Life Pills in connection with Dr. King's New Discovery, as they regulate and tone the stomach and bowels. We guarantee perfect satisfaction or return money. Free trial bottles at L. W. Randolph's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00.

—Mr. Stoddard, of the New York and Elizabeth Despatch, will be at his office, 161 North avenue, in the afternoons for several days, and will be glad to see the people of Plainfield and quote the rates and advantages of their services.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are to-day its warmest friends. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—W. W. Smith and family have given up their residence at the corner of Madison avenue and West Ninth street and are now boarding at the "Chestnuts"

"There's no use in talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, La Cygne, Kas., "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy does the work. After taking medicines of my own preparation and those of others, I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—Street Commissioner Gavett is having the crosswalks at the corner of Park avenue and Second street raised higher so that when it rains the water will run through the newly constructed culverts.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman for the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—Fred Huff, the North avenue laundryman, has sold his business to J. E. Stems, of Easton, and the latter will take charge July 1st.

Health Means a perfect condition of the whole system. Pure blood is essential to perfect health. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes pure blood and thus gives health and happiness.

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartic and liver medicine. Price 25c.

—The excursion committee of the First Baptist church will hold a meeting in a few days to arrange for the annual outing to the seashore.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by L. W. Randolph.

MAGOWAN'S PROPERTY.

Continuation of Its Sale at His Residence In Trenton.

Trenton, June 5.—The sale of the personal property of ex-Mayor Frank A. Magowan was continued, and the sale was closed with the exception of a lot of wine and bric-a-brac. The wine is claimed by other parties under a bill of sale and the bric-a-brac, Magowan says belongs to his wife, Mrs. Barnes. The furniture in the house, which was put in at a cost of $50,000, was sold for $5,700.

The furniture was all bought by two or three persons, who are understood to have been bidding in the interests of Senator Skirm, the principal judgment creditor. Magowan was present at the sale all day and made several efforts to stop it.

Mrs. Barnes offered her jewelry. This led to the story that the furniture was being bought in for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Magowan still occupy the house. The furniture has not yet been removed, and it is the belief that Senator Skirm will permit them to use it for the present.

DISHONEST BANK TELLER.

Confesses His Crime and Exonerates an Alleged Accomplice.

St. Paul, June 5.—Charles R. Zchau, the receiving teller of the German American National bank, who has confessed to stealing the package of $13,600 on last Saturday, has added to that confession the further statement that during his connection with the bank he has taken at least $9,700 more.

Upon one occasion he stole a package of $6,000, and there has also been traced to him the disappearance of $3,700 more. He admits all this and declares that he will throw himself on the mercy of the court.

Zchau insists that the man Jackson arrested as an accomplice had no connection with the crime, explaining that he hired a stranger to take the package away for him. It is thought the full confession has not yet been made.

ORDERED TO SETTLE UP.

The Boston Loan and Trust Company Must Pay Depositors In Full.

Boston, June 5.—In the Suffolk supreme court Judge Holmes has ordered that, upon the depositors of the Union Loan and Trust company being paid in full, the temporary receivership of the company be discharged and that its remaining property and affairs be turned over to its stockholders. This order does not, however, give the company the right to resume business.

The capital stock of the company is $100,000, and its president was W. A. Clark, Jr. It was placed into the hands of Congressman McCall as receiver on Oct. 9 last. Presently it has $30,000 in cash, has time loans amounting to $107,000 and call loans amounting to $24,920 outstanding and overdue.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At New York—
New York..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 4—5
Louisville ..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0—3
New York—Hits, 4; errors, 4. Louisville—Hits, 6; errors, 3.
At Brooklyn—
Brooklyn ..... 0 1 0 3 3 1 0 0 *—8
St. Louis..... 2 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—4
Brooklyn—Hits, 9; errors, 2. St. Louis—Hits, 7; errors, 2.
At Washington—
Washington .. 0 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 2—5
Chicago ..... 1 4 0 0 1 2 0 0 0—8
Washington—Hits, 14; errors, 0. Chicago—Hits, 12; errors, 1.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	24	8	.750
Cincinnati	23	12	.647
Boston	22	12	.646
Pittsburg	19	14	.576
New York	18	14	.562
Cleveland	17	16	.515
Philadelphia	19	18	.514
Brooklyn	18	17	.513
Louisville	16	19	.457
Chicago	13	22	.371
Washington	9	23	.281
St. Louis	7	30	.189

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Patrick Behan, on top of an elevator in New York, fell eight stories and was not seriously hurt.

The Danish steamer Hekla, which was in collision with the Atlantic transport line steamer Mississippi, has passed the Butt of Lewis, Hebrides islands.

Lady Henry Somerset has been re-elected president of the British Women's Temperance association at London, for the eighth time, by 775 delegates.

Two expeditions have landed in Cuba with 800,000 rounds of ammunition for the insurgents, as well as a large amount of arms and dynamite and one large cannon.

Herr von Tausch, the former chief of the secret political police, who has been on trial at Berlin for nearly two weeks past, charged with perjury, high treason and forgery, has been acquitted.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western ruled weaker and lower to sell; city mills patents, $4.70@4.90; winter patents, $4.55@4.90; city mills clears, $4.70@4.80; winter straights, $4.15@4.30.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened weak and declined all the morning under a bearish Ohio report and weak cables, July, 73 3-16@73¾c.; September, 69 15-16@70⅝c.

RYE—Dull; No. 2 western, 36c.

CORN—No. 2 weakened under better crop news and sympathy with wheat; July, 29⅝c.; September, 30⅜@30⅝c.

OATS—No. 2 were dull and easy; track, white, state, 25@32c.; track, white, western, 25@32c.

PORK—Quiet; mess, $8.50@9; family, $9.50@10.50.

LARD—Quiet; prime western steam, $3.85.

BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 10@14½c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Quiet; state, large, 8@8¼c.; small, 7¼@7½c.

EGGS—Steady; state and Pennsylvania, 11@11½c.; western, 10@10½c.

SUGAR—Raw firmer; fair refining, 2 13-16c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 5-16c.; refined firmer; crushed, 5⅛c.; powdered, 4⅞c.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, 22@28c.

RICE—Steady; domestic, 4¼@6c.; Japan, 4¼@4½c.

TALLOW—Dull; city, 3c.; country, 3⅛c.

HAY—Easy; shipping, 50c.; good to choice, 60@70c.

MESSAGE OF THE CZAR

Sent to the Sultan After the Fall of Domokos.

MASS FOR VOLUNTEERS IN ATHENS.

Conditions of the Sea Armistice—Germany Said to Advocate Turkish Evacuation of Thessaly—Greece Advised to Accept Turkey's Demand.

Constantinople, June 5.—The following is the text of the telegram sent by the Emperor Nicholas to the sultan on May 17, after the fall of Domokos:

"Your majesty will not be surprised if our relations of sincere friendship and neighborly feeling induce me to appeal to your noblest sentiments and inspire me with the firm hope that you will not fail to crown the success achieved by your valiant armies in heroic struggle by a faithful adherence to the moderate and pacific intentions which your majesty proclaimed at the beginning of the war.

"By concluding an armistice and by a favorable reception of the mediation of the powers your majesty would acquire a fresh title to the high esteem you now enjoy and would accomplish an act of profound wisdom, an act which I personally should always retain in remembrance.

"I beg your majesty to believe in my unchanging friendship."

Russian Minister Expresses Sympathy.

London, June 5.—It is officially stated that Count Muravieff, the Russian foreign minister, has expressed to the Greek minister at St. Petersburg his personal sympathy and his hope that Greece will be able to save the harvest in Thessaly.

It is also understood that Germany now advocates the Turkish evacuation of Thessaly, provided Greece gives a satisfactory guarantee of payment of the indemnity.

But there is still every indication that Turkey means to remain in Thessaly. Several Turkish officials, accompanied by their harems, have arrived in Thessaly from Constantinople. Edhem Pasha has ordered granaries to be prepared for the storage of the harvest and is using every inducement to get the peasants to return and accept Turkish rule.

The powers have advised Greece to accept Turkey's demand and to raise the blockade. Greece in return insists upon some guarantee that Turkey will keep her promise not to land munitions of war. It is therefore still uncertain whether the armistice difficulty will be settled.

It is reported from Constantinople that the peace preliminaries have been agreed to, but this probably means that the embassadors have been invited to submit drafts of details.

Mass Said In Athens.

Athens, June 5.—A requiem mass was celebrated in the Catholic church here for the repose of the souls of the foreign volunteers killed during the war with Turkey. A magnificent catafalque, upon which was a sarcophagus enveloped with Greek flags and palms, occupied the center of the aisle near the main altar. The sarcophagus was surmounted by the sword of the Italian, Santa Rosa, who fought during the war of Greek independence. All the ministers and many members of the diplomatic corps were present, in addition to an enormous gathering of Garibaldians and other foreign volunteers, who also furnished a guard of honor for the occasion.

Conditions of Sea Armistice.

Athens, June 5.—The cabinet decided to sign a sea armistice on the following conditions:

The Greek fleet will quit Ottoman waters; vessels under Turkish or neutral flags bound to or returning from Turkish ports and vessels north of the armistice line will not be examined; vessels carrying troops and munitions for the Turkish army will not be allowed to enter ports north of the line; the Turkish fleet must not leave the Dardanelles; the dispatch of re-enforcements to garrison towns in the archipelago is prohibited.

Indians to Visit the President.

Tahlequah, I. T., June 5.—A delegation of full blood Cherokee Indians have left for Washington, where they hope to protest to President McKinley against the changes proposed in the Indian Territory. Claiming to represent 12,000 full blood Cherokees, they will ask the president not to sign the Indian appropriation bill, which carries some of the obnoxious measures. They will also protest against the proposed Dawes treaty.

Suicide by Hanging.

Lockport, N. Y., June 5.—Lawrence Hammer, a German, about 33 years of age, employed in a glass factory in this city, committed suicide. Hammer was tramping clay in a bin in what is known as the pothouse. Hanging from the rafters in this building were three noosed ropes, by which the workmen supported themselves while at work, and there he was discovered hanging. No cause is assigned for the act.

Indians Reported Quiet.

Washington, June 5.—A telegram from Captain Stouch at the Tongue River agency was received at the Indian office, stating the Indians are now quiet. He adds that the Indian under arrest for murder will be escorted today by military to the Rosebud agency and delivered to the sheriff.

Free Sons of Israel.

New York, June 5.—It is announced that the national convention of the Independent Order Free Sons of Israel, which meets every five years, will take place at the Auditorium hotel, Chicago, Sunday, June 13. This institution has expended $5,000,000 for charitable work.

Warden Allowed to Make Purchases.

Albany, June 5.—In response to a communication from Warden Sage of Sing Sing, the attorney general holds that the warden can purchase "scrapers" to equip the street brooms which he is manufacturing for the New York street cleaning department.

Distillery Company Assigns.

Owensboro, Ky., June 5.—The M. V. Monarch company, a distillery corporation, has assigned to J. A. Lyddane. Liabilities $100,000; assets, $50,000.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Clearing Tonight; Sunday Fair; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 82 Degrees.

WEATHER ILL LUCK.

In recent years there has scarcely been an effort made in Plainfield for a celebration of an outdoor event of a public nature that the scheduled plans have not been enjoined by a rainfall of volume sufficient to either cause a postponement or an utter abandonment. The announcement that the Fete Champetre will not take place today on account of the inclemency of the weather is simply a continuation of the weather ill luck characteristic of this community. But, profiting by the experience of others, the women of the Town Improvement Association considered this weather problem, and announced that in the event of a display of the elements the Fete would be held next Saturday, and so it will—unless rain again puts on a damper. And the week that follows will doubtless be improved by the women to make the Fete greater and grander than, perhaps, it would have been today.

HIS FAME WANES.

Notwithstanding the fact that Congressman Fowler presumes to keep the newspapers of New Jersey well acquainted with his part in the National Legislature, by frequent distribution of documents in which his name is the principal thing that greets the eye on the title page, a Burlington county editor has erred greviously by referring to the rotound Union county statesman as Mr. Flower. Down in the 'Port the Congressman may sometimes be referred to as a "peach," but to be spoken of as a perfumed and spectacular plant growth is an appellation hardly expected.

MONEY WELL SPENT.

The Somerset county Board of Freeholders expend annually over $2,000 for advertising, printing and stationery, and this is distributed about even among the five weekly papers in the county. For publishing the County Collector's annual statement, which fills 23 columns of space, the county pays $700 to five newspapers, which is about half the legal rate for such advertising. This money is wisely expended, for it shows the taxpayers where every dollar of their money goes.—New Brunswick Home News.

TO NORWAY AND SWEDEN.

A. V. D. Honeyman Arranging a Trip That Will Be Full of Delight.

The Honeyman party for Norway and Sweden sails June 30th by the Red Star Line S. S. "Kensington." Mr. Honeyman states that his party this year will be smaller than usual, but that it will be over new ground and, in many respects, more interesting than any foreign tour he has ever made.

The party will land at Antwerp, spend the Sabbath there and a day beside, then immediately cross over to England and make a coaching trip for five days in the heart of the Shakespeare country, covering parts of four of the central counties of England. After a brief stay in London, and a stop at Lincoln to see the marvelous old cathedral there, they go over from Hull to Bergen, Norway, and from there make a delightful journey of four hundred miles over Norwegian fjords, reaching Trondhjem as the most northerly point in Norway; a place where in July there is no night. Then they proceed by rail overland through Norway to its capital and across Sweden to Stockholm, to see the Swedish Exposition. From Stockholm the tour is over to Finland and St. Petersburg, with sufficient time at the latter place for a flying trip to Moscow. Returning to Stockholm, the party will go on a three days' trip through the Swedish lakes and Gotha Canal, which is spoken of as one of the most attractive things in the world, and will then visit Copenhagen, Denmark; from there to Holland, making stops at Amsterdam and the Hague; and then down through Belgium to Antwerp, whence they sail home on the "Friesland," August 21st.

Mr. Honeyman states that he has one room for four more, two ladies and two gentlemen.

Mayor Wilson Wants No Rubbish.

Mayor Wilson, of the borough, is determined to prevent Plainfield persons from coming to the borough with their rubbish and leaving it there, and measures to carry such orders into effect have been taken.

—Additional local news on the third page.

—Fine creamery, 16 cents a pound, at MacDonald's. 6 4 2

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

W. L. Smalley, of Craig place, is improved from a recent illness.

Mrs. Charles Conover, of Elmwood place, is detained at home by illness.

Mrs. McGee, of Somerset street, has entirely recovered from her recent indisposition.

Mrs. Corra Ryno, of Coddington avenue, has returned from a visit with out-of town relatives.

Miss Mildred Tyrell has returned after a few days visit with Miss Mabel Staats, of Somerville.

Fred Zandt, of Jamesburg, is the guest of his cousin, E. Maxwell Honeyman, of Duer street.

John McCue, son of Patrolman McCue, of West Fourth street, is confined to the hospital, seriously ill.

Miss Laura Emmons, of Jackson avenue, has returned after a visit with friends in Greater New York.

Miss Gertrude A. Volck, of Putnam avenue, Brooklyn, is a guest at the home of her cousin, Miss Lillian A. Force, of Duer street.

Charles Bullman is in Boston in connection with the work of a South American syndicate who intend developing the mining interests of that country.

Rev. Edward O. Chickering and wife, of Raritan, Ill., arrived yesterday at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Chas. P. Leggett, of Madison avenue. Mr. Chickering has resigned his charge in Raritan.

Rev. W. C. O'Donnell, pastor of the Monroe Avenue church, who is out of town at present, will not return until next week. His pulpit will be occupied tomorrow by Rev. Dr. H. K. Carroll, of North Plainfield.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

[Notices under this head are published by The Daily Press free of charge, when supplied fresh each week by authority. Copy must be in hand by 10 a. m. Saturday to insure insertion, and should be supplied Friday when possible.]

St. Joseph's (R. C.) Church—Rev. William. H. Miller, pastor. Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30; evening devotions, 8.

St. Mary's (R. C.) Church—Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor. Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; evening devotions at 8. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue. William Winans Moore, lay reader—Morning service at 11 o'clock. Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m. Evening prayer at 4 o'clock with an address by Francis G. Moore.

Congregational Church, Rev. O. L. Goodrich, pastor. Morning service at 10:30; Sunday-school at 2:45; evening service at 7:30 at which Mrs. Hilton Pedley, who has spent ten years in Japan, will give an address upon her experiences there.

Reform Hall—4:15 meeting will be led by John Fairchild, of Newark, the converted bartender and "evangelist."

All Souls' Church, Park avenue, (Unitarian.) Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—Preaching service at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "The Unitarian Gospel." Sunday-school, 12 m.

First M. E. Church, Rev. Winfield C. Snodgrass, pastor—Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:54 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Epworth League vesper service at 7 p. m. Presiding Elder Rev. G. W. Smith will preach in the morning.

Salvation Army Hall—Ensign and Mrs. Parsons will lead the meetings as follows: 11 a. m., 3 p. m. and 8 p. m. Morning, Holiness meeting; afternoon, Praise; evening, Salvation. There will be good singing at all these services, and a cordial welcome is extended to all.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Evening subject, "The Place of Ambition in the Christian Life." Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at the morning service.

W. C. T. U. Rooms, 4 p. m.—This service will be conducted by Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., of the Trinity Reformed church.

St. Stephen's Church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Holy Communion and sermon, 11 a. m.; Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:45 p. m. Trolley cars run past the church every twelve minutes.

Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. H. J. Johnston, pastor—Services, 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Epworth League service at 7 p. m. Morning subject, "Resting or Working?;" evening, "Growing Together."

The Christian Church, Grove street, near Front, Rev. W. O. Thomas, pastor. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday-school at 3 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. Morning subject, "Children." A very pleasing and profitable service will be given in the evening by the children.

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. Chas. E. Herring, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning Subject, "Apollos;" evening, "Paul at Corinth and Ephesus." This sermon will be illustrated.

Park Avenue Baptist Church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor—Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "The Happy Communion;" evening, "Fatal Levity." All sittings free.

Y. M. C. A., 4:15 p. m.—Young men's rally will be conducted by A. C. LaBoyteaux, and there will be vocal solos with autoharp accompaniment. All men welcome.

The Bible training class will meet as usual at Y. M. C. A. at 9:30 a. m.

Grace Church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector—Early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.; litany, Holy Communion and sermon at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3 p. m.; evening service at 7:45 p. m.

Church of the Redeemer—Morning prayer and Holy Communion at 11:15 with sermon by Rev. Robert V. K. Harris. Subject, "The Age of the Spirit;" evening prayer and address at 4:30.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—The Christian Endeavor service at the First Baptist church last evening was well attended and the meeting was an interesting one.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Fine creamery, 16 cents a pound, at MacDonald's. 6 4 2

—An interesting devotional service was held at Warren chapel last evening.

—Mr. Becker, the Somerset street barber, has introducted electric lights into his shop.

—Tramps are pestering Cape May county housekeepers beyond the experience of former years.

—The officers and directors of the Co-operative Association will meet Monday evening at the store.

—Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, will hold an important meeting next Monday evening.

—VanEmburgh & Son have just put on sale Centemeri's five-button white chamois glove. Read their adv.

—The Christian Endeavor and Ladies' Aid societies of the Church of Christ are talking of a joint festival in June.

—Robert Love, of the borough, conducted evangelistic services at Somerville last evening at the Rescue Mission.

—Lawyer Richard N Ritchie, the self-confessed forger, was sentenced at Trenton yesterday to three months' imprisonment.

—The Burlington County Board of Assessors has decided to make a general reduction in the assessed value of farm lands this year.

—The fines collected thus far by Recorder Thomas, of the borough, amount to more than half of the whole amount received last year.

—George L. VanEmburgh will lead the meeting at the East Third Street mission tomorrow evening. The music will be a feature of the service.

—The Christian Endeavorers of the Church of Christ will have their June business meeting, Tuesday evening next, after which a social time will be enjoyed.

—Next Tuesday evening the Rebekah Degree Lodge will hold an entertainment in the Salvation Army Hall. A programme of unusual excellence is being prepared for the event.

—The new marshals appointed last evening by Mayor Wilson will go on duty as soon as the new uniforms arrive. George Kliner is now doing duty, having taken ex Marshal Smalley's place.

—The first dog captured by the borough dog-catcher was one owned by Rudolph Spiegel. The canine's name is "Monkey," and Mr. Spiegel prizes him very much, and quickly redeemed him.

—Plainfield women all say that they can get anything they want at Woodhull & Martin's, and at prices to suit. There is no doubt but what the stock of dry and fancy goods kept at the above place are of the kind to please.

—A class of fifty-three seekers for the title of attorney underwent the examination ordeal at Trenton yesterday. In the class was Mrs. R. Storr Kehler, of Camden, who will be New Jersey's second woman lawyer if she passes.

—The alleged assailants of James Keachin, of Rahway, Bernard Crahan, William Stoll and Edward Dunphy, will all be placed on trial Monday in the Union County Court at Elizabeth. They will be defended by former County Attorney Clarence Ward.

—The strawberry crop in South Jersey is unusually large, and as fair prices are being realized, the Farmers' Alliance of Landis township gave a hop and strawberry festival in their large building adjoining the shipping depot at Vineland, on Wednesday evening.

—The members of the Mt. Olive Baptist church and Sunday-school will not join the First Baptist church and Sunday-school this year on their annual excursion to Asbury Park. It has been arranged that the former take another day and they will probably go to Neshanic.

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THE BOROUGH AFFAIRS.

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partment should be increased. The action met with the approbation of the members of the council, and the new marshals were confirmed. In connection with this Mr. Carey offered a resolution to the effect that the collector and assessor be instructed to secure that amount of money. This amount is inclusive of the amount voted at the last election and is as follows: Lights, $5,000; police, $3,300; fire department, $1,800; streets, $3,250; poor, $1,500; water, $1,200; bonds, $675; Watchung avenue bonds, interest, $1 700; incidentals, $1,025.

Mr. McLoughlin offered a resolution that a book of records be purchased for the clerk as it is very much needed A resolution offered by Mr. Rogers confirmed the election of officers chosen in the fire department sometime ago, and another resolution by the same councilman provided for the grading about West End Hose house. The work will be done under the direction of the street committee.

Two resolutions were presented by Mr. Schutt. One was that a loan of $1 500 be secured and charged to the borough account, and the other was that the action of Collector Spencer in paying the monthly pay roll, $294 60, be confirmed. There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Funeral of Mrs. Marfenz.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Marfenz was held yesterday from the house on West Third street, and Rev. H. J. Johnston officiated. The remarks by Mr. Johnston were especially helpful to the bereaved ones. The deceased's husband is an employe of the street railway, and Superintendent Adeleman together with all of employes who were not on duty, attended the funeral in a body. The following employes of the street railway served as pallbearers: William Brown, Martin Lantz, Frank Blatch and Edward Hoppock. Interment was made in Newark yesterday afternoon.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—Fine creamery, 16 cents a pound, at MacDonald's. 6 4 2

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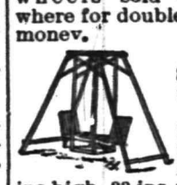

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

An infant child of Dr. and Mrs. Whitford died yesterday after a short illness.

The case of Hayes against Messerole was settled yesterday by the parties interested.

Mr. Craig is making some noted improvements about his very handsome residence.

C. W. Johnson is in Albany, N. Y., on business. He will return home the first of next week.

Mr. Currin has returned from a short trip to Philadelphia, where he was the guest of friends.

Mrs. Oakley and children, of New Brunswick, have returned home after a pleasant visit with relatives in town.

The Ladies' Orchestra, of the Schubert Club, furnished some excellent music at the school children's picnic yesterday.

On Flag Day, June 14th, a number of Dunellen people will go to Boynton Beach where the day will be celebrated on a large scale.

Lawyer Hayes has a trotter, "Ryland Tea," which has a record of 2:08. Every fine day Mr. Hayes can be seen out on the road enjoying a ride.

The school children are rehearsing every day for the exercises to be held in connection with commencement, and the programme this year promises to exceed that of previous years.

The celebrated Tingley re-union will be held this year as usual on the Blackford farm, South Plainfield, Wednesday, August 25th. It is expected that the attendance this year will be very large.

Miss Helen Coriell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abner S. Coriell, and Clarence White, of Red Bank, will be married in the Presbyterian church on Wednesday evening, June 16. It will be a large and fashionable wedding.

Unfortunately the rain yesterday interfered with the picnic held on the Mahlon Vail farm, and in consequence the exercises were not concluded. There were, however, several excellent addresses, and the part taken by the children was enjoyed by all.

A meeting of the Dunellen Gun Club was held Thursday evening in the office of Alvah Gray, when the members discussed the advisability of joining the State League. Alvah Randolph and Whit. Randolph were appointed a committee to meet with a committee from the State League and to ascertain some important facts in connection with joining. The committee was given the power to enter the Dunellen Club if they thought best. The committee will report at a later meeting. The Dunellen Club is one of the strongest in this section and their twelve men team is noted for victories.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Henry Kuehne has purchased a new Metropolitan bicycle.

A union service will be held in the Baptist church tomorrow evening. Rev. G. H. Winans, of the Methodist church, will preach.

Justice Clark is arranging a fishing excursion to Echo Lake, next week. Land locked salmon is the game that the fishermen will seek.

Miss Anna D. Cooper, of the New York School of Expression, will give a recital at the school hall, Monday evening. Miss Carrie Dawes, a child singer of much talent, will render selections.

Complaint has been made to Justice Clark against certain boys in Fanwood borough, who make a practice of robbing birds' nests. Several warnings have been given the lads, and if their offence is repeated, they will be punished severely.

Much dissatisfaction is expressed by citizens of Scotch Plains and Fanwood at the poor street lighting service given by the Electric Light Company. For some evenings past a large part of the lamps have been totally out, and the remaining ones have burned very dimly.

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WESTFIELD

THIEVES AT BACK DOOR

RESIDENCE OF J. S. IRVING VISITED THURSDAY NIGHT.

Family Were Aroused and Burglars Skipped Without Booty—Township Committee Discusses Police Protection—Other Items.

The house of J. S. Irving, on Prospect street, received a visit on Thursday night from the burglars who are terrorizing the town. The family retired at about half-past ten, after securely fastening the house. They either did not sleep soundly or the nocturnal visitors made a great deal of noise, for between 11 and 12 o'clock Mr. Irving was awakened by the noise of someone attempting to force open the kitchen door. He aroused his son-in-law, C. W. Crooks, the famous base-ball and foot ball player, who went at once to investigate. Although Crooks approached the door quietly in the hope of making a capture, the men on the outside heard his movements, and skurried off in the darkness. It is probably well for the cracksmen that they did not come to a personal encounter with Crooks, as he is one of the best all-round athletes in the town, and a man of very large stature.

The question of police protection was discussed by the Westfield Township Committe at its meeting, last evening. Committeeman Embree suggested having a constable or two appointed on night duty in the business portion of the town. Mr. Cohen was present, and objected as usual. He questioned the power of the Committee to arrange for special protection without first getting a special appropriation voted for the purpose. He was informed that the Committee has power to appoint to special duty any of the regular constables, and to pay for such extra services out of the money appropriated for township expenses. No definite action was taken upon the matter, however. Bids were received for furnishing the township with 2,000 tons of crushed stone. The contract was awarded to H. D. C. Richard, of Scotch Plains, his price being $1 per ton delivered upon the roads. A communication from Frank W. Morse, superintendent of the Garwood Land Improvement Company, complaining of the condition of roads near Garwood, was referred to the superintendent of roads, with instructions that he inspect the roads in question and report to the Committee. A number of property owners sent communications stating in what manner they wished to pay sewer assessments. The Township Clerk read a communication to Engineer Dunham written in 1894 by Frank Bergen on behalf of the Union Water Company, in which the price for water to flush the Westfield sewers is given as ten cents per 1,000 gallons, making a cost of 36 cents a day for the amount used by Westfield. The clerk was ordered to purchase lockup keys and handcuffs for the use of Constable E. W. Chamberlain. Mr. Embree reported that the Suburban Electric Light Company will erect the new street lights on Highland and North avenues next week. Bills amounting to $282 52 were ordered paid. The township treasurer was authorized to issue a note of $2,000 for two months on school account, and to replace the note for $10,000 on sewer account, coming due the 15th, with one for $5,500, reducing the sewer debt $4,500. The question of issuance of $30,000 of sewer bonds was raised by the township treasurer, who reported the total cost of the sewer system to be $87,839, which is $30,000 in excess of the amount raised by assessment. It is this additional $30,000 which the committee are to convert into a bonded debt. The law requires that these bonds cannot be issued for a period longer that than 30 years, that they must not bear interest larger than 6 per cent, and must be sold at par. The committee will meet again next Thursday evening, to talk over the question of bonds. Property owners are invited to attend this meeting and express their views upon the subject to the committee.

A. V. Lightbourne has returned from Sheepshead Bay, L. I.

George Sandt, a former resident of this place, is spending a few days in town.

George T. Crittenden, of Brooklyn, visited friends in this place yesterday.

Children's Day exercises will be held in the Willow Grove Sunday-school tomorrow.

Mrs. Elizabeth Vreeland has returned from a two week's visit with friends in Rahway.

William Shannon, of New York city, has been the guest of Westfield friends this week.

Mrs. T. R. Harvey returned yesterday from a visit with her parents in Newfoundland, Pa.

Rev. George A. Francis will preach the baccalaureate sermon to the High School graduates this year.

Harry M. Evans will lead the Christian Endeavor prayer meeting in the Congregational church tomorrow evening.

Rev. William H. Ruth will preach a memorial sermon to members of the G. A. R., in the Methodist church tomorrow evening.

The property of Stratford & Hawkes, the sewer contractors, has been attached to satisfy a judgment of Nichola Orchetti.

A meeting will be held at the Westfield Club hall this evening for the purpose of organizing a citizens' vigilance committee.

A writ of attachment has been issued by Justice Collins against the goods and chattels of Louis Dor, to satisfy a judgment held by Nicola Sarviro.

The Woman's Association of the Congregational church will meet at the residence of Mrs. J. F. Cowperthwaite, on Prospect street, Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

A complimentary piano recital will be given by the pupils of Miss Ella Ferris in the Methodist Episcopal church, next Friday evening. Admission will be by ticket only.

Mrs. Nellie Hale suffered the loss of a valuable bicyle, which she left at the Bard Cycle Company, on Wednesday, for repairs. The wheel was destroyed with the other stock in Thursday morning's fire.

Herbert E. Neddaugh, aged 35 years, a painter, of Elizabeth, died in the Elizabeth General Hospital yesterday afternoon, from injuries received by falling in front of a trolley car in that city Wednesday morning. Neddaugh, with some companions, had been attending a picnic, and while returning home about 2 o'clock a. m. attempted to board a trolley car. He stood too near and was struck by the car and thrown some distance, receiving internal injuries, which ended in his death.

The Westfield Board of Health held a meeting last evening and received a number of bids for cleaning out the brook, from Lawrence avenue to First street. It was considered by the Board that the bids were all too low to secure a proper execution of the work, and a new lot of bids will be called for, with specifications showing in what manner the work will be done. Superintendent of Roads Connolly was instructed to clean up the dumping grounds on Addison street, about which several complaints have lately been made. C. A. Smith was ordered to abate a nuisance which exists in connection with the property occupied by him on Spring street.

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Died in a Canal Boat.

County Physician Westcott was called to Elizabethport this morning to view the body of an unknown man who died suddenly at that place last evening in a canal boat. The body was sent at once to the morgue where it will remain until the burial permit is issued.

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Funeral service private, Sunday, June 6th, from her late residence, No. 223 Manson place, at 1 p. m. Relatives are respectfully invited to attend the service. Friends can view the remains between the hours of 10 and 11:30, Sunday morning.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

BOY WANTED to learn printer's trade. Enquire foreman composing room The Daily Press office.

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WANTED—First-class dressmaker by the day. Address, stating terms and references, M., care Press.

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FOR SALE—English hard tire bicycle; good condition; $10. 128 East Seventh street.

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SITUATION wanted for a competent woman, as chambermaid and waitress, or would assist with ironing. Apply present employer, 20 Rockview avenue. 6 4 3

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The Columbia is now on exhibition at our store and will remain on exhibition until June 30th, when the competition will close and the Columbia will be awarded to the fortunate winner.

The contest which we have just inaugurated, by or through which some subscriber to THE AMERICAN QUEEN is going to win a fine, high-grade $100 Columbia Bicycle, is already well under way. The contest will remain open until June 30 1897. The conditions and plan of this contest are simply these: We purpose presenting a Columbia Bicycle, 1897 Model, to the lady subscriber who furnishes the *best menu*, for one week, for a family of five, the cost of such menu not to exceed $10 for the week.

The merits of the menus submitted will be passed upon by the Editor of THE AMERICAN QUEEN, Miss Mary L. Bisland, and the person furnishing the best menu, in Miss Bisland's judgment, will be presented with the bicycle.

The menu submitted should be enclosed in one envelope and the name of the sender in a separate one, the two being handed in or sent in together, addressed to us. The envelopes containing the menus will then be numbered and sent to Miss Bisland and the envelopes containing the names reserved by us, and when Miss Bisland makes her choice of the menus she will inform us of the number of the winner and we will then announce the result in local newspapers and THE AMERICAN QUEEN.

The only requirement necessary to admit you to this contest is that you be a subscriber to THE AMERICAN QUEEN.

The splendid wheel which will go to the winner is on exhibition in the store and may be seen at any time.

We want everybody to feel free to go into this contest and we hope that hundreds of our customers will fix their minds on good things to eat and mould them into an acceptable menu for the week, and at the same time keep the cost down to $10.

THE COMPETITION.—Our aim in offering this competition is to have every lady we can reach with this announcement become a reader of THE AMERICAN QUEEN. THE QUEEN is published at $1 a year, but to give all our friends a chance to get this splendidly useful home publication for the ensuing year and at the same time have a chance to become the proud possessor of the standard cycle, we shall until the 30th day of June receive subscriptions (only one, however, will be taken from each family) for the nominal fee of 25 Cents a year. Come to the store at once, register your name, receive your receipt for THE QUEEN for one year and try to win the Columbia.

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Speechmaking Causes a Let Up In the Tariff Consideration.

SENATOR TILLMAN'S LIQUOR BILL.

It Is Intended to Meet In Part the Objections to the State Dispensary Law—Higher Duty on Wool Is Expected.

Washington, June 5.—The senate had a period of speechmaking, and as a result little progress was made on the tariff bill. The advance covered about two pages, or seven paragraphs, and brought the senate up to the wood schedule, the first item of which was considered, but not completed.

Mr. Mantle of Montana spoke for two hours on the wool schedule, urging increased rates for the woolgrower, and Mr. Butler of North Carolina made a plea in behalf of an income tax.

Senator Tillman from the committee on interstate commerce reported the bill introduced by himself giving states the same control of liquors imported into a state which they exercise over liquors of domestic manufacture. The bill is intended to in part meet the objections to the state dispensary law pointed out in the recent decision of Judge Simonton.

Senator Allison, who, in the absence of Senator Aldrich, has charge of the tariff bill, expressed the opinion that the sugar schedule would be reached in its order on Monday and that it would be taken up then if Senator Aldrich by that time should have so far recovered as to be able to take charge of the schedule on behalf of the Republicans. If Mr. Aldrich finds it impossible to be in the chamber when the schedule is reached, the Republicans will ask that it be passed temporarily because of his generally conceded superior information on the subject. Senator Allison says, however, that it is his desire that the schedule shall be disposed of as promptly as possible.

The Tobacco Schedule.

There is a possibility that the tobacco schedule may also be passed over in case Senator Aldrich is not able to be present when it is reached in its regular order.

The advocates of a higher duty on wool are quite confident from assurances received from members of the finance committee that they will secure an increase over the rates originally reported by the committee of an average of a cent a pound. This increase would give a duty of 9 cents on first class wool, 10 cents on second class and 5 cents on the lower quality of third class wool. They are also hopeful that the dividing line in third rate wools can be lowered to 9 cents. Senator Warren is among those who express the opinion that this concession will be made, and he says that if the changes are ordered the schedule will be fairly satisfactory to the wool interests.

Senator Warren also expresses the opinion that if necessary to appeal to the Republican caucus the increased rates will be assured, as he has a promise of the support of a majority of the Republican senators in aid of the proposition.

Missing Heirs Found.

Norwich, Conn., June 5.—James Williams died in California a few months ago, leaving a will bequeathing his estate of $60,000 to his brothers William and George, whom he had not heard from in many years. The brothers formerly lived here, but no one knew just what had become of them. After two months of search and inquiry the attorneys who had the matter in charge have just learned that one of the brothers was a printer in New Haven, who died four years ago, leaving a family. The other brother, they learn, enlisted in the Union army in the civil war and was killed. The estate will go to the family of the New Haven man.

International Commercial Conference.

Philadelphia, June 5.—The international commercial conference elected its advisory board for the ensuing year. The new officers are: President, Robert Bleakley of the New Orleans chamber of commerce; vice presidents for the United States, P. A. B. Widener of Philadelphia; William R. Grace of New York and Zina R. Carter, vice president of the Chicago board of trade. Vice presidents for the southern republics were also chosen.

Supposed Murder.

Albany, June 5.—Ray Jennings, a lad of Freehold, Greene county, was found dead on Wednesday with bullet holes in his back. He had gone hunting, and, not returning, search was made for him. It is believed that he was murdered, as the body was 100 feet away from the gun. A coroner was summoned, and an investigation will be made.

Naval Vessels' Whereabouts.

Washington, June 5.—The Texas has sailed from Boston for Hampton Roads to be present at Old Point Comfort at the convention of Railroad Master Mechanics. The Massachusetts will remain at Boston until after the 17th, Bunker Hill day. The New York will leave for Tompkinsville Monday.

Appointment In G. A. R. Department.

Albany, June 5.—George H. Lester of Oswego, the present commander of G. A. R. Post 586, has been appointed as assistant adjutant general to the State G. A. R. department by Department Commander A. D. Shaw. Mr. Lester will have charge of the department headquarters in this city.

Justice Urges Indictments.

Trenton, June 5.—Justice Gummere charged the Mercer county grand jury in connection with the recent investigation into county affairs. He particularly directed the indictment of Freeholder Miller Cross, who had sold coal to the county in the name of a third person.

Execution of a Murderer.

Columbia, Ga., June 5.—Henry White, aged 20, was hanged here. White was executed for his share in the murder of three policemen and the serious wounding of a fourth in this city on the 14th of last October.

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A CYCLONIC STORM.

Great Damage Done by the Wind In New York State.

Utica, N. Y., June 5.—A cyclonic storm swept over a territory about 20 miles long and a half mile wide in the western central part of this county. Great damage was done by the wind, especially in the town of Westmoreland, where at least half a dozen barns were blown down and several houses were moved from their foundations. In one barn Mrs. Charles Cook took refuge with her son, 8 years old. The barn fell in the storm, and Mrs. Cook was instantly killed and the boy crushed so badly that he cannot live.

She was a greatly respected lady in the neighborhood and was of a quite prominent family. In every direction the highways are blocked by trees that were blown across them. Telephone and telegraph lines are broken. It would not be possible to estimate the damage, as it is widely spread and runs all the way from $10 to several hundred to each farm.

PARDONS GRANTED.

Governor Black Exercises Clemency In Several Cases.

Albany, June 5.—Governor Black has granted pardons to the following persons:

James O'Grady of Buffalo, who was sentenced to the Erie County penitentiary a year ago for two years and nine months for attempted assault. The pardon is granted "on the recommendation of the judge and district attorney who tried the case on the ground that the evidence showed that the complainant was a dissolute woman.

Edward Ryan of Rochester, sentenced last fall to the Monroe County penitentiary for one year. Ryan is set free by the governor because of ill health.

John Bannert, convicted of forgery in Herkimer 18 months ago and sentenced to Auburn for two years and six months. The governor pardons Bannert because he thinks that he has been punished sufficiently.

Crook Brought Back.

Schenectady, N. Y., June 5.—Homer B. Willard, a well known crook, whose particular line of work is passing bogus certified checks, and whom the police of many cities want, was brought here from Chicago, where he was arrested last Monday for passing a worthless check on a Schenectady hotel keeper last fall. The police in half of the cities in the country have been looking for Willard for a year past. Last week the local police were told by Willard's father where he was, and his arrest followed. He has been held for the grand jury.

Death of a British Officer.

Toronto, June 5.—A private cablegram received here announces the death of Lieutenant General Edward Osborne Hewett, C. M. G., governor of the Royal Military academy at Woolwich, England. Lieutenant General Hewett was well known in Canada, having been sent out here in 1861, at the time of the anticipated war with the United States in connection with the Trent difficulties, to occupy the position of commanding royal engineer of Ontario, west of Toronto, in which district over 3,000 regular troops were stationed.

No Game Law Publication.

Albany, June 5.—Owing to Governor Black's veto of an item in the supply bill the fisheries, forest and game commission will not be able to publish a revision of the game laws as amended by the last legislature. The commission, ever since its organization, has made an annual publication of this sort for the purpose of keeping the sportsmen and public in general acquainted with the provisions of the game laws, which are materialy amended every year.

Alleged Wire Tappers.

Denver, June 5.—Two men, giving their names as Charles Moran and H. M. Summerfield, aged respectively 23 and 26 years, who have been posing as expert electricians in the employ of the Western Electric company of New York, have been arrested on the charge of wire tapping and swindling the poolrooms of this and other cities. Their rooms in the Burke block were raided, and one of the most complete and expensive outfits for wire tapping ever seen was found.

Foreign Tariff Probabilities.

Berlin, June 5.—According to The Kolnische Zeitung, the powers are paying great attention to the Canadian tariff, and the foreign diplomats in London, who have repeatedly held exhaustive discussions on the subject, are convinced that Great Britain will denounce the trade treaties with Germany and Belgium. Austria's formal adherence to the German and Belgian protest has been postponed.

Big Strike at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, June 5.—When the men were paid off at Jones & Laughlin's mill, each man was told the mill would start Monday and was asked if he intended to report for work then. Every man said "No," unless their demands were granted, and all were discharged. There are now 3,700 men on strike, and trouble is feared when an attempt is made to start with nonunion hands on Monday.

Many Bears In the Catskills.

Catskill, N. Y., June 5.—Bears are unusually numerous in the Catskill mountains this summer and are very bold, invading the sheepfolds and carrying off lambs. Several big bears have been killed lately by the farmers whose flocks have been depleted.

Music Dealers Assign.

Baltimore, June 5.—Otto Sutro & Co., music dealers, 119 and 121 East Baltimore street, have made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors to Francis P. Clark. The bond has been fixed at $100,000, indicating assets at half that amount.

Two Persons Drowned.

Galveston, June 5.—H. S. Towne, wife and sister, went bathing shortly after a squall. Mr. and Mrs. Towne were drowned, while the sister narrowly escaped. Mr. and Mrs. Towne came from Tampico, Mexico. They leave two children.

Measles Epidemic.

Monroe, N. Y., June 5.—There is an epidemic of measles at this place. Half the children in the village are sick, and the public school is thinly attended.

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VARIOUS SPORTS.

The swimming tank at the Y. M. C. building has been emptied and cleaned. It has just been painted a marine white and will receive another coat soon. The room in which it is placed is also to be repainted.

The past season has been a very successful one for the business men's gymnasium class at the Y. M. C. A. and the members have received so much good from it that they have decided to continue it through the summer months as they did last year. The class will be held once a week instead of twice a week as in the winter, on Thursday afternoon. The work will be of a light character and some of the members will keep up their practice in basket ball

AROUND THE BASES.

An interesting game of baseball was played at New Providence on the afternoon of Decoration Day between the Berkleys of Washingtonville and the New Providence Athletic Club. After the first inning only one of the N.P.A.C's got past first base. Rogers, of the Berkleys, struck out fifteen men. The score by innings:

Berkleys...	0	3	1	0	4	2	2	1	x	—13
N. P. A. C	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	— 6

Batters, Robert Rogers and Richard Rogers; William Crane and Joe Stevens.

Mrs. Arthur Lee Rogers, of New York, is visiting at the home of Mrs. A. VanDeventer, of Willow avenue.

—The bi-monthly meeting of the Association of P. E. W. W. will be held at Y. M. C. A. hall Tuesday next at 3 p. m. Reports from all departments will be given. Mrs. I. M. Rew, of New York, will speak on "Ideal Dress."

—The funeral services of the late Mrs. John Smalley will be held tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock from the house, No. 223 Manson place. Friends of the deceased can view the remains between the hours of 10 and 11:30 tomorrow morning. The relatives are invited to attend the service.

—Mountain Park Inn is now open and ready for business. Those who had occasion to visit this popular place last year will be delighted to again have the opportunity. Manager Moulton will put forth every effort to make the Inn all that it should be. The high standard maintained last year will be the feature this year. Already a number of guests have arrived and more are being booked every day.

Money.

Someone has described money as "that which will procure a man all he can desire, from a wife to a shine on his boots." Between these two extremes there are many things which mankind desires, and the best of them can be procured at Collier's for a very small monetary investment.

—The Volunteers of America will hold their usual service at Reform Hall, Sunday, at 8 p. m.

Sheriff Wyckoff, of Somerville, was a pleasant caller at The Press office, this morning.

Miss Classen, of New York, who has been the guest of Plainfield friends has returned home.

Ernest Mallard, of North avenue, is recovering from a severe sprain of the ankle, and is able to attend business.

Miss Sadie Giles and Miss Etta Giles, of New street, went to Jersey City today to attend the fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Huff, which will be celebrated tomorrow.

The Misses Elma and Adelaide Runyon, of Arlington avenue, started this morning for a trip in New York State. They will visit Poughkeepsie and Hyde Park. On their return they will visit friends in Brooklyn.

—Men are getting some shoe bargains at Crane & Clark's hat store, today.

—A mission will be conducted in St. Mary's church next week, beginning tomorrow. It will be for men only.

—McVey, of North avenue, received word this morning that the Newark Sunday-school which had expected to stop at his place today had postponed their trip for a week.

—William B. Norman, a New York auctioneer, announces that next Tuesday he will sell the modern and antique furniture from the residence of A. S. Anthony, of Putnam avenue, this city.

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Children's Day Exercises.

Children's Day exercises were held in the Seventh-day Baptist church this morning. Mrs. H. M. Maxson, superintendent of the primary department, was in charge. There were songs and recitations by the children of the primary department, and Rev. A. E. Main, pastor of the church, made a short address to the children. There was special music by the choir and a duet by Miss Nancy Randolph and D. E. Titsworth.

—A number of excellent views have been taken of the West End Hose house, and each member has been presented with one.

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FINE MURAL DECORATION

THE HOME OF L. V. F. RANDOLPH BEAUTIFIED BY A TALENTED ARTIST.

Though the Decoration is in Its Infancy in This Country the Idea is Older Than the Christian Era—Bound to be Popular.

Mural decoration is as yet in its infancy—particularly in America. The idea, indeed, is older than the Christian era—as old, for example, as Pompeii, the walls of whose elegant residences, still standing where first erected, or transferred in portions to the Naples museum, bear testimony today to the art and grace and taste of an age long gone by.

But the direct application of this sort of embellishment has always been limited. The conception of art as applied particularly to the ornamentation of walls were but primitive and partial, and were in any case only to be availed of by the very wealthy. Later, when the Renaissance developed so great an awakening and growth, it became the fashion to adorn public halls and private homes with pictures quite separate from the walls themselves. And this was on the whole the wiser plan. The paintings on canvass and on wood of the 14th, 15th, 16th and 17th centuries are in a much better state of preservation than are the early frescoes. But in our day frescoes are again coming into vogue. It is found that they can be done in a manner that will prove enduring, and they have in some cases a charm of their own such as the framed and movable picture cannot possess. In the great public buildings very recently erected, especially in America, artistic conceptions and representations have largely been directly conveyed to the side walls, domes and cieling of great rooms and assembly halls. This plan is now coming more considerably into use, also in the ornamentation of private residences. The old-fashioned stencil-plate work on the walls of dwellings and the conventional designs which must inevitably fade or crumble after a few years have given place in some of our homes to the thoughtful scheme, comprehending in its scope and plan the beautiful, the significant and the permanent.

In Plainfield we have as yet but few examples of this higher class of mural decoration. But these are indicative of progress in culture and taste. One example has just been completed at the residence of L. V. F. Randolph, on East Front street. It was designed last winter by Bryson Burroughs, of New York, who (whilst pursuing a course of study of five years in Europe as winner of the Chanler prize) had given much study to mural art and who has certainly done some superior work.

The design is two-fold, and comprises the walls and ceilings of the two large rooms on the south side of the main hall of the Randolph residence. In the room on the front of the house the theme is that of "Home, or the Family Tie," with its joys and blessings. The scene depicted is taken from the Mask in Shakspeare's drama of "The Tempest." The happy union of Fernando and Miranda, made under the countenance of Prospero, receives the blessing of Juno and Ceres. The oil painting on the wall embodying this agreeable scene is framed by a further design, through which are wrought ideal faces of Ariel, Caliban, Gonzalo and Alonzo, together with various delicate representations of ripened fruits. On the ceiling of this room are four medallions in which are depicted festal and harvest scenes.

In the adjoining apartment, which is the music room, the thought in the decoration is the music thought. The chimney-piece here embraces the ideal figure of Saint Cecilia, with angelic attendants; and the four large medallions in the ceiling are representations of other graceful figures in harmony with the chief design. All these again are painted in oil, but in quiet tints, the manner and colors being in perfect agreement with the paintings and medallions in the sister room. The medallions are each somewhat more than four feet in diameter—the figures being about half of life-size. All the figures and faces—numbering about a score, and displayed in ten distinct works of art—were painted from life-models by Mr. Burroughs and are marvels of chaste and accurate drawing and of classical and graceful pose. The surroundings of wall canvas and of furniture and woodwork, as arranged and carried out by C. G. Davis, are in perfect keeping with Mr. Burroughs' schemes.

During Mr. Randolph's absence with his daughters in Morocco, Spain, Italy and other countries this artistic mural work was accomplished under Mrs. Randolph's supervision. At the same time she arranging other pleasant surprises for the travellers in the

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MRS. BARTLETT'S SIDE.

IT'S A SEPERATION WITH ALMONY NOT DIVORCE, SHE WANTS.

She Says That Up to a Few Weeks Ago She and Her Husband Lived Happily Together — His Courtship Was Short.

Mrs. Elizabeth Menzeli Bartlett writes a long letter to The Press in which she takes some exceptions to the statements made in the news report that she had instituted proceedings for a divorce from her husband, Abner Bartlett. Mrs. Bartlett says that it is not a divorce that she wants, but a seperation with alimony. She says that it has not been known to anyone that she and her husband lived unhappily while together, in contradiction of which she says that prior to her going to Newark to conduct a children's carnival some weeks ago they were on the best of terms. Since her return, she alleges, Mr. Bartlett has failed to support her.

Concerning her own life, Mrs. Bartlett says that she is of German parentage, her father having been an officer in the German army. She adopted stage dancing as a profession, in company with her sister, when quite young, both of them having shown a decided talent in that direction, but she never appeared in the "Black Crook."

The marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett was solemnized in New York in 1893, the latter having left the stage some three years previous to that. At the time Mr. Bartlett made the acquaintance of his wife the latter was studying elocution under F. F. McKay. She was also cultivating her voice under the instruction of a well-known artist. The acquaintance of the couple was of short duration when they were joined in matrimony. Mrs. Bartlett met her husband in her brother's house through an introduction made by the latter.

NOVEL BURGLAR ALARM.

THE MARAUDERS' VOICES HEARD THROUGH A SPEAKING TUBE.

H. C. Christianson Made Aware of the Thieves and Then Fired a Revolver and the Former Soon Made Their Departure.

H C Christianson, who lives on the county road near the Fanwood station, has a rather novel burglar alarm, which served him faithfully last night, when it gave notice of the presence of two burglars at the back door of his residence. The alarm which did its work so well is an ordinary speaking tube which runs from Mr. Christianson's sleeping room to the kitchen.

Last night at about 12:30 o'clock Mrs. Christianson was awakened by a noise and listening she heard the voices of two men in conversation. She aroused her husband, and it was found that the sound of the voices came through the speaking tube from the kitchen.

Mr. Christianson, thinking that the men were inside of the house, raised a window and fired off a revolver to frighten them away. The shooting had the desired effect, as the two men downstairs quickly disappeared, running to the woods behind the house.

An investigation showed that the thieves had not entered the kitchen, but were at work trying to open the back door when the speaking tube upon the inside caught the sound of their voices and carried it upstairs.

JERSEY'S REPUBLICAN CLUBS.

Delegates to the National Convention Chosen.

The executive committee of the Republican State League of Clubs held a meeting Saturday evening at the rooms of the Republican Club in Trenton and selected five delegates to represent this State in the National Convention of Republican Clubs at Detroit, July 13th. The delegages are B. B. Howell, of New Brunswick; ex-Speaker Louis T. Derousse, of Camden; Assemblyman Harry E. Gledhill, of Paterson; John P. Landrine, of Jersey City, and Edmund C. Hill, of Trenton.

A resolution in favor of holding national conventions biennially instead of annually was adopted. It was also decided to hold a State convention during the second week in September. The exact date and the place were left open. The basis of representation to the State convention will be five delegates from each club.

Sprained Her Leg

Mrs. Robert Luckey, of Orange street, sustained a severe injury last Saturday afternoon while riding a wheel owned by one of the members of her family. She was thrown from the wheel and one of her leg was so badly strained that she is now confined to the house and unable to walk. Dr. Jenkins is in attendance.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

A VICTORY AT THE START.

CRESCENT BALL TEAM DEFEATED THE NEW BRUNSWICK Y. M. C. A.

The New Club is Composed of the Pick of Local Crack Players and Put up a Game That Elated All.

The Crescent Baseball Club opened the season on its LaGrande avenue grounds, Saturday afternoon, by defeating the New Brunswick Y. M.C.A. nine in a closely contested game. The game really was exciting, for the visitors took the lead in the third inning and held it to the sixth and then kept the cranks in a continual state of excitement by almost scoring on many occasions.

The new club is composed of the pick of the players of last year's Plainfield Athletic Club and Y. M. C. A. nines. The old Crescent's field was arranged for the game, and the several hundred spectators that turned out for the game were decidedly well pleased with the general appearance of the team and field. A grand-stand with canvas shade had been erected, while a plentiful supply of camp chairs had been provided for the use of the other patrons.

As to the game, it cannot be said that the Crescent's outplayed their opponents, but by the bunching of hits and several costly errors on the part of the New Brunswick infielders, the Crescent's gained their victory. The score would have been larger by several runs but for a pretty running catch by Tallman. There were three men on bases and two men out when George Schoonmaker came to bat. He sent the ball apparently far over the centre fielder's head, but the latter ran and just managed to get it on the edge of the embankment on Richmond street.

Charley Mumford made the only home run of the game by knocking the ball into the chicken yard in far left field. While the New Brunswick fielders were trying to scale the wire screen, Charley flew around the bases amid the shouts of the spectators.

There was much enthusiasm shown. Both umpires were from Plainfield and did their work satisfactorily.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Crescents	0	0	1	2	3	3	0	0	0	—9
New Brunswick	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	—6

The batting order was as follows:

Crescents.	New Brunswick.
Townley, ss	Bradley, 3b, p
Schoonmaker, 3b	Manley, c
McLoughlin, 1b	Vosper, ss, 3b
Rogers, lf	Roberts, lf
Lederer, 2b	O'Connor, 2b
Kipling, c	Tallman, cf
Mumford, cf	McDowell, 1b
Sutphen, rf	Klein, rf
Hayes, p	Mattison, p, ss

Umpires—Charles O. Pearson and Edward Erickson, of Plainfield.

Score—Crescents, 9; New Brunswick, 6. Base hits—Crescents, 10; New Brunswick, 13. Errors—Crescents, 3; New Brunswick, 4. Two-base hits—Schoonmaker, Hayes, Vosper, Roberts, Bradley. Three-base hits—McLoughlin, Roberts, Manley. Home runs—Mumford. Bases on balls—Crescents, 4; New Brunswick, 0. Struck out—Crescents, 12; New Brunswick, 6. Passed balls—Crescents, 0; New Brunswick, 1. Stolen bases—Kipling.

THE FARMER'S BOGUS FRIEND.

"Colonel Walker" Was Well Received and Got $100.

Mahlon Perdun, a prosperous farmer, living near New Brunswick, was visited Wednesday by a well-dressed man, who said he was "Colonel Charles Walker, of Philadelphia." "I want to buy your farm," he said, by way of introduction, and Perdun received him graciously.

Walker said he would like to drive to New Brunswick, Friday, and Perdun said one of his daughters would accompany him. Before leaving Walker said:

"By the way, friend Perdun, let me have $10 until my draft comes, will you?"

Wishing to oblige his guest, Perdun handed over the money. Late in the afternoon Miss Perdun drove into the farm yard, so excited that she could not speak.

"What's the matter, child? Where's the 'Colonel?'" asked Farmer Perdun.

"Gone!" was the reply.

"Buncoed, by cracky!" said Perdun. Rising early in the morning, he drove to New Brunswick, and after a vain search, reported the case to the police. Walker had not been seen, nor is it likely that he will be found.

CRUSHED UNDER A SPRINKLER.

Wheels Passed Over William Corbett's Head and Caused Instant Death.

William Corbett, of Mendham, was instantly killed Friday near Bernardsville. He was driving a sprinkling cart and at noon fed his horses on the road where he was working, taking the bridles off the horses.

Mr. Corbett, who was a small man, was unable to put the bridles on again, and in trying to reach the horses' heads he stood upon the tongue of the cart. The horses became frightened and ran, throwing Mr. Corbett to the ground. The wheels of the cart passed over his head, crushing the skull.

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A FLAW IN THE TITLE.

A CHURCH BALKED IN SELLING A VALUABLE PIECE OF PROPERTY.

Scotch Plains Baptist Society Unable to Consummate a Deal for the Purchase of a Farm Owned by Them for 100 Years.

Great consternation has been caused among the trustees and friends of the Scotch Plains Baptist church over the discovery of flaws in the title of certain of their property, which may render it practically valueless to the church corporation.

The property in quesion is on Johnston's Drive. It is a plot of a great many acres, known as the Baptist church property, and has been claimed by the church corporation for over 100 years.

A short time ago the church trustees advertised the property for sale, and secured a purchaser, who agreed to pay the price asked, provided a clear title could be furnished.

The New Jersey Guarantee Company was engaged to search the title, and their report, rendered on Saturday, was unfavorable to the church trustees' title. The company expressed itself as unwilling to guarantee the title as it had discovered several incumberances and other blemishes. Immediately, upon hearing this, the intending purchaser discontinued making improvements about the place, and announced his unwillingness to accept the property.

It is understood that if the purchase had been made about $25,000 would have been expended upon the place in building, grading and other improvements. The action of the Title Guarantee Company came as a genuine surprise to the trustees and others interested, as the title was considered perfectly good. There is much discussion now as to what can be done, and some are of the opinion that the State legislature should be called upon to pass a special act clearing the title.

RECEPTION TO BICYCLERS.

Y. M. C. A. Members in Adjoining Towns Given a Good Time.

Sixty-seven cyclers came on the bicycle run to Plainfield on Saturday afternoon and they were well entertained at the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association. It was after 9 o'clock before some of the wheelmen arrived. The run was to have been on Friday evening, but on account of the weather was postponed to Saturday evening. Having so little time in which to notify the associations, several associations were not represented on Saturday. It was thought by Heywood, the physical director of the local association, that over 100 cyclers would be present, but on account of the reasons already given that number of wheelmen did not show up.

Following is the list of associations represented and also the number present: Rahway, 16; Passaic, 5; Madison, 7; Montclair, 3, New Brunswick, 7; Elizabeth, 21; Summit, 8.

The next run of the league will be made on the 17th of this month, and will be to Madison.

SERVICE IN THE NEW CHAPEL.

The New Church in Bound Brook to be Finished by Next Christmas.

Contractor James Vosseller has finished a portion of the new Presbyterian church, Bound Brook, and yesterday morning services was held in it. The chapel's seating capacity is 375.

The Presbyterian church at Bound Brook is one of the oldest in New Jersey, having been founded in 1688. It has had eleven ministers and five church buildings. The last was burned in 1896. It was built in 1823.

The new church, now being built, is at Union and Mountain avenues. Contractor Vosseller expects to have the church finished by Christmas.

No One Wanted a Scholarship.

The eighth annual examination for the free scholarship in the State College at New Brunswick was set for Saturday. County Superintendent A. W. Hartwell and City Superintendent of the Public Schools Leslie W. Pierson waited almost two hours, but as no candidates presented themselves they adjourned.

Raised in Grade With the Postoffice.

Postmaster John L. Derby, of Cranford, has received from the First Assistant Postmaster-General that the grade of the Cranford postoffice has been raised from the third to the second class, and the Postmaster's salary fixed for the year beginning July 1st at $2,200.

Dined at the Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Janeway, of New Brunswick, entertained a party of friends at dinner at Mountain Park Inn, Saturday night. Manager Moulton distinguishes himself by the excellent menu served as well as the hospitable treatment accorded the guests.

THE POSTPONED FETE.

THE DELAY WILL PERMIT GREATER PERFECTION OF FEATURES.

Programme Arranged For Last Saturday Will be Carried Out in a Complete Manner on Saturday of This Week.

The Fete Champetre, planned for Saturday, June 5th, that was to have been the coming out party of the Town Improvement Association, was postponed on account of the weather to Saturday, June 12th from 3 to 10 o'clock. Fortunately, no features of the Fete will suffer by postponement. It is hoped that the delay will only serve to bring nearer perfection some of the arrangements for the entertainment and heighten some of its charms. The pony carriages and boats will be there next Saturday, as will the May Pole at 4 o'clock to be wound by the wee ones and at 5 o'clock by older children. The Gypsy encampment with its gaily costumed queen and dark browned men and maidens, who will dance and sing and play, as only gypsies can, the camp fire, flapjacks and wonderful Palmist, whose skill in reading your life from your hand, is celebrated far and near, will all be there, only the better for the waiting. The music will be as sweet, the illuminations as fine, the ice cream, fruit and flowers just as fresh and the supper quite as good as if the Fete had been held last week. We trust the skies will be brighter and the roads harder, that bicyclists may be tempted to share these pleasures, for every arrangement has been made to repair all mishaps to wheels and make the cyclists trip one of comfort and unalloyed pleasure.

If there should be uncertainly about the weather, as there was last week, the Fete will still be held, the supper being served on the piazzas and in the house, while the gypsy camp will be moved from the island to the rear of the house, under the electric lights.

JAPAN MISSION WORK.

MRS. HILTON PEDLEY GAVE TWO INTERESTING TALKS.

The Dress and Customs of the Japanese Described to Sunday-School Scholars—Sang Hymns in the Japanese Language.

Mrs. Hilton Pedley, a missionary of the American Board, who has been in Japan for nearly ten years, is now in America on a short furlough, and has many interesting things to tell about her life in that most fascinating of foreign countries. Yesterday afternoon she spoke for few moments to the Sunday-school of the Congregational church, and in the evening the Christian Endeavor Society of the church held a special meeting, at which she gave a more formal address.

In the afternoon, Mrs. Pedley described the dress of the Japanese, illustrating her words by references to the Japanese customs in which she had dressed Miss Sadie Howell and Master Arthur Robinson. She also related little incidents which had occurred in her Japanese Sunday school, and described the room and the young Orientals who composed the school.

In the evening, the lecture room was crowded to its utmost capacity with eager listeners. Mrs. Pedley pointed out upon the map the various mission stations which the American Board has established in Japan, told of the first mission work done in the country, and then gave her audience many interesting bits of information about the daily life of a missionary in that far-away land. She told of the tremendous difficulties in the way of learning the language, to get a fair idea of which requires about five years; of the home life of a missionary's family, with its studying, working, and teaching; of the towns made into the country to preach and teach; of the work in the Sunday-schools; and of the strange but wonderfully fascinating ways of the people.

At both services Mrs. Pedley sang several hymns in Japaness, some of which were set to native tunes, wierd and Oriental enough, but with something strangely attractive about them.

Behr Called to Court.

Bernard Behr, father of Edith Behr, who was recently sentenced to three months in the Union County Jail for assault and battery will be re-arraigned in the Union County Court Wednesday, as the Supreme Court at Trenton last Tuesday dismissed the writ of error that was taken out for him by his lawyer when he was sentenced to serve five months in jail for the same offense for which his daughter Edith was punished. Prosecutor Marsh has notified Behr's bondsman to produce him in court June 9.

Episcopal Convocation.

The convocation of the Episcopal Diocese of New Jersey will be held on June 15 at St. Paul's church, Rahway. Right Rev. Dr. Scarborough will preside.

WHEEL NOT HIS TO PAWN

JOHN RICKERT, CHARGED WITH FRAUD, SETTLED OUT OF COURT.

F. L. C. Martin Alleged That Rickert Bought a Wheel on the Installment Plan and Never Paid for All of It.

John Rickert, of Paterson, formerly a resident of this city, was brought before Justice Nash, this morning, on the charge of fraud, preferred by F. L. C. Martin, president of the F. L. C. Martin Cycle Company.

In 1895 Rickert bought a Cleveland wheel of the F. L. C. Martin Cycle Company, on an installment lease. In about a year from that time he left town suddenly, pawning his wheel at a local store. From here he went to Paterson, where he has been ever since. Mr. Martin has been on the lookout for him ever since, but it was not until last evening that it was learned that he had returned to Plainfield. This morning Rickert was arrested by the police on a warrant issued by Justice Nash and brought before that magistrate. Mr. Martin agreed not to push the complaint after good security was given for the payment of the rest of the money due.

ENTERTAINED AT EUCHRE.

Mr and Mrs. W. E. MacClymont Give a Party in Honor of a Guest.

A progressive euchre party was given last Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William E. MacClymont, of Washington avenue, in honor of Miss Ida E. Schafer, of Trenton, and Miss Lillian Kline, of Elizabeth. The hospitality of the host and hostess was a pleasing feature of the event, while the sociability of the guests was marked. Miss Laura Emmons was awarded a hat pin as the first prize for the ladies, and a pair of silver cuff buttons was presented to William Holmes as first prize for the gentlemen. Miss Kline won the consolation prize, a Faunt leroy pack of cards.

After the game dainty refreshments were served and the rest of the evening was devoted to sociability. Those present were Miss Ida E. Schaefer, of Trenton; Miss Lillian Kline, of Elizabeth; Miss Nora Williams, Miss Laura Emmons, Miss Margaret Long, Miss Sara Long; Robert M. Clark, E. O. Clark, H. C. VanEmburg, William Holmes, G. H. Smith and George C. Worth, of Plainfield.

SLAUGHTER OF HENS.

Dogs Brought Death to Andrew Huff's Poultry Yard.

Andrew Huff, of Park avenue, suffered a great loss last Friday night and Saturday morning when sixty-five valuable hens and roosters were killed by dogs. Mr. Huff did not discover his loss until late Saturday morning when he went to the place where his chickens are kept. When he arrived he found the dead chickens lying all about the place with their feet turned upward. Some of them were carried a great distance from the coop. Mr. Huff has an idea as to who owns the dogs that killed his chickens and it is his intention of bringing the owners to justice. There is a law which provides for the destruction of sheep by dogs and Mr. Huff thinks that he is entitled to some compensation for his loss. He now has about twenty hens left.

Pet Dog Went Mad.

A pet canine, belonging to William A. Stimpson, of the reportorial staff of the News, began to act queerly, yesterday morning, when out for a walk with its master. Stimpson hurried to his home on West Sixth street, when the dog began to show evident signs of rabies. The canine frothed at at the mouth and howled and barked. He tried to bite the trees and house while shut in the yard. Stimpson sesured a friend with a shot gun and ended the canine's existence without delay. The dog was very gentle heretofore and was a great favorite with the family.

Death Caused by Paralysis.

Mrs. Smith, aged about sixty years, and a resident of Orange, died very suddenly last night at the home of home of her daughter, Mrs. Vanderhoof, of East Front street. Death was due to a stroke of paralysis. The body was removed to Orange this afternoon and the funeral services will be held at that place tomorrow.

Free Stereopticon Lecture.

George C. Needham will deliver a free lecture on "The Jewish Tabernacle" this evening at 8 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. hall. All members of Dr. Stearn's Union Bible class and Christian friends invited. The illustrations are very rare and beautifully colored.

State Board Offers Services.

The State Board of Arbitration has offered its services in settling the strike among the carpenters in Orange. The strikers insist upon the justice of their claim for shorter hours and increased pay.

DEMOCRATIC PLANS.

Statement Made by State Committeeman Campbell.

HOPE TO ELECT NEW YORK'S MAYOR.

National Issues Will Not Be Forced Into the Various Local Campaigns and Elections This Fall.

Albany, June 7.—The National Democratic party will not force national issues into the various local campaigns and elections in this state this fall, and while repudiation of the Chicago platform will not be allowed it will not be brought forward as an issue paramount to anything else. That is the statement of the national Democratic state committeeman from New York, Frank Campbell of Bath, a former comptroller of the state. Mr. Campbell is in this city, fresh from a conference with the leaders, and said:

"The policy of the Democratic party of the nation, as laid down in the platform of the Chicago convention of 1896, cannot be disturbed until the next Democratic national convention, which will be held in 1900. It will make no difference whether a state, city or county convention indorses it or repudiates it. It will stand unaltered. In the election last fall the regular organization of the state of New York was loyal and true to the nominees and platform of the Chicago convention. The same organization heartily supported Mr. Cleveland four years ago as the Democratic candidate for president, although their delegates were opposed to him in the national convention.

"I believe in home rule. If the Democrats of the city of New York, Buffalo, or Rochester deem it expedient and wise for party success to conduct their local elections without injecting into them state or national issues, I believe they have a perfect right to do so without interference of any state or national committee.

"Democrats living in the state outside of the city of New York are looking anxiously for the election of a Democratic mayor for Greater New York. If this could be accomplished, it would encourage the rank and file of the party and enable the organization to get into fighting shape for the important state election that is to take place a year from this fall, when the governor, state officers and the legislature are to be elected.

"If we carry Greater New York and elect these officers next year, then the party will be in shape, with a fair chance of placing New York state in the Democratic column in 1900.

"As the representative of the regular organization of New York on the national committee, I can state that so far as I know the national committee has no desire to interfere in New York state in its local elections this fall or to dictate to the Democracy of New York what their issues should be in these elections."

Pillsbury Wins Blindfold.

Brooklyn, June 7.—A remarkable exhibition of simultaneous blindfold chess playing was given at the Brooklyn Chess club by Harry N. Pillsbury, the American chess champion. Eight members of the club studied the games at chess tables in one room, while Mr. Pillsbury played from memory in an adjoining room. The games were well conducted on both sides, Mr. Pillsbury frequently startling his opponents by his combinations. He announced a forced mate in four moves in one game and another in two moves. After four hours' playing the score showed that Pillsbury had won six games, lost none, two games being drawn.

Cloudburst In France.

Paris, June 7.—A cloudburst in the hill country of the province of Isore, in southwestern France, has caused the overflow of the river Morge and the destruction of a number of paper mills and silk factories, as well as houses along the banks. At the towns of Voiron and Moirans, the river rose suddenly 20 feet. One person was drowned, and the loss of property is estimated at 10,000,000 francs. Four thousand factory operatives are thrown out of employment.

Plunged Over an Embankment.

Warren, Pa., June 7.—A colt hitched to a surrey in which was seated Louis Laih, a meat dealer of this place, took fright while in the Oakland cemetery and plunged over an embankment 200 feet high. Neither horse nor driver was killed, but Laih is not likely to recover. Laih's wife and children had just stepped from the vehicle when the horse took fright.

Dickinson College Opens.

Carlisle, Pa., June 7.—The one hundred and fourteenth commencement of Dickinson college has been formally opened. Professor George Edward Reed delivered the baccalaureate sermon in Allison Memorial church. There was a large attendance, and the music was rendered by a large selected choir. Prayer was said by Rev. John A. Roche of New York.

Bryan Goes to Church.

Montreal, June 7.—W. J. Bryan, who is resting here for a day after his lecture, yesterday attended the American Presbyterian church and was afterward entertained at lunch by Hon. George W. Stephens, M. P., a millionaire lawyer and politician. Mr. Bryan was driven around the city by the Knights of Pythias in the afternoon.

Bicyclist Struck by a Train.

Camden, N. J., June 7.—Miss Florence Brain of this city, while attempting to cross the tracks of the West Jersey and Seashore railroad in front of an Atlantic City express while on her bicycle, was struck by the engine and thrown 20 feet into a ditch. She was injured internally and has since died.

Oklahoma Marshal Resigns.

Guthrie, O. T., June 7.—Patrick Nagle, United States marshal for the district of Oklahoma, has wired his resignation to President McKinley. He announces that he is tired of the place and desires to be relieved. The affairs of the office were recently investigated by special agents from Washington.

Weather Predictions.

Threatening weather; southeasterly winds.

STILL ON THE TARIFF

Uncertainty as to the Order of Consideration.

WILL AWAIT RETURN OF ALDRICH.

The Sugar Question Is Liable to Consume a Large Portion of the Time of the Senate—The Demands of Tobacco Men.

Washington, June 7.—While the tariff will continue the general topic of discussion in the senate during the present week there is no certainty as to what portion of it will receive especial attention. This uncertainty is due largely to the difficulty of determining when the sugar schedule will be taken up. It is so generally understood that this schedule will consume considerable time that there is no effort to outline beyond it the course of proceeding. The wood schedule will afford a brief respite before reaching the sugar question, as that subject was left undisposed of when the senate adjourned on Saturday.

Senator Allen probably will enter a motion to strike out the entire paragraph relating to sawed lumber, and the motion may lead to other speeches than his own.

Whether the sugar schedule will be taken up in order is still undetermined. There are many differences of opinion on the subject, but the prevailing desire is to get the schedule out of the way as soon as possible. This is the case on both sides of the chamber, but it is especially true of the Republicans, as the responsibility for action rests there.

Still there is a desire among Republican senators that there should be absolute agreement among themselves on the rates of this schedule before entering upon its discussion in the senate, and it is realized that they may be difficult of attainment without a further exchange of opinions than has yet been permitted. There is no doubt in any event of a postponement until Senator Aldrich's return to the senate. He is still confined to his room, but is expected to be out early in the week.

That the Hawaiian treaty will be protected by the finance committee is considered settled, but a caucus may be necessary to determine whether other changes should be made. Senator Pettigrew has decided definitely to offer his antitrust amendment in connection with this schedule, but beyond the fact that it will lead to a number of speeches there is no certainty as to its course or its fate.

The Tobacco Schedule.

The tobacco schedule immediately follows the sugar schedule. The tobacco men will have a hearing tonight. They will ask for $2 on wrapper and 35 cents on filler tobacco. There is also an inclination to return to the language of the Wilson law on this subject. This is understood to be the wish of both the importers and the tobacco growers.

There are many sharp contests ahead on the paragraphs of the agricultural schedule, which is next after tobacco, including those on rice, on which there will be an effort to secure a return to the house rates; on cattle, on which it will be claimed there should be an ad valorem rather than a specific duty, and on fish, fruits, chicory and salt. The innovation of a duty on tea is also proposed on the schedule, but it is practically certain that this provision will be withdrawn by the committee. Thus what would have been one of severests contests will be avoided. The cotton and spirit schedules will, it is now thought, excite comparatively little debate.

The house has no work ahead of it this week, and it is the intention of the majority leaders to adjourn until Thursday and from Thursday until Monday. Mr. Simpson and other members of the minority doubtless will essay the usual maneuvers, with the purpose of embarrassing the Republicans, but in the present condition of the house their latitude is narrow, and they easily can be overborne by their adversaries.

Body Recovered.

Newton, Mass., June 7.—The body of Ernest A. Gammons, the well known member of the Wabewawa club who was drowned in Charles river at Riverside, was recovered this forenoon by the West Newton police, who had dragged for it all night.

Suicide by Hanging.

Hudson, N. H., June 7.—The body of an unknown man was found hanging in the woods here, having been there a week. The suicide was about 30 years of age, dressed in brown coat and vest, blue pants, with a red handkerchief around the neck.

Fell From a Roof.

Haverhill, Mass., June 7.—George Young, 12 years of age, fell from the roof of a four-story building. His skull was crushed and when picked up was beyond medical aid.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western quiet and easy; city mills patents, $4.70@4.90; winter patents, $4.50@4.85; city mills clears, $4.70@4.80; winter straights, $4.10@4.20.

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CORN—No. 2 opened steady, but eased off with wheat; July, 28⅞@29c.; September, 30@30¼c.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The crosswalks at the corner of Park avenue and Second street have been fixed so that all surplus water will now run off. Heavy stone has replaced that which was used previously.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are to-day its warmest friends. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Long, of Park avenue, is entertaining a friend from out of town.

—Apgar Brothers, contractors, are erecting a commodious workshop on their property, on West Front street.

"There's no use in talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, La Cygne, Kas., "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy does the work. After taking medicines of my own preparation and those of others, I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—It was arranged so that the new borough marshals went on duty Saturday night. There new uniforms have been ordered and until they arrive some of the old uniforms will be used.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman fo the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—Next Sunday will be celebrated as Children's Day and the various churches in this city will observe the day appropriately. For sometime past plans have been in preparation for the event.

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Miss Ida Schafer, of Trenton, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. MacClymont, of Washington avenue, has returned home.

Stands at the Head.

Aug. J. Bogel, the leading druggist of Shreveport, La., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is the only thing that cures my cough, and it is the best seller I have." J. F. Campbell, merchant of Safford, Ariz., writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery is all that is claimed for it; it never fails, and is a sure cure for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I cannot say enough for its merits."

Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is not an experiment. It has been tried for a quarter of a century, and to-day stands at the head. It never disappoints. Free trial bottles at L. W. Randolph's drug stor .

—J. H. Carney, of the borough, has received an invitation to appear at an entertainment to be given this week by a Camp of Sons of Veterans at Woodbridge.

Electric Bitters

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more generally needed when the languid, exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt. A prompt use of this medicine has often averted long and perhaps fatal bilious fevers. No medicine will act more surely in counteracting and freeing the system from the malarial poison. Headache, Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness yield to Electric Bitters. 50c. and $1.00 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

Miss Margaret Milligan, of Clinton, Hunterdon county, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. W. Milligan, 419 West Fourth street.

Protect yourself against sickness and suffering by keeping your blood rich and pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Weak, thin, impure blood is sure to result in disease.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure indigestion, biliousness. 25c.

A RIOTOUS SCENE.

Disorder Prevails In the French Chamber of Deputies.

London, June 7.—The Paris correspondent of The Times says:

"The scene in the chamber of deputies on Saturday during the Jaures incident, when M. Brisson, president of the chamber, suspended the sitting and sent for the military guard to remove M. Richards, the Socialist deputy who had referred to some of his colleagues as 'police spies,' was one of unwonted scandal and violence.

"M. Brisson, after business was resumed, declined to hear M. Jaures, who interpellated the government on what he called an 'attempt to muzzle a deputy,' basing his refusal on the ground that no notice of interpellation had been given.

"A furious uproar followed. M. Brisson was quite pale with anger, but kept himself well under control. Never in the bitterest invective employed against an Opportunist minister by demagogues of the Extreme Left was there greater violence than in the language of which M. Brisson, who owes his seat largely to the Socialist vote, was the unjust object.

"'Bas, Brisson!' 'Canaille de Brisson!' 'Mont a Brisson!'

"'Miserable reactionary, you will never be president; traitor that you are!' 'Old rascal, resign, resign!'

"These are fair samples of the epithets which the entire Socialist party, standing on the floor of the chamber, hurled at the president, while he, unable to maintain order, brought the sitting to an abrupt close."

THE TORPEDO BOAT PORTER.

Ready For Her Final Trial, She Takes a Fast Preliminary Spin.

New York, June 7.—The United States torpedo boat Porter has been taken out of drydock, with new paint on her steel bottom, which had been swept bare within three weeks by friction of water occasioned by her remarkable speed. Her final trial is understood to have been fixed for tomorrow, and yesterday the Porter dropped around to Communipaw to take in coal preparatory thereto. Incidentally, to ascertain if all else were in proper form, Lieutenant J. C. Fremont, in command, took her down around Scotland lightship and back again.

The stretch from the Battery to Scotland lightship is 21 miles, the round trip 42 miles, and the time in which the Porter traveled this distance was 1 hour and 50 minutes. And she did it easily, for at no time was more than 200 pounds of steam pressure developed, and that for only a short time.

Below Swinburne island and through the Horseshoe the little craft slipped along at about 30 miles an hour, and at this speed she was a beautiful spectacle viewed from astern.

Standing directly over her screw, whirling 400 times per minute, there was not vibration enough to interfere with letter writing, had that been possible in the rush of air occasioned by her speed.

JAPAN AND HAWAII.

The Immigration Difficulty May Sever Diplomatic Relations.

San Francisco, June 7.—The steamer Coptic has arrived from Honolulu, bringing advices up to May 31. According to the latest information procurable, the difficulty between Japan and Hawaii growing out of the immigration question has been increased rather than diminished by the diplomatic proceedings.

Officers on board of the Japanese cruiser Nanial, now at Honolulu, state that a second Japanese man-of-war is now en route to Honolulu and that a third vessel is about to depart from Yokohama for the islands.

Mrs. Shimamura, wife of the Japanese minister here, has arranged to leave for Japan on June 5. The intended departure caused a rumor in Honolulu to the effect that the minister would soon follow her.

He admitted that he was not satisfied with the answer of the Hawaiian government in regard to the immigrant controversy, and he gave close friends to understand that unless a reply satisfactory to him was made he would depart for Tokyo, thereby severing diplomatic relations between Japan and Hawaii.

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.

The Sultan Leaves Them to His Ministers to Protect Himself.

London, June 7.—The correspondent of The Standard at Constantinople says:

"Acting upon the advice of Izzet Bey, the sultan is leaving the peace negotiations wholly in the hands of his ministers, thus evading personal responsibility and placing himself in a position to sacrifice them to popular indignation if necessary.

"It is reported that the palace party has entered into extensive stock exchange operations on the theory that the market will show a rise as the prospects of peace increase. The Ottoman embassador at St. Petersburg has informed the porte that Count Muravieff, the Prussian foreign minister, told him he personally objected to Russian intervention on behalf of Greece and had counteracted the feminine intrigues started with that object, but the holy synod induced the czar to intervene."

Prison Trouble at San Francisco Ended.

San Francisco, June 7.—The trouble with the convicts employed in the jute mill in the San Quentin prison is about over, and no further disturbance is looked for. Work has been started up in that portion of the mill known as the "old jute" with 400 men. This leaves about 250 of the most desperate and mutinous of the criminals still confined on a diet of bread and water, and it is expected that of these all but the ringleaders of the attack will soon be at work again. The ringleaders and those who took part in the attempt to break from the dungeon will be brought up before the board of directors and their cases considered for punishment.

Dry Town Votes to Sell Liquor.

Albany, June 7.—Under the enabling act the village of Stamford, a summer resort in the Catskills, held a special election and voted by 27 majority to allow the hotels to sell liquor, heretofore it being a dry town.

Earthquake In Iowa.

Decorah, Ia., June 7.—An earthquake shock was distinctly felt in this vicinity shortly after daylight yesterday morning. No damage is reported.

CABINET CRISIS OVER

Senor Canovas Will Continue as Premier of Spain.

CUBAN POLICY TO REMAIN UNCHANGED

The Queen Regent Desires the Present Ministry to Retain Control—Strongly Advised to Recall Captain General Weyler From Havana.

Madrid, June 7.—The queen regent has confirmed Senor Canovas, the premier, in his ministerial powers, and the cabinet will remain in office, with personnel and policy unchanged. The leading members of the cortes, who were consulted by her majesty, as well as three marshals, have advised the recall of Captain General Weyler from Cuba.

The solution of the crisis is a general surprise, as much perhaps in the ministerial ranks as in the world at large. It was thought, not without reason, that the counsels of the higher military authorities, as represented by Marshal Campos, Marshal Blanco and Marshal Dominguez, would have inclined the crown toward a radical and distinct change of policy in the Cuban campaign.

This idea was especially prevalent, as Senor Canovas has himself admitted that, both as regards reforms and the conduct of the war by Captain General Weyler, his own hopes and aspirations have scarcely been fulfilled.

The only explanation is that the first thought of the premier is to vindicate his amour propre so far as the Liberals are concerned, and, when this is established, to find occasion at an early date so to modify the cabinet as to satisfy the Liberals and to terminate the deadlock before the cortes reassembles, which will probably not be for several months. It can hardly be doubted that the modifications will include the replacing of Captain General Weyler by some other commander.

At a cabinet council held at his residence Senor Canovas, the premier, announced that the queen regent had renewed his powers and those of the cabinet in terms most flattering to him and to all his colleagues.

It is understood that the government does not contemplate any immediate change in the supreme command in Cuba.

The surprise and displeasure of the various sections of the Opposition are not easy to describe.

De Lome Gets Information.

Washington, June 7.—Spanish Minister Dupuy de Lome has received a cablegram announcing the result of the queen's decision in the matter of the Spanish premier and cabinet ministers, who recently tendered their resignations. The minister's dispatch says the queen had reached her decision after consulting with the former premiers and marshals.

Included in the former were Senor Sagasta, the present leader of the Liberal party, and Martinez Campos, the captain general of Cuba who gave way to General Weyler. Mr. De Lome declined to discuss the possibilities of the retention in office of the present ministry in relation to the policy to be pursued with regard to Cuban affairs and the incumbency of Captain General Weyler.

Secretary Sherman also received a long cable dispatch from United States Minister Taylor at Madrid. Presumably it is in connection with the happenings of the day in that city, but as it was in cipher the secretary was unable to disclose its contents. The secretary declined to make any statement in regard to the matter further than to suggest that it indicated the confidence of the queen in the ministry.

Death of Judge Gibson.

Salem, N. Y., June 7.—Hon. James Gibson died at his home here, aged 80 years. For the past 60 years he had been a lawyer and one of the most prominent members of the bar in northern New York. In 1850 he was elected judge of Washington county and served four years. Judge Gibson was elected state senator from the Twelfth district, then Washington and Rensselaer counties, in 1866, serving his term with distinguished ability. For many years he was a member of the national guard and in 1867 was made brigadier general of the Twelfth brigade.

A Divine Healer Found Dead.

Denver, June 7.—Francis Schlatter, who claimed to perform miraculous cures by divine power, was recently found dead in the foothills of Sierra Madre, 35 miles southwest of Casa Grande, in the state of Chihuahua, Mexico. He had been fasting, and apparently starved to death. While in Denver, from Aug. 22 to Nov. 13, 1895, about 200,000 people visited Schlatter to receive treatment.

On a Sightseeing Tour.

Philadelphia, June 7.—Delegates from cities and towns of Mexico and of the Central and South American states, 49 in number, who came here to the big pan-American trade congress, which closed on Friday, have left this city for their six weeks' sightseeing tour of the United States. All the commercial and industrial centers of the eastern and western states and some few of the southern states will be visited.

Railway Contract Awarded.

Montreal, June 7.—Dan Mann of this city and William McKenzie of Toronto have been awarded by the Canadian Pacific railroad the contract for the building of the Crow's Nest railway from Lethbridge, N. W. T., to Robson, B. C., a distance of 300 miles. It is said that the work will cost from $25,000 to $29,000 per mile.

Sunk In a Collision.

London, June 7.—In a dense fog off the mouth of the Tyne, the British steamer Ganges, Captain Dykes, from Montreal May 18 for Newcastle, collided with and sank the Norwegian steamer Diana. The latter went down almost immediately, but her crew clambered aboard the Ganges and were saved.

Kentucky Democrats.

Louisville, June 7.—The National Democrats of Kentucky will hold a state convention in Louisville July 14, and put out a candidate for clerk of the court of appeals. County mass conventions will be held on Saturday, July 10, to select delegates.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Threatening Weather and Rain To-night and Tuesday; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 60 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

June 7—Common Council meeting.
June 7—Board of Education meet.
June 7—Exhibit at Boys Club.
June 8—Festival at Hope chapel.

NO ROOM FOR ROAD HOGS.

There are so many road hogs on bicycles and in wagons, so many respectable riders who are ignorant of the ordinary rules and ordinances with reference to riding and driving, and such a demand for a definite and reliable statement of the rights and privileges of all who use the highways, that it has been suggested that all these matters should be fixed by statute. There are reason and commonsense in the suggestion. A few years ago bicycle riders did not know and could not know what ordinances governed them with reference to lamps, bells, etc., when they left one borough and went into another. There were no rules at all in some and very severe penalties in others. In 1896 the Legislature passed a law requiring uniform ordinances in all cities, boroughs and townships, and now the law is the same everywhere. There should be uniformity of rules and regulations with reference to passing wagons and carriages, with reference to turning out upon carriages and bicycles meeting, and in short, with reference to all the privileges of the road. Courteous drivers and riders have no difficulty, but the road hogs need to be restrained.—Elizabeth Journal.

A TRIO OF LOST BOYS.

Cried Because They Did Not See Their Aunt —Had Her Address All the Time.

Saturday afternoon, Roundsman Flynn found three little boys crying at the North avenue station. Between their sobs, they explained that their elder brother had put them on the train at Jersey City and that their aunt, whose name they did not know, was to meet them here. They did not find her and therefore wept accordingly. They gave their names as James, William and John Monroe, of 363 East Seventy first street, New York, aged ten, eight and six years respectively.

Chief Grant telephoned to New York to find their destination in this city when the oldest of the three produced a slip of paper with the name and address of his aunt, which he had had in his possession all the time but had forgotten in the excitement. Their aunt was Mrs. Mackafee, of 137 Berckman street, and the children were escorted to her home by Chief Grant.

G. A. R. Goes to Westfield.

A delegation numbering about fifty, from Winfield Scott Post, G. A. R., the Woman's Relief Corps and the Sons of Veterans went from this city to Westfield, last evening, to attend the memorial services held in the Methodist church of that place. The visit was made in response to an invitation from the pastor of the church, Rev. William H. Ruth, who preached an interesting sermon commemorating the heroes of the late war. Westfield members of the G. A. R. were also present.

Fell and Broke His Arm.

Henry Roose, of Grove street, while playing upon the roof of the Babcock building, Saturday evening, fell off at the rear of the building. Both bones of the boy's forearm were injured and a bad bruise was sustained upon the forehead. He was taken to the office of Dr. Endicott where ether was administered and the bone was set.

Festival Season Here.

Pfingst Monday, the anniversary which the Germans observe to mark the opening of summer festivals and picnics, was celebrated today by a bicycle run of members of the Saengerbund, to Elizabeth and return.

Christians Cycle Run.

The bicycle sociable of the Epworth League of the First M. E. church will be held tomorrow evening, if the weather is suitable. It is not only for the members of the league, but for their friends as well.

Clarence Vandeventer, salesman for Cleveland & Co., lumber dealers of Albany, N. Y., spent Sunday in town with his mother on East Fifth street.

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The fac simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Mrs. Loomis, of Bethleham, has been visiting relatives in North Plainfield.

Miss Sadie Gordon, of East Millstone, is the guest of Plainfield relatives.

Miss May Grimm, of New Brighton, Pa., visited friends in this city, yesterday.

Charles Thompson, of New York city, was in town Saturday calling on friends.

Miss Mary Collier, of East Sixth street, has returned from a visit in Brooklyn.

Mrs. Websier is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Martin I. Cooley, of Rockview avenue.

Alfred Garland, of East Fifth street, has returned from a visit with New Brunswick friends.

Mr. Holmes, of Brooklyn, was the guest of A. M. Wilcox, of East Ninth street for over Sunday.

Mrs. J. K. Myers, of this city, left this morning for Ottawa, Can., where she will remain for some time.

Miss Elsie DeReimer Suffren, of Linden avenue, is home from Vassar College on her summer vacation.

Miss Stone, of this city, who has been stopping at Asbury Park for two weeks, returned home Saturday.

Mr. Turton and son, Clarence, of Brooklyn, spent Sunday at the home of J. G. Little, of East Ninth street.

Judge Arnold and wife, of Philadelphia, were delightfully entertained yesterday by Mayor Wilson, of the borough.

John Newton Goddard, of East Ninth street, is home from his studies at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Miss Ethel Staples, of Brooklyn, has returned to her home after a visit with Miss Lucie Palmer Davis, of East Fifth street.

Messrs. Hegeman and Eugene Foster, of New York, spent Sunday at the home of their uncle, D. N. Groendyke, of Mercer avenue.

Mrs. A. A. V. Raymond, wife of President, of Union Theological Seminary, was the guest yesterday of Mrs. H. B. Opdyke, of this city.

Mrs. J. W. Townsend and her daughter, Miss Townsend, of Philadelphia, are visiting at the home of their uncle, B. J. Shreve, of Grove street.

Rev. H. K. Carroll, editor of the Independent, was one of the speakers at the International Arbitration Conference held last week at Lake Mohunk, New York.

Mrs. Reilly and children, of Newark, who have been the guests of Plainfield relatives, left Saturday for Annandale where she will visit friends and relatives.

Miss Clementine Yates, of Plainfield, is at The Cochran, visiting the family of S. Krebbs, Jr., of San Francisco, who have been in Washington through the winter.

David Smalley, the North avenue butcher, has purchased a lot on East Front street, opposite the Myers residence, and in a short time he will erect a handsome residence thereon.

William Newcorn and Frank Blatz, of this city, went to Trenton this morning to take their oral examinations to be admitted to the bar. They will know this evening whether they have passed or not.

The death of George W. Newton occurred at South Amboy yesterday. He was sixty-one years of age. The funeral will take place from the Methodist church in Dunellen, Wednesday at 2:30 p. m.

Rev. Edward C. Chickering was present at Trinity Reformed church yesterday morning and the pastor, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, invited him to pronounce the benediction at the close of the service, which he did. At the evening service Rev. Arthur Crane, who was present, was invited to offer prayer previous to Mr. Schenck's discourse.

Taken to Industrial School.

Fanny Bush, of this city, who was committed to the county jail a few weeks because her parents were unable to control her, was taken to the state industrial school, located near Trenton, Friday. Sheriff Kirk accompanied her.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong. Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional local news on the third page.

—Zephyr Hook and Ladder Truck Company will meet this evening.

—A regular meeting of the City Council will be held this evening.

—Trinity Commandery, Knights Templars, meet this evening for the regular meeting.

—"Out of sight out of mind"—In sight and in mind—the choice goods shown at Peck's.

—An important meeting of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., will be held tomorrow evening.

—Perseverance Lodge K. of P., will celebrate its twenty fifth anniversary on Friday evening of this week.

—At the First Baptist church last evening Miss Harris, William Holmes and G. W. Smith rendered a very pretty vocal selection.

—The Board of Education will hold its regular June meeting this evening, when matters pertaining to commencement will be discussed.

—At the communion service in Trinity Reformed church yesterday morning five persons united with the church, one on confession and four by letter from other churches.

—The Cranford school census just completed shows that there are 536 children of school age in the township. Of these, only one over the age of ten is unable to read and write.

—The monthly consecration meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of Trinity Reformed church, omitted last Monday evening, will be held tonight at 8 o'clock. Visitors are always welcome.

—The Junior Endeavor Society of the Congregational church will go on a picnic to Washington Rock, next Saturday, under the charge of the pastor of the church, Rev. C. L. Goodrich.

—Look for Sherwin's advertisement and cut it out. It's good for twenty shines at his store and will not appear again. He wants the ladies and children to use these tickets, as well as men and boys.

—The streets of the city were thronged with people last Saturday night and at times it was almost impossible to pass through the crowd. The merchants are all pleased with their trade for that night.

—A number of members from this city attended the meeting of the Mystic Shrine on New York, Thursday evening, when Frank Miles, of Somerset street, was initiated into the mysteries of the order.

—A meeting of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, Knights of Pythias, was held on Friday evening. The first rank was worked on five candidates and final arrangements made for the silver anniversary next Friday evening.

—The Martin Act Commissioners have set July 8th as the day they will be at the Common Council chamber to hear, either personally or by counsel, all persons interested in the re-assessment or adjustment of taxes, assessments or water rates in arrears in the city.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of Hope chapel will hold a strawberry and ice cream sociable in the chapel, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. An entertainment will be given in which Miss Addie Parker Jackson will recite and William Runyon will sing.

—By the will of Mrs. Aaran Trimmer, of Phillipsburg, the First Presbyterian church receives $5,000, the Westminster church gets the proceeds of the sale of her furniture, and the Rev. H. B. Townsend, who preached her funeral sermon, gets $100.

—Saturday, June 26th, is the date for the excurson to Highland Beach which will be given under the auspices of Watchung Lodge, International Order of Machinists. This will be the first excursion out of Plainfield this year, and no doubt there will be a large number of people who will want to go. The tickets are selling rapidly, which is a good sign that the affair will be a success.

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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Guarantee.

Grocers are authorized to give back your money if you do not find Cleveland's the best baking powder you have ever used.

Cleveland Baking Powder Co., N.Y.

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FINE MURAL DECORATION

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way of new hard floors, windows, electricity and other accessories of a beautiful home. These were all found charmingly complete on their arrival. The gentlemen and business firms who have assisted in these improvements during the past few months include Messrs. O S. Teale, architect; A. D Phillips, electrician; Spicer & Hubbard, Woolston & Buckle, Boughton & Terwilliger, John P. Emmons, G. Q. Packer, J. W. Gavett and C. M. Thorp.

To the decorations thus prepared for the delight of the returning travellers, they themselves have contributed in things of art and beauty gathered in their journeyings through many countries. These consist in parts of divers curious and oil paintings and photographs, and include a very dignified and handsome marble bust of the "Young Augustus" brought from the studio of Larkin G Meade, of Florence.

Runaways in the Borough.

A team of horses owned by Milkman Waldron, of Coddington avenue, started to run away on Watchung avenue early this morning. The horses were caught by Street Commissioner Conover before they had gone very far, and there was no damage. A little later a horse owned by W. L. Smalley, the Somerset street butcher, was standing in front of former Mayor B. A. Hegeman's house on Myrtle avenue, and while the driver was in the house the horse ran away, and before being caught had reached Race street. The animal, fortunately, did not strike anything, and in this case there was no damage.

Assisted in Laying a Corner Stone.

The members of Stone Square Lodge of Colored Masons had charge of the laying of the corner stone of the new colored Baptist church in Cranford yesterday morning. They attended in a body. Past Grand Master William J. Douglass was present and took the leading part in the laying of the corner stone.

NOTICE!

Is hereby given that the subscribers, Commissioners of Adjustment in and for the City of Plainfield, appointed by the Circuit Court of the County of Union, on the Twenty-ninth day of May, A. D. 1897, for the purpose of performing the duties and executing the powers conferred by Chapter CXII of the Laws of 1886, entitled "An Act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and Water rates or water rents, in Cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxation and assessment," passed March 30, 1886, and the amendments thereof and supplements thereto, will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park Avenue, in the said City of Plainfield, on the eighth day of July, A. D. 1897, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear, either personally or by counsel, all persons interested in the re-assessment or adjustment under said act, of the taxes, assessments or water rates in arrears in the said City

FRANK BERGEN,
ALBERT B CARLTON,
JOSEPH A. HUBBARD,
Commissioners of Adjustment.

Dated June 3d, 1897. 6 7 14 21 28 7 3 6

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but not in the language that our clothing speaks for us. Each suit that we sell a man is the strongest sort of an argument in its favor, and those who wear our clothing are backing up there argument every day. That's the kind of talk that's never cheap. Don't forget the place and number, it is

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Remarkable offer for Friday and Saturday:

200 Ladies' Sailors, three different grades, value $1.29, $1.39, $1.49, all to be sold at the ridiculous price of 69c.

THE SHIRT WAIST SECTION.

360 New Waists placed on sale today. Latest designs, finest workmanship, at prices your way.

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You Take a Vacation

don't you? Well, don't forget to come to us and be fitted out in Shoes and Rubbers before you go. You may want some of your old shoes repaired, too; we have a man who does nothing else but repair shoes, and repair them right. Drop us a postal, we'll drop around and get them, and put them in shape.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Isaac Stites is improving nicely and expects to go to work this week.

Frank Lyons, of West Dunellen, has purchased a trotter, "Somerset."

Mrs. Stella Sofield, of South Plainfield, is the guest of Mrs. F. A. Nelson.

Mr. Bennett and family of Brooklyn, are stopping for a time with Mr. Bennett's parents.

Miss Laberta Baker, of New York, is the guest of Mrs. Frank Lyons, of West Dunellen.

J. W. Griggs has returned from Newark where he has been for a few days on business.

Asa Huff, of New Brunswick, spent Saturday and Sunday with his cousin on Jackson avenue.

Several bicycle clubs passed through the town on Saturday, and a large number of the riders were women.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Randolph spent Sunday with J. B. Sproul at Jersey City. They returned home this morning.

Harry Staats recently completed his trade at the Scott Press Works, Plainfield and is now a full-fledged mechanic.

Employes of the Central Railroad are beautifying the park about the station and the improvement is marked.

Robert Norton, of Newark, was the guest of friends in the borough over Sunday. He returned home this morning.

Councilman Wm. N. Runyon and Edward Van Buren, of Plainfield, were in town Saturday looking after some real estate matters.

Mrs. Cyrus Boice, of Plainfield, recently purchased a handsome residence on North avenue through the agency of Eugene Runyon.

Rev. F. E. Peterson, pastor of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, is out of town for a few days. Rev. Dr. Livermore, of Plainfield, is attending to his pastoral duties.

Eugene Runyon, the real estate agent, reports business as being excellent. He says that there are only a few houses in Dunellen available for renting purposes.

The funeral of Dr. and Mrs. Whitford's infant child was held last Saturday afternoon from the house at New Market. Rev. Dr. Livermore, of Plainfield, officiated. Interment was in the cemetery at New Market.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

The Knights of Pythias will dine at Blimm's Hotel on Sunday, June 20th.

A party of Elks from New Brunswick visited Brother Emery yesterday.

A wheeling party of twelve from Greenville, stopped at Emery's Hotel for lunch yesterday.

Ex-Sheriff Haussling, Police Commissioner Crane and William Bonner, of Newark, spent a few hours in town yesterday.

At All Saints' Episcopal church, last evening, the choir boys from the Holy Cross church, of Plainfield, sang several fine selection, and Rev. T. Logan Murphy, rector of the above church, preached an eloquent sermon.

The clam bake held on the mountain side yesterday afternoon, passed off very pleasantly. Many celebrities of the town were present and all managed to have a good time, and are anxious for a repetition of the event.

THEATRICAL.

This week will be the last of the Black Patti Troubadours at the Pleasure Palace, New York. There is a new programme for today and the Black Patti will change her repertory of songs. An added attraction for the first three nights of this week will be the world's championship pool game, in the Palm Garden, between Grant H. Eby and Jerome R. Keogh. After this week the Pleasure Palace will resume its vaudeville programmes with weekly changes.

WESTFIELD

VICTORY AT ELIZABETH.

WESTFIELD'S BASEBALL TEAM WON, SCORE 19 TO 5.

Married and Single Men Teams Played an Interesting Game on the Home Grounds—Other Items of Interest to Westfield.

The Westfield Club's baseball team went to Elizabeth on Saturday and defeated the team of that city by the easy score of 19 to 5. The game was exciting until the sixth innings, at which time the score stood 4 to 4. In the sixth and seventh innings, however, Westfield being 4 to 4. In the next two innings, however, their pitcher weakened, and was pounded all about the field by the visiting batsmen. Westfield scored fourteen runs in the sixth and seventh innings, and one in the eighth, while in these three innings Elizabeth only scored one run. The Westfields exhibited excellent all-around team work. Higgins pitched an excellent game, striking out twelve men. In the sixth and seventh innings, Rogers and Crooks made fine catches, while McDeed, Crooks and Higgins led in the batting for Westfields, each making a two-base hit. Next Saturday the Westfields will play the strong Steiton Athletic Club team on the North Broad street grounds. The Steltons are composed largely of Rutgers College men, and may be depended upon to furnish an exciting game.

Teams representing the married and single men of the Westfield Club played an interesting game of baseball on the North Broad street grounds, Saturday. The contest was close, the single men winning by the of 28 to 26. Both teams hit the ball hard, and good humor reigned throughout. An unfortunate incident of the game was the illness of Charles Harbison, a member of the single men's team, who was overcome by the heat while at the bat. The batteries were: For the single men, Ayers and P. Randolph; for the married men, Griswold and Flagg. Among those who did brilliant work were: John Dorvall, C. E. Pearsall, E. Baker, Payne and William Knight. William Stitt umpired the game.

Dr. and Mrs. Alfred H. Scofield are at home to their friends after today.

The Baptist Sunday school teachers will hold a meeting in the church this evening.

Rev. Wm. H. Ruth, of the Methodist church, has been ill today, the probable result of over-work.

Praf. W. A. Edwards led the Christian Endeavor meeting in the Presbyterian lecture room last evening.

The Young Ladies' Mission Band of the Presbyterian church meets in the lecture room this afternoon at 4 o'clock

The case of John M. Ledly against Charles Crickenberger, on contract, will be tried by Justice Collins tomorrow.

D. L. Curtis, of the firm of Curtis & Mitchell, ran a rusty nail into his foot on Saturday, receiving a painful wound.

The Woman's Association of the Congregational church held a meeting this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. J. F. Cowperthwaite, on Prospect street.

Communion service was held in the Presbyterian church yesterday morning. Mr. and Mrs. David M. Torrey, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Turnbull and Mrs. T. R. Harvey were received into membership.

A successful operation for gravel was performed upon Albert A. Drake, at his residence on Westfield avenue, yesterday, by Dr. Sherman Cooper, of this place, and Dr. Geeen, of Elizabeth. The patient is now said to be doing nicely.

Interesting Children's Day services were held at the Willow Grove chapel yesterday afternoon. Superintendent Martin Clark was in charge of the exercises. All the Westfield pastors were present and said a few words. The singing, under the direction of Roland Randolph, was excellent.

John King, the nine-year-old son of Carson H. King, of Dudley avenue, will fight shy of bone grinding machines, hereafter. He amused himself on Saturday afternoon by playing with such a machine in the cellar of his father's house, and had the index finger of his right hand nipped off. Dr. Cooper was summoned and dressed the wound.

The strawberry and ice-cream festival which was given by the Ladies' Sewing Society of the Presbyterian church on the church lawn, last Friday evening, was a success, notwithstanding the storm. The phonograph entertainment in the lecture room in connection with the festival was under the direction of Charles Johnson. The different selections were much enjoyed by a good-sized audience. The proceeds amounted to about $60.

Alexander Hamilton, a colored lad about 10 years of age, forgot to take his rabbit foot along when he attended the base ball game in Westfield, Saturday afternoon. As a result a stone that that was hurled at another youngster, struck him on the head and took away his senses for a time. A number of boys about the grounds had been amusing themselves by poking fun at William Morrow. One of them prodded their victim in the back with a stick, and in a rage he caught up a large sized stone and threw it wildly. The missle struck the inoffensive boy and made a scalp wound. He was dazed for several minutes. Bystanders carried him to the office of Dr. Cooper a short distance away where the wound was stitched up. In half an hour Alexander had recovered from the effects of the blow sufficiently to walk home.

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NEWMAN'S STAGE LINE TIME TABLE

Between Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

Leave Plainfield........	7.00; 9.30; 12.45 a. m. / 4.00; 6.00; 9.00 p. m.
Sunday—9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00, 6.00 p. m.	
Leave Scotch Plains.	6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m. / 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2.00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.	

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Plainfield Property Changes Recorded With the County Clerk.

The following property transfers have been recorded at County Clerk Howard's office, May 28th to June 3d, inclusive:

Central New Jersey Land Improvement Co. to Nathaniel U. Walker, trustee, Boston tract, Tillotson avenue, Fanwood, $750; J. D. Runyon et ux., to Louis Nelson, Plainfield, lot Manson place, Plainfield, $300; Lizzie J. Taylor, N. Y., to Roger F. Murray, Plainfield, lot Arlington avenue, $500; Kate Kitchen to Jennie Perrine, Plainfield, lot Everett place, $150; J. H. Runyon et ux., to W. M. Kissam, Plainfield, lot Oxford place, subject to mortgage $1,500, $2,050; John P. Emmons et ux., to John C. Traynor, Plainfield, lot Orchard place, $3,000; Eliza E. Golding, Hempstead, L. I., to Henrietta U. Smith, same place, lot Fifth street, Plainfield, $1; H. E. Gayle et ux., to T. F. McCauley, Plainfield, lot Third street, Plainfield, $1; T. I. Hughes, et ux., to T. F. McCauley, lot Third street, Plainfield, $1,800; Adeline D. Townsend et ux., to Thomas McCue, Plainfield, lot West Fourth street, (Spooner estate), $200; same to J. A. Smith, Plainfield, tract adjoining Oliver Runyon tract, $ 00.

Letter Carriers' Vacations.

Substitute Letter-Carrier Giese is taking the place of Letter-Carrier Glaentzer who started today on his vacation of eleven days. The latter is fortunate in securing two vacations this year. The one he is now enjoying is for last year, and the one he will get in July will be for this year. By this arrangement the vacations for the carriers will be adjusted to regular order.

WHEN you have urgent business with someone in another town or city, remember that your telephone is adapted for Long Distance talking, and that there are hundreds of towns and cities connected by the Long Distance lines, and thousands of people in them having metallic circuit service, with whom you can talk as easily as with a subscriber of your own exchange.

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are now on sale. A choice assortment. Cream Peppermints, Super-Extra Confections, Super-Extra Chocolates, Chocolate Elite Creams, Eureka Marshmallows. Retail at the popular prices.
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opposite the Daily Press office, and ask for a share of public patronage.
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DIED.

NEWTON—Suddenly, at Perth Amboy, June 6, Mr. George W. Newton, aged 61 years. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral service at his late residence, Piscataway, on Wednesday, June 9, at 1 p. m., and at the Dunellen M. E. Church at 2:30 p. m.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

BOY WANTED to learn printer's trade. Enquire foreman composing room The Daily Press office.

WANTED—$2,000 on first mortgage. Address S. C., care Press. 6 7 2

THREE and one-half acres of land on Johnston's drive, adjoining hotel, for sale cheap. Terms easy. Also five lots at Roselle. Apply 1239 South avenue, Netherwood. 6 7 2 eod

YOUNG lady would like a position in store; wages moderate. Apply 838 Richmond street.

COLORED man and wife wants situation; woman as cook; man as coachman or waiter. Call 320 East 4th St.

LOST—Lady's gold coil breastpin. Reward at this office.

LOST—Sunday, June 6, between Dunellen and Roadending, Plainfield, a dark green carriage robe. Reward if returned to 326 Central Ave.

LOST—On Saturday evening, lady's black pocketbook containing receipts and $5.35 in money. Reward for return to this office. 6 7 2

FOR SALE—A bay horse, 16 hands; 6 years old; stylish and good roadster. Warranted sound and perfectly gentle in harness and stable. Guaranteed fearless of all objects. A prize for family use. Apply at Metropolitan Stable, 138 East Second street. 6 7 2

FOUND—Lady's pearl colored glove, black stitching, near Crescent Avenue Church. Owner can have same by calling at Press office and paying for ad.

STRAYED—On June 2d, liver and white Pointer Dog, answers to the name of "Alex." Reward. F. C. Phoebus, City. 6 5 2

BARGAIN—9 room house; three thousand; central location. LaRue, Marsh building. 6 5 6

TWO new 8 room houses for sale or to let, on Arlington avenue, below Ninth street. Rent $12. Apply Hugh McDonnell, builder, 936 Park avenue. 6 5 2

SEVERAL tons of rye straw for sale by A. M. Foote, Plainfield avenue, south of city line. 6 5 2

SITUATION wanted for a competent woman, as chambermaid and waitress, or would assist with ironing. Apply present employer, 20 Rockview avenue. 6 4 3

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished, house, No. 92 Duer street. Enquire on premises. 6 3 tf

3 PLEASANT convenient rooms to let. 404 Third street, corner Central avenue. 6 1 6

WOULD like a few more table boarders. Also a large airy front room with board. 145 West Second street. 6 4 3

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first-class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

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We sell goods cheaper than any Plainfield store.

THE AMERICAN QUEEN COMPETITION.
A Columbia FREE!

A lady's Columbia Bicycle, 1897 Model, will be given to the winner in THE AMERICAN QUEEN competition, which will be open to all the subscribers to THE AMERICAN QUEEN until June 30, 1897.
The Columbia, the standard bicycle of the world, has been selected for this competition, because the publishers of THE AMERICAN QUEEN are convinced that it is the best and that the woman who wins it would have it in preference to any other make.
The Columbia is now on exhibition at our store and will remain on exhibition until June 30th, when the competition will close and the Columbia will be awarded to the fortunate winner.
The contest which we have just inaugurated, by or through which some subscriber to THE AMERICAN QUEEN is going to win a fine, high-grade $100 Columbia Bicycle, is already well under way. The contest will remain open until June 30 1897. The conditions and plan of this contest are simply these: We purpose presenting a Columbia Bicycle, 1897 Model, to the lady subscriber who furnishes the *best menu*, for one week, for a family of five, the cost of such menu not to exceed $10 for the week.
The merits of the menus submitted will be passed upon by the Editor of THE AMERICAN QUEEN, Miss Mary L. Bisland, and the person furnishing the best menu, in Miss Bisland's judgment, will be presented with the bicycle.
The menu submitted should be enclosed in one envelope and the name of the sender in a separate one, the two being handed in or sent in together, addressed to us. The envelopes containing the menus will then be numbered and sent to Miss Bisland and the envelopes containing the names reserved by us, and when Miss Bisland makes her choice of the menus she will inform us of the number of the winner and we will then announce the result in local newspapers and THE AMERICAN QUEEN.
The only requirement necessary to admit you to this contest is that you be a subscriber to THE AMERICAN QUEEN.
The splendid wheel which will go to the winner is on exhibition in the store and may be seen at any time.
We want everybody to feel free to go into this contest and we hope that hundreds of our customers will fix their minds on good things to eat and mould them into an acceptable menu for the week, and at the same time keep the cost down to $10.
THE COMPETITION.—Our aim in offering this competition is to have every lady we can reach with this announcement become a reader of THE AMERICAN QUEEN. THE QUEEN is published at $1 a year, but to give all our friends a chance to get this splendidly useful home publication for the ensuing year and at the same time have a chance to become the proud possessor of the standard cycle, we shall until the 30th day of June receive subscriptions (only one, however, will be taken from each family) for the nominal fee of 25 Cents a year. Come to the store at once, register your name, receive your receipt for THE QUEEN for one year and try to win the Columbia.

LADIES' HOSE.
Today we place on sale one hundred dozen ladies' fine hose, high spliced heel and double sole, 14c. pair; regular value 25c.

ALL-LINEN DOYLIES.
On sale today 100 dozen all-linen doylies, 41c. per dozen, well worth 75c.

WASH FABRICS.
Three thousand yards of wash goods, ginghams, cambrics and dimities, all at 6c. per yard.

FINE DRESS GOODS.
10 pieces 54-inch silk and wool suiting, just the thing for seashore and mountain wear, has been 98c., now 49c.

BLACK DRESS GOODS.
One of the best bargains we have ever offered is that Black Etamine Cloth, all wool, 40 inches wide, 25c. the yard; former price 50c.

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West Front Street cor. Madison Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

Proceedings of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County.

[OFFICIAL.]

Adjourned meeting of the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders held on Thursday, May 20th, 1897, at 2:30 p. m.

Roll call showed all members of the board present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read.

Freeholder King moved that the words, "for the ensuing year" in so far as they referred to the election of Jas. W. Fink, as County Road Inspector, be stricken out, which motion was unanimously carried.

The minutes were then on motion approved as read.

COMMUNICATIONS, PETITIONS, ETC.

From E S. Edwards, State Supt. N J. S. P. C. A., stating that E. P. Edwards, Pres. of the Union County District Society, had called on him with reference to certain fines that were withheld from his society by the county authorities, and who said that he was unable to get the fines which legally belong to the society.

The attention of the board was called to Sec. 19, session laws of 1880, as amended by act of March 23, 1883; also Sec. 15, same act.

Mr. E. S. Edwards had been informed that all the cases tried were brought in the name of the New Jersey society; such being the case, it was clear to him that the county authorities were culpable and legally liable for withholding said fines.

Freeholder Roll said he believed the society was engaged in a good work, and if entitled to anything from the county the society should receive it. On his motion the matter was referred to the County Attorney.

From Mrs. Fannie E. Bates, Pres of the Cranford "V. I. A.," stating that the said association was interested in providing a street sprinkling service for the township of Cranford.

As North avenue, running through said township, was a county road, it was asked if the county would pay towards the said service on North avenue.

Received and on motion of Freeholder Littell referred to the county road committee.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

From James W. Fink, County Road Inspector, and presented as the annual report of the county road committee:

Elizabeth, N. J., May 12, 1897.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union:

Gentlemen—The undersigned would respectfully submit to your Honorable Body the following report of county road repairs for the year 1896, and to the present date of 1897:

On North or Westfield avenue 11,578 feet have been repaired with 1½ inch stone at the following places: In Elizabeth at Elmora 123 ft. on Bayway, Pope's Summit to Lorraine in Roselle, at Lehigh Valley R. R. bridge in Cranford, and at Garwood. 2,760 ft. have been top dressed with fine stone, and 34,105 ft. of gutters have been cleaned.

On St. George's avenue 7,823 ft. of road have been repaired with 1½ inch stone at the following places: West of Glaser's bridge at the Forty Acre Road, and in Rahway 18,126 ft. of gutters have been cleaned.

On Morris avenue 9,339 ft. of road have been repaired with 1½ inch stone at the following places: In Springfield at Springfield and Summit township line, and at Spring Lake Hotel, 2,955 feet have been top dressed with fine stone, and 25,120 ft. of gutters cleaned.

On Mountain avenue 3,068.11 of road have been repaired with 1½ inch stone at the following places: From the residence of Mr. Brill to Style's Corner and at Westfield and Scotch Plains township line 1,800 feet have been top dressed with fine stone, 6,933 feet of gutters cleaned; also near the residence of Mr. Vanderpool, on Morris avenue, 56 feet of road have been taken up and relaid with Telford and MacAdam, and 80 feet of tile drain laid; also 190 feet on the Boulevard have been repaired with 1½ inch stone, making a total of 6½ miles of road repaired with 1½ inch stone, nearly 1½ miles top dressed with fine stone, 15¼ miles of gutters cleaned, 33 miles of road top dressed with clay. The total cost of this work is $14,003.21.

March 26, 1897—To present date, 3 days and 6 hours work of man, ¾ day of team, and 6,700 of stone, 63c per ton at crusher, repairs on water wagon; total, $13.61. Grand total, $14,016.82.

Very respectfully,
James W. Fink, Inspector.

On motion of Freeholder Miller received and placed on file.

From the committee on Collector's bond:

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union:

Gentlemen:—Your committee on the Collector's bond respectfully report that they have examined the bond of the County Collector submitted to them, and consider the same in proper form, with good and sufficient sureties, and we recommend that the same be accepted by the board, and filed in the County Clerk's office.

Signed John F. Wahl, Fred Miller, James A Burnett, committee.

The bond was for the sum of $20,000, with John W. Whelan, Meline W. Halsey, John Kean and E. C. Woodruff as sureties.

On motion of Freeholder Farrell the report of the committee was received and the recommendations adopted.

From the committee on appropriations as follows, viz:

Elizabeth, N. J., May 20th, 1897.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union:

Gentlemen:—Your committee on appropriations, after carefully estimating the probable necessities of the various departments of the county government, providing for the payment of twenty-seven thousand dollars ($27,000) bonded debt, maturing during the year, and making ample provisions for the interest charges now falling due on county road and other bonds, are of the opinion that with an economical and business-like administration of county affairs, notwithstanding the very large increase in election expenses, over which they have no control, would respectfully report and recommend that the sum of two hundred thousand dollars ($200,000), together with the sum of twenty-two thousand dollars ($22,000) assets now on hand be appropriated for the current year.

Your committee would further recommend that the amounts above mentioned be certified to the county Board of Assessors, and placed in the tax levy for 1897, as per accompanying resolution

Resolved, By the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the county of Union, that the sum of two hundred thousand dollars ($200,000) be raised by tax for the use of said county for the years 1897 and 1898, to be appropriated, together with twenty-two thousand dollars ($22,000) of the assets of the county, for the following purposes:

For Courts	$36,000
For County Jail	6,000
For Lunatics	37,000
For Compensation and Lawful Expenses of Chosen Freeholders and Committees, and Salaries of their Officers	9,000
For Fees of Coroners	1,00
For Elections	17,000
For Stationery	3,000
For Advertising, Publishing and Printing	2,000
For Incidental Expenses and Schools, Burial of Soldiers and Monuments	12,000
For Hospitals	5 000
For Payment of Principal of Bonded Debts	27,000
For Payment of Interest on Bonded Debt	18,500
For Payment of Bank Interest on Temporary Loans	1,000
For Repairs of County Roads	17,500
For Permanent Improvement of Public Buildings and Grounds	7,000
For Erection and Repairs of Culverts and Bridges	23,000
Total	$222,000
Less Unexpended balance from 1896	22,000
Total amount to be raised by taxation, also all miscellaneous items	200,000

To be assessed and collected in the manner and at the times prescribed by the laws for the assessment and collection of taxes for the use of the State, and the laws for the assessment and collection of taxes in the cities of Elizabeth, Plainfield and Rahway, in said county respectively; and that the board hereby direct the assessors of the respective townships, boroughs and wards in said county to assess the said sum of two hundred thousand dollars ($200,000) on the inhabitants and their estates, agreeable to the law for the time being for the raising of money by taxation for the use of the county of Union, State of New Jersey; and that said assessors meet at the Court House in the city of Elizabeth, on the third Monday in July, next, at 10 o'clock a.m., to adjust and ascertain the proportion of said sum to be levied in each township, borough and ward in said county; and that the clerk of the board send a copy of this resolution to each of said assessors.

Signed, John Farrell, Addison S. Clark, James C. Ogden, George W. Littell, Jacob Brucklacher, Committee.

Freeholder Krouse moved that the report be received and the resolution adopted, which motion on roll call was adopted unanimously.

From the Committee on Plainfield bridges:

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union:

Gentlemen: Your committee appointed to examine, etc., as to the need and probable cost of two (2) new line bridges on Watchung and Sycamore avenues, over Green Brook, in the city of Plainfield, between Somerset and Union counties, would respectfully report that they met the Somerset county board, and after due examination would recommend that an iron beam bridge, brick arches, center pier, concrete filling, 75 ft. span over all, 60 ft. wide, be built on Watchung avenue; also a culvert on same avenue over mill race, same width; further, that a low truss iron bridge be built on Sycamore avenue, 45 ft. span, 60 ft. wide, 36 ft. roadway, and 12 ft. sidewalk on both sides of bridge. The total cost of both bridges not to exceed $8,500 to this county.

It is further reported that the Somerset county board have agreed to the construction of said bridges, at a similar cost to said county.

Signed, John H. Tier, J. M. Roll, Jas. C. Ogden, Addison S. Clark, John Robison, Committee.

Freeholder Farrell moved the adoption of the report, and on roll call it was unanimously adopted.

NEW BUSINESS—RESOLUTIONS.

By Freeholder Ehrlich:

Resolved, That a committee of five (5) be appointed to examine into the condition of the Monroe street bridge, at Rahway, and report at the next meeting of this board as to the probable cost of making whatever repairs may be deemed necessary and advisable.

Freeholder Littell moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was adopted without dissent.

The director appointed as the said committee Freeholders Ehrlich, Farrell, King, Hulskamper and Brucklacher.

By Freeholder Swain:

Resolved, That the County Attorney be and is hereby requested to prepare a bill to authorize the Board of Chosen Freeholders to construct and maintain a street railroad, or street railroads, either single or double track, on the county roads of this county, or any part of said county roads, and to widen or change the grade of such county roads, or any part thereof, where necessay, to permit the construction and operation of a street railroad thereon, and that said bill contain a provision authorizing the Board of Chosen Freeholders to lease such street railroad, or street railroads, when constructed, to any person or corporation, for a terms of years, on such terms as may be agreed upon, and to renew such lease from time to time; and be it further

Resolved, That said bill, when prepared, be presented to one of the members of the Legislature from this county for introduction in the Legislature at the special session to be held on the 25th inst.

After some discussion Freeholder Roll moved that the resolution be referred to a committee of one (1) said committee to obtain all the data possible on the subject, and report to this board at the first meeting in September next.

By Freeholder Roll:

WHEREAS, It is the opinion of this Board that it is needful and necessary for county purposes that the county should acquire the land adjoining the county property on the south, known as the Sheridan House property, and the lot belonging to John M. Hetfield; therefore be it.

Resolved, That the said properties be purchased by the county at the price already agreed upon, and that the Director, County Attorney and Building Committee of this board be and they are thereby authorized to complete such purchase.

On motion of Freeholder Swain the preamble and resolution were on roll call adopted unanimously.

By Freeholder Farrell:

Resolved, That bonds to the amount of twenty-eight thousand dollars be issued by this county, the proceeds of which are to be used for the purchase of property adjoining the county property, and the expense attending same, and that the Director, County Attorney and County Collector be authorized to procure such bonds, which shall be coupon bonds, and bear interest at four per cent., payable at the option of the county after ten years, and become due at the end of twenty years, and shall be dated July 1st, 1897.

On motion of Freeholder Brucklacher the resolution on roll call was unanimously adopted.

There being no further business, Freeholder Krouse moved to adjourn, which was carried.

The Director declared the board adjourned until Thursday, June 3d, 1897, at 2:30 p. m.

S. RUSLING RYNO, Clerk.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

The recent police census of Washington shows a population of 277,483 persons, 87,853 of whom are negroes. At first the significance of these latter figures does not occur to the casual observer. They represent the largest negro population of any city in the United States. Other cities may have a larger per cent. of their population black, as do some of the smaller Southern cities, but none has so many negroes as the capital has. In fact, excepting the cities of New Orleans and Louisville, no city of the South is as large as the colored population of Washington. Atlanta and Nashville are claiming their hundred thousand now, but the census of 1890 shows either of them as twenty thousand or more short of the blacks of Washington. In other words, if the black people of Washington should move down South and build themselves a city it would be the third city in size in all that section.

The present colored population is larger that the entire population of the District in 1860. It is larger than the population of either Arizona, Idaho, Nevada, Oklahoma, or Wyoming, and is greater than the vote in 1896 of Delaware, Florida, Idaho, Mississippi, Montana, Nevada, New Hampshire, Vermont, North Dakota, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Utah, or Wyoming.

It is larger than the entire Italian population of New York State and nearly half the Italian population of the United States, and more than half the entire French population of the whole country. The English, Irish, and German population of New York exceeds it, but it exceeds the Irish population of Boston by 3,000 and that of Chicago by 17,000. New York, Chicago and Brooklyn are the only cities which have more Germans than Washington has negroes, and there are nearly seventy thousand more negroes at the capital than its combined population, which is 18,770.

No city in the Union is equal in population to the colored population of the national capital except Boston, Denver, St. Paul, Providence, Indianapolis, Albany, and Columbus. It is larger than the Irish population of any city in the Union except New York and Philadelphia.

The bicycle is helping to expedite the clerical work of the executive departments at the State, War, and Navy building. Stands for bicycles were erected in the basement of the big stone structure some time ago. Others are now to be added, and a stationary pneumatic-tire pump has been placed in the courtyard. This extraordinary kindness on the part of the Government toward its employees is not wholly unselfish. There is a method in it, which an official instrumental in having the stands and pump erected explained to a Sun reporter.

"We found," he said, "that the men and women who ride wheels got down early in the morning, so we decided that bicycle riding was a good thing to encourage. The cyclists are always on time, usually ahead of time, while many of those who walk or depend on the street cars are not. Then again the clerks who ride bicycles work with a vigor lacking in some of the other employees. They spend more time in the open air, wheeling develops their muscles and brains, and altogether the bicycle is helping the Government, particularly in clerical efficiency.

The especial pet of Washington society at present is the new Secretary of the Turkish Legation, Seifeddin Bey, whose Apollo-like form and features have earned for him the name of "The Greek God." He is one the handsomest and most dashing men attached to the Diplomatic Corps for many years, and is a striking figure in the daily promenade of the West End. Although a Turk of pure blood, Seifeddin would pass in any company not acquainted with his lineage for an American, Russian, or anything but a Turk. He is of medium size, strongly and compactly built, with a round head, covered with short, crisp, blond curls, and eyes as blue as those of a Norseman. His form and features recall the pictures of the young gladiators of the Roman arena and the busts of Augustus Caesar. Seifedden Bey is very much of an American in his manners and dress, and but for the fact that he can scarcely articulate a word of English he would pass in a crowd for a typical New Yorker. His clothes are evidently made by a Fifth avenue tailor, and he is always dressed in the height of fashion. He astonished even the members of the Metropolitan Club last Sunday when he appeared on Connecticut avenue wearing a long black frock coat, a black silk hat, and gloves as white as the driven snow. At the running races at Bennings, patronized by the beauty and fashion of Washington, who seclude themselves in a private clubhouse from the spectators on the grand stand, the young diplomatist, wearing a loose-fitting sack suit and a white slouch hat much the worse for wear, was seen the other day engaged in placing bets with the bookmakers and was constantly in and out of the stables studying the points of the runners. He seemed to be thoroughly informed on racing matters and perfectly able to make his bets intelligently despite his lack of acquaintance with English. SENATOR.

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The president of the court-martial was Major Cameron, of the Thirty-fourth Hagras Native Infantry. He read the charge and then witnesses proved that Abdul was guilty as charged. The president then sentenced the culprit to fifty lashes and to two years' imprisonment.

Two elephants led Abdul to an open space and in the presence of the whole battery the punishment began. The culprit trumpeted in fear and made an unearthly noise.

There were fourteen elephants on one side and the officers and men of the battery on the other three. In the centre of this hollow square stood Lalla (No. 1), the flogger, and the prisoner. The latter was chained by the four legs to as many heavy iron pegs, and could not move.

Fastened to Lalla's trunk was an immense cable chain. When all was ready, the Major gave the word, and down came the chain with a resounding whack. Abdul roared for all he was worth. Fifty times was the operation repeated, and then Abdul was taken to a compound, where he remained a prisoner for two years.—New York Journal.

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PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

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Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 35, 9 03, 10 05, 11 35, a. m. (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 10, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30, 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 10

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m 12 46, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 15, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 39 5 09, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7 , 7 30, 7 35, 7 45, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 9 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 2 11, 4 56, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 28, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 02, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a m; 6 30, 8 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 56 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 15 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 28 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m. 11 5, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

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For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 32 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 37* 1 17 night. Sundays—5 17, 5 45, 9 55 10 44 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 09* 6.45 p. m. 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 4 56, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m. 1 17 night.

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TREMENDOUS SACRIFICES

will be made we mention a few of the Extraordinary Bargains and advise you to cut this out and bring it with you so that there will be no mistake that you get exactly the goods mentioned here. 200 all-wool men's vests, sizes from 33 to 44, worth from $1.50 to $2 50, your choice for 69c.; 200 summer coats and vests at $1.10, worth double; 300 pair of pants that sold for $2 50, at 95c.; 500 knee pants from 8c. up; 300 over plaid suits, also black cheviots, all wool, worth $11, at $3.75; boys' suits at 75c., worth $2.

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CRUSHED BY FALLING WALLS.

Three Fireman Lose Their Lives at a Fire In San Francisco.

San Francisco, June 7.—A fire in the southeastern part of the city cost three firemen their lives and entailed a property loss of $100,000.

The killed are John Mahoney of chemical engine No. 6, Frank Keller, steward of hose cart No. 2, and James Hallinan, driver of truck No. 1.

The fire started mysteriously in the four-story brick building owned by Schoth & Westerfield and leased to the Standard Biscuit company. After the first alarm the fire chief turned in a second and general alarm. A stiff breeze fanned the fire within the brick walls, causing it to spread with extraordinary rapidity. Adjacent to the brick factory was a row of old wooden buildings, including a branch of the Salvation Army barracks and the Southern police station.

Floor after floor of the cracker factory fell in, rendering the walls unsafe. Then the east wall of the factory toppled over, and a sheet of flame spread over the area adjoining. With the crash of the east wall occurred the tragedy of the conflagration. A falling timber struck Fireman Mahoney on the leg, breaking it. He refused to allow his comrades to carry him away in their arms, insisting that he must be borne off on a shutter. All but two of the band of firemen ran to procure a shutter, and just as they left their injured comrade, the wall fell, burying beneath a mass of brick and mortar Mahoney and his faithful friends. The three bodies were recovered. The loss to the brick building is estimated at $40,000, with $60,000 loss on the contents, consisting of machinery and stock. The damage to the Salvation Army barracks was $1,000, and the police station nominal. The biscuit factory was operated by a corporation organized a year ago.

TO VISIT THE FAIR.

Programme of the Presidential Trip to Nashville on Friday.

Nashville, June 7.—The week of the exposition just ended has been most satisfactory from every point of view. Large numbers from distant states were here every day, and the coming week undoubtedly will show a great increase in attendance. This week will end with the visit of President McKinley upon Ohio and Cincinnati day. Preparations are being made to give him a hearty and enthusiastic welcome, and all parts of the state will be represented.

The programme for Friday, the day President McKinley arrives, is as follows: The president, Governor Bushnell of Ohio and party will be escorted to the Maxwell House for breakfast, after which Governor Taylor will be received. At 10:30 the presidential party will be escorted to the centennial grounds, accompanied by Governor Bushnell and staff and Governor Taylor and staff. The escort will include United States and Tennessee troops.

At 11 o'clock, in the auditorium, addresses of welcome will be delivered by President Thomas, Mayor McCarthy and Governor Taylor. Responses will be made by State Senator Clark of Ohio, Governor Bushnell and the president. Luncheon will follow and then the inspection of buildings and grounds.

At 5 o'clock the president, Mrs. McKinley and the ladies of the party will hold a reception for ladies in the Woman's building. Saturday morning at 11 o'clock President McKinley will hold a public reception in the auditorium and also will participate in the exercises of Cincinnati day. Saturday night the president and party leave for Chattanooga.

THE MAGOWAN FAMILY.

Quite a Pretty Squabble Occurs at Their Residence In Trenton.

Trenton, June 7.—People residing in the neighborhood of ex-Mayor Frank A. Magowan's colonial mansion were awakened about midnight Saturday by a disturbance, in which the ex-mayor, his two boys and a policeman were the central figures. Mrs. Magowan and her children live next door to the house occupied by the ex-mayor and Mrs. Barnes. It is claimed that Magowan and Mrs. Barnes walked past the house where Mrs. Magowan and her children reside an unusual number of times. The boys believed it was done with the deliberate purpose of annoying their mother.

They began to shout at Magowan and told him to take Mrs. Barnes into the house, and, it is said, made uncomplimentary remarks about her. Magowan walked into the yard of his former wife's house after the boys. They ran into the house.

Meanwhile Mrs. Magowan sent for a policeman and ordered the arrest of the ex-mayor. The latter ordered the policeman to arrest the boys, but the policeman declined to do either without a warrant. The matter was soon quieted down by Magowan leaving. There has been some talk about warrants being issued, but at police headquarters it was said no steps had been taken as yet by either side.

PASSING FORGED CHECKS.

J. Standwood Dodge In Jail on That Charge In Virginia.

Alexandria, Va., June 7.—A well dressed man, giving the name of J. Stanwood Dodge, has been arrested here for passing a forged check. When searched at the station, a large number of checks on Washington and Alexandria banks were found in his possession, also a letter supposed to have been written by his wife, Mrs. Kate S. Dodge, of New York city.

Dodge claims that he has a wife living in Maine and that he was a lieutenant in a company in the Fifth Massachusetts regiment during the war. He denies that he or his wife was ever in New York. Sergeant Smith, who made the arrest, believes the man to be an all around crook, as he answers the description given on several postal cards received at police headquarters of a man who is wanted for crooked work. The prisoner is about 50 years of age.

Incendiarism Suspected.

Altoona, Pa., June 7.—Fire was discovered in the New York Clothing company's store, and before it was extinguished all the stock was badly damaged by fire and water. The fire was without doubt of incendiary origin. Manager Louis J. Greenberg says there was $20,000 worth of goods in the store, but that statement is not credited. The stock was insured. The building, which is owned by Postmaster Wilson, was not badly damaged.

TO SUE FOR DIVORCE

Mrs. Yarde Buller Arrives Here to Commence Proceedings.

WIFE OF LORD CHURSTON'S BROTHER

Was the Daughter of a Wealthy Californian and a Widow When She Married the Man Whom She Now Seeks to Be Freed From.

New York, June 7.—The Hon. L. K. Yarde Buller of Churston court, in Devonshire, England, the wife of Walter Yarde Buller, brother of Lord Churston, has arrived from England. She brought with her the two sons of her first husband—Lieutenant R. Kirkham Blair of the First Devon, and Arthur Kirkham Blair.

Mrs. Yarde Buller announced that she intended to bring suit for absolute divorce against her husband. Her proceeding against him for a legal separation last July attracted much attention, both in this country and in England.

She is a daughter of the late General R. W. Kirkham of Oakland, Cal. She was the widow of D. Boyle Blair, an Englishman, when she met Mr. Yarde-Buller in 1885. They were married in the following year. Lord Churston settled Churston court upon her, and she became a lady in waiting to the queen.

General Kirkham died in 1894, and she came over to join in a contest growing out of his will. When she returned to England, she took back Valentine Gadesden, who acted as her agent. She brought suit for divorce against her husband, charging him with statutory offenses and with extreme cruelty. He made a counter charge of cruelty and named Gadesden as corespondent. She secured a legal separation in July, 1896.

Will Sue For Absolute Divorce.

"I shall bring a suit for absolute divorce," she said. "If Mr. Yarde Buller says that he is too poor to come over and answer it, a bailiff will be sent to his house at Lupton. This man will sit before the door all summer, so that all the guests can see him. They can't get rid of him, and they will have to feed him. I shall not ask for alimony, because all he has is mine anyway.

"I left England because I wanted a rest. I am tired of the law. I have had 28 different suits growing out of this trouble, and I have won them all. Lord Russell is one of my counsel. Lord Churston has brought suit against me to recover Churston court. He says that now that I have separated from his brother it is his.

"The judge said that he was really suing himself, because he is my guardian and trustee. He never heard of such a case. I told them to send for Gilbert and Sullivan. The judge reserved his decision.

"I will not hear anything against Mr. Gadesden. He was the best man in the world, and he slaved for me. He found them neglecting my interests when he got to England, and he took charge of them. He helped to educate my boys and looked after all my affairs.

"I made the speech for the county at the golden jubilee, and they chose me to do the same again, but I just came away. The people will all leave London during the jubilee. It gives the Americans, the Rothschilds and Barney Barnatos a chance to spend money, and it will be a good thing for trade. Diamonds will go up, but the people will not stay there."

Mrs. Yarde Buller will remain in the city for a few days and will then go to San Francisco, where she will consult her counsel. She is a slight woman, with an animated manner and a knowledge of the law, of which she says she is fond. She has plenty of determination.

"They wanted the law," said she, referring to her husband and his family, "and they have had enough of it."

Mr. Gadesden died near Baden, in Germany, in September of last year. Mrs. Yarde Buller nursed him in his last illness.

Butchers' Association.

Albany, June 7.—The Butchers' Mutual Protective association of New York state has begun its annual state convention. Over 100 delegates will be here from Troy, Schenectady, New York, Brooklyn, Syracuse, Utica, Binghamton, Rochester, Buffalo, Poughkeepsie, Newburg, Kingston, Auburn, Rome and Lyons. The butchers will parade and hold a monster picnic.

Insomnia Causes Suicide.

Lockport, N. Y., June 7.—Roger Keep, 30 years old, a member of one of the wealthiest families in Niagara county, committed suicide at his home in this city by shooting. Keep was a sufferer from nervous prostration and inability to sleep. It is believed that he killed himself while temporarily insane.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

The San Francisco board of supervisors unanimously adopted a resolution petitioning congress not to abrogate the Hawaiian reciprocity treaty.

There have been 50 desertions from the battleship Oregon since it arrived in Puget sound, about two months ago. As a rule, the deserters were new men, who chafed under the restraint and discipline.

An Italian laborer at Clinton Point, N. Y., was crossing the track when the Chicago flier, running 55 miles an hour, struck him and threw him to one side. With the exception of a few scratches, the man was uninjured.

R. B. McCornell, the defaulting president of the defunct Merchants' National bank of Ocala, Fla., has committed suicide. He sent a bullet through his brain and before medical aid could be summoned was a corpse.

Thomas C. Smith, a wealthy resident of Greenpoint, N. Y., was arrested, charged with embezzlement in accepting money belonging to the government from John Corwin, his son-in-law, a paymaster in the navy.

Aeronaut John Walters was killed at Centerville, Ia., while dropping from his balloon with a parachute. Walters was caught in a cluster of telegraph wires, the parachute rope broke, and he fell 40 feet, dying shortly afterward.

The Hamburg-American line steamer Fuerst Bismarck, Captain Albers, from New York for Hamburg May 27, ran down an English fishing boat in the North sea while in the midst of a thick fog. Five occupants of the boat were drowned.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 4:29 a. m.
Sun Sets: 7:28 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 8:28 p. m.

GOSSIP OF THE CYCLERS.

TEMS INTERESTING TO DEVOTEES OF THE STEEL STEEDS.

The Popular Exercise Provides Incidents and Expressions That are of Especial Moment When Wheeling is the Rage

Cort Adams and Fred Adams, of Netherwood, rode their wheels to Coney Island, yesterday.

James Whalen, of Newark, rode his wheel to Plainfield yesterday and spent the day with his father on West Third street.

The meet of the Crescent Juniors' which will be held on Crescent Oval, June 12th, gives promise of being very successful. The entry list is already large.

Although Justice Collins, of West field, has declared that bicycle riding for pleasure on Sunday is illegal, it is not likely that the practice will lessen. Justice Collins, by the way, is himself a Sunday cyclist.—Elizabeth Journal.

The Atalanta Wheelmen of Newark will hold a race meet at the Waverly track on June 19. The following events will be contested: Half-mile novice; one-mile handicap; one mile open; one and a half miles tandem, handicap; half-mile handicap; one-mile triplet. The club cleared $1,500 on its Decoration Day meet.

The road hog is increasing in number. Cyclists should report every instance where they are wantonly kept out of their road rights by drivers. The publication of such facts, including the names of the "hogs" will have a great tendency to stop the practice, as law breakers do not court publicity of their contemptible acts.—Elizabeth Journal.

VARIOUS SPORTS.

The ground in the rear of the Y. M. C. A. building has been fixed up for out-door games and is now in good condition. The ground has been leveled off and a wire screen placed at the rear. It is proposed to have tennis courts there, a net having been donated by Albert Finch, of Belvidere avenue. Preparations have been made so that minton, volley ball, shot putting, high jumping and pole vaulting can be enjoyed by the members. The baseball team will also be able to practice throwing and catching on the grounds.

AROUND THE BASES.

George McBeth, of Zanesville, Ohio, has secured a position at the Potter Press Works. Mr. McBeth is a crack base-ball player and last season he played with the crack team at the above Ohio town. He has been secured to play on the Plainfield Athletic Club team and will occupy second base next Saturday for the first.

—The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of Warren chapel is preparing its annual missionary offering to go to Miss Rachael Maier in Africa. Friends who care to send contributions can send them to Mrs. J. O. McKelvey, 61 Grandview avenue.

—Ben, George and Charley, formerly with the Plainfield Packing House, 153 West Front street, would be pleased to see their friends and customers at their present place of business, City Market Meat Company, 104 North avenue, opposite The Daily Press office.

—Car No. 19, of the street railway, while making its last trip last evening killed a cat on East Front street opposite the store of Powlison & Jones. The car was stopped by the police but the feline was too far gone to do anything. This morning the animal was removed.

Mrs. J. M. Dryden, of West Seventh street, has returned after a visit with relatives in Baltimore.

Miss Nora Schenck, of Manning avenue, is confined to her home by illness. Dr. Zeglio is in attendance.

A. D. Porter and family, of New York, who resided last summer at No. 43 Craig place, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Leader, of Duer street.

APPEAL TO MINISTERS.

ANTI-GAMBLING AMENDMENT SAID TO BE IN DANGER OF DEFEAT.

Leader of the Crusade Against the Racetracks Sends a Letter to all Pastors in the State Urging Them to Action.

Rev. Dr. Kempshall, the anti-racetrack crusader and president of the Citizens' League, sent out Saturday to all the clergymen in New Jersey the following document:

"Dear Brother—This circular letter is addressed to the pastors of churches in New Jersey in order to 'stir up their minds by way of remembrance' of the vote which is to be cast on September 28 next upon the anti-racetrack amendment to the Constitution, which is now submitted by the Legislature to the people for their approval or disapproval.

"We have good reason for believing that a determined and desperate effort will be made to defeat this amendment. There is no less reason to fear that, unless the friends of this measure are thoroughly awake to the danger and prepared to marshal their forces in full strength at the appointed time, this effort may be successful.

"Our success up to the present point has been gained very largely through the efforts of the pastors of our churches, with the cordial co-operation of the press of the State, in informing the people and arousing them to concerted action against the iniquities of the race-track gambling. We turn to you again in most urgent appeal that you will not relax one iota in your interest and vigilance in this question of so momentous importance to the civil and moral interests of New Jersey. One more determined effort, dear brethren, and by the help of God, victory, final and complete, will be ours. We are only asking of you now that you keep this issue, in full realization of its importance, upon your minds and hearts."

Miss Maud French, of Craig place, is spending a few weeks at Alexandria Bay, N. Y., with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Coriell, of West Front street, are at the Labelle Inn, Atlantic City, for a couple of weeks.

J. L. Bird and Mr. Matthews, of Jersey City, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kettenring, of Race street, yesterday.

Miss Kenney, of Spooner avenue, is improving from a recent operation performed at the hospital for septic peritonitis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jackson have closed their home on Crescent avenue and gone to their beatiful summer residence at Alexandria Bay, New York.

Mrs. Alonzo Brokaw and Miss Sophie Elliott, of Grove street, were visiting in Beechwood Heights, last week. They rode there on their wheels.

Ralph Campbell, of Netherwood avenue, is home from the University of New York for the summer vacation. He successfully passed all his examinations and is now a full-fledged senior.

Andrew Krog, of South avenue, who has been confined at the hospital for a few days as the result of an operation to his hand, was discharged this morning and he will be able to go to work soon.

Mrs. J. S. Harberger has returned from New York where she spent the winter at the Waldorf, and has opened her country House, "The Homestead," on West Front street, where she will pass the summer with her daughter and son in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bachem.

—Arthur Beekman, of West Fourth street, has secured a position with W. L. Smalley, the Somerset street butcher.

—Presiding Elder George W. Smith preached at the First M. E. church, yesterday morning. His discourse was a very interesting and helpful one.

—"The White Wings," as the squad of men working under Street Commissioner Gavett are called, are now at work on Watchung avenue improving the roadway.

—The work of wiring the West End Hose house is being done today so that everything will be ready for the informal opening this evening. The borough council has accepted an invitation to be present.

—The Children's Camp, on the mountain, needs a large oil stove, for cooking, several small rockers, five window shades and a pair of piazza steps. Anyone having either of the above articles will please notify Mrs. Zabriskie, 437 East Fifth street.

—The celebration of Holy Communion was observed at Warren chapel yesterday morning. There were four candidates who were admitted to membership upon confession of faith.

BARLEY-RAISING A SIN IN MAINE.

The Farmers will not Grow It to Sell for the Manufacture of Malt.

The brewing of malt and distillation of alcohol are and long have been regarded as very wicked by many people in Maine. But down in the big Aroostook country the farmers, or a portion of them, are actually up in arms against a proposition to increase their prosperity by the cultivation of barley as a crop. Frank Jones of Portsmouth, N. H., who uses a vast amount of barley in his breweries and who is also very largely interested in Maine, conceived the idea that it would be a good plan to have enough barley for his use produced on the fertile plains of Aroostook instead of sending to Canada for most of what he uses, as he does now. The Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture and the State land agent thought the idea a most admirable one. An arrangement was made whereby Mr. Jones, at his own expense, sent several carloads of barley into the Aroostook region, and Land Agent Oak undertook to supervise its distribution among the farmers.

One would have supposed that the tillers of the soil would have been grateful for such aid and opportunity as were thus gratuitously offered to them. But they were not. Far from it. Instead of meeting with gratitude and commendation, the State's agent has had to face what is described as "a storm of opposition." The Aroostook grangers are up in arms against barley and barley-raising. The members of the Houlton Grange have formally condemned barley-raising for beer-making purposes, and as no farmer can be absolutely certain that, if he raises barley and sells it, it will not be used for the manufacture of malt, it is obvious that they have practically pledged themselves not to raise any barley, except for their own use. It is asserted that the grangers in every town in the county have joined the county temperance league in a "crusade" against what was intended to be a beneficent project. The clergymen have joined in the hue and cry against the grain.—Hartford Times.

AN APPLICATION FOR A POSTOFFICE.

A Happy Idea for Husband and Wife not to be of the same Politics.

About four years ago a Republican in a Western town, who kept a general store, helped his wife, who is a strong Democrat, to get the appointment as postmaster. The office was in his store, of course, and naturally stimulated trade. But, as a Republican is now likely to be appointed in her place, the husband thinks he might as well be that Republican, and so has written a letter to his Congressman, in which he says: "I suppose there will be several applicants for the post office here. I think that a change should be made here at once. I have nothing to say against the character of the present incumbent and no charges to make against her. But, George, as you well know, she is one of the most bitter Democrats in this county. She talked and worked for Bryan so openly and persistently that I think it would be well to have her fired at once, and I want the place. I don't send you a petition in my behalf because the folks here don't seem to think it would be proper, under all the circumstances. I rely on our old friendship to secure your hearty indorsement.—New York Tribune.

"Amatory Theatricals."

An old lady who lived in the West, and two daughters being educated in Paris. She desired them to return and they pleaded for a longer sojourn. "The girls," she said, "has been so long in Paris, they begin to think themselves Parasitas." These same girls were warmly devoted to private theatricals, and often took part in them. Somebody told the old lady that one of her daughters had engaged herself to a Frenchman, one of the actors, whereupon she exclaimed, "I always said no good would come of them amatory theatricals!"

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LEGISLATED FOR CITY.

COMMON COUNCIL CARE FOR THE WELFARE OF ITS CONSTITUENTS.

Charge Made Against a Firemen—Ben Hall's Case to be Carried to a Higher Court—Not to Interfere With Bicyclists.

The city fathers were all present at the regular June meeting of the City Council held last evening and peace and harmony reigned supreme. One man occupied a seat in the lobby and before the meeting adjourned he retired. There was not a great deal of important business transacted, but that which was considered was put through in a reasonable amount of time.

Residents of Netherwood avenue, between North avenue and George street, asked for two electric lights, and the merchants of the city asked that the centre of the town be illuminated with eleven arc lights instead of the incandescent lights. Both petitions were referred to the proper committees. The Plainfield Water Supply Company, in a communication, stated that three additional fire hydrants had been located as directed by the Council and were now ready for use.

Petitions were received from J. O. Campbell and Wm. Rockwell, in which they presented their side of the case in the matter of the collection of back taxes under the Martin Act. Mr. Campbell,s bill amounts to $205 53, and Mr. Rockwell's is $17 50. The former stated that he was assessed for more property than he owns, but is willing to settle the bill for $100. Mr. Rockwell said that he has a certificate showing that his taxes are paid, and that he only owns half of the property for which he is assessed. Both matters were referred and the clerk was instructed to communicate with the two petitioners, telling them that the matter of settlement had passed out of their hands and would be referred to the Commissioners appointed to adjust such cases.

In a letter the Mayor stated that charges had been presented to him by J. L. Blackford against L. S. Dunavan, a member of the fire department. The charges are that on the evening of May 19th. the defendant assaulted Mr. Blackford by striking him with his fist in the breast, and that by so doing did violate an ordinance regulating the fire department. These matters were placed in the hands of the Fire and Building Committee.

Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh, in a communication, presented several matters to the council for their consideration. The case of the City against Benjamin Hall was cited first. Mr. Marsh stated that the Common Pleas Court had set aside a conviction of City Judge DeMeza in imposing a sentence of fine and imprisonment upon Benjamin Hall, and he doubted whether the above Court had the authority to do such a thing. He asked the council to give him the power to take the case to a higher court for the purpose of ascertaining the right in the matter. Later in the evening the power was granted. Mr. Marsh also reported concerning the case of Michael Watson. He said that Watson had been released upon a technicality purported to have been committed in the office of City Judge DeMeza by a clerk who had accepted a plea previous to the trial of the case.

The last matter reported on by Mr. Marsh was regarding the bonds of the Plainfield Sanitary Company. The bonds were referred back owing to the fact that the location of the plant was not located in the bond. The matter was adjusted and later in the evening the bonds were referred to Mr. Marsh for certification.

Street Commissioner Gavett reported $32 having been received from the granting of sewer permits, and Chief Doane for the Board of Engineers reported the resignation of Abner Bartlett from Alert Hose Company, and the election of R. F. Murray as first assistant and Townsend Rushmore as second assistant foreman of the company. The resignation was accepted and the election of Messrs. Murray and Townsend was confirmed. Chief Doane, as inspector of buildings, reported that twenty-one permits had been granted during the month. This report, together with the monthly reports of the Collector and Treasurer, was filed.

Mr. Barrows stated that the Police Board had been given the option of three places for a police station, but in the judgment of the committee it was thought best for the city to erect a building of its own, and he asked for the committee the privilege of taking the preliminary steps toward the erection of a suitable building for the above-named purpose. The permission was granted and the committee will first learn under what law they can proceed and they will then report to the Council.

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A CHARMING MUSICALE.

PUPILS AT THE SEMINARY RENDERED A PROGRAMME.

The Various Numbers Given With Skill, Accuracy and Expression to the Enjoyment of Those Who Were Present.

Yesterday afternoon a delightful musicale was given in the parlors of the Plainfield Seminary by the pupils of the musical department under the training of Miss May, of New York. The following programme was rendered with skill, expression and accuracy, for not only is Miss May's own command of the piano masterful, but she has the power of imparting to her pupils such a knowledge of music that composers like Schubert, Mendelssohn and Greig were interpreted with real artistic power:

March Militaire.....Schubert
Misses Harriet Elnar Strong and Ruby Kieb
Sunday Morning.....Kullak
Merry Wanderer.....Stichl
Master Will Schoonmaker.
Song Without Words.....Mendelssohn
Miss Ruby Kieb.
Waltz Elfentanz }.....Greig
Shepherd's Dance.....Gregh
Miss Mary Wadsworth.
Minuet.....Schubert
Papillon.....Greig
Miss Harriet E. Strong.
Impromptu.....Schubert
Miss Ruby Kieb.

One of the pleasing features of Miss May's instruction is the teaching of her pupils to memorize their pieces when learned, so that, for the most part, the performers played without notes.

In the absence of two of her pupils, Miss May, herself, gave by request, the "Flatterer," by Chaminade, and "Widmung," by Schumana, with such rare execution that they elicited an enthusiastic encore. Miss May gave in response "Gondilera," by Moskowski.

At the close of the musical programme, Mrs. Charles Sprague Smith, of New York, the instructor in the art department, read a deeply interesting paper entitled, "How to Criticise a Picture." The knowledge of the artist's conception and study of the artist's thought, she considered indispensable to just criticism. An exhibition of the art student's work was given in an adjoining room, while light refreshments were served. In this exhibit the work done by the life class and composition in black and white, was of especial merit.

An Engagement Announced.

The engagment is announced of Miss Edna Burnett Hanshew, a granddaughter of Mrs. Peter Wyckoff, of East Sixth street, to Alfred Poole, a wealthy young Englishman, who has spent some time in the United States. Miss Hanshew formerly lived in this city but for the last three years, has been residing with her parents in London. Mr. Poole is, at present, a resident of that city and there the couple will live after the marriage. Her sister, Miss Leona Hanshew, fourteen years old, recently won first prize in English composition at the Crystal Palace, London, with an essay on "Cruelty to Animals."

A Good Fraternal Insurance.

J. H. Primrose, special organizer for the Improved Order of Heptasophs, is in town for the purpose of instituting a Conclave. This is an insurance order giving $1,000 to $5,000. It is well-known in this section, having several Conclaves at Newark, Paterson, Passaic, Red Bank, Asbury Park, and Somerville. It has been running twenty years at an average cost of only nine assessments per year. It only costs $7 50 to be a charter member. For further information call on the agent at the City Hotel and get your name on the charter list.

Knights Templar Field Day.

The Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of New Jersey will hold its field day at Morristown, on Thursday, October 14th. There will be the drill and dress parade and the banquet in the evening. Trinity Commandery, of this city, has secured its headquarters at the United States Hotel, in which the Grand Commandery has also established its headquarters. The field day was held in this city, last year and proved a very successful affair. This year the people of Morristown will be given a chance to show their hospitality.

On the Seductive Cigarette.

J. W. Pierce, Picture Evangelist, of Montclair, will open one week's engagements of illustrated temperance meetings, tomorrow night, in Washington Hall, on West Second street. By the aid of the stereopticon Mr. Pierce will fully illustrate his subjects. The first subject will be "The Cigarette, and How They Are Made." Following this, will be many beautiful views showing the workings of the Epworth League and Christian Endeavor societies. Admission free.

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NEW LAWYERS IN TOWN.

WILLIAM NEWCORN AND F. J. BLATZ TO HANG OUT SHINGLES.

The Latter Will Graduate from New York University Law School Tonight—Mr. Newcorn to Combine Legal and Judicial Duties

Francis J. Blatz, of Somerset street, and William Newcorn, of West Front street, are now both full-fledged lawyers, have successfully passed their examinations at Trenton. Yesterday they went to Trenton to take their oral examinations and both passed with flying colors. They were formally notified in the afternoon that they were attorneys-at-law.

This evening, Mr. Blatz will attend the commencement exercises at the New York University Law School, when he will graduate. He has been studying in the law offices of ex-Mayor John H. Van Winkle when not in college and will remain there for the present. He already has many friends and is bound for a successful legal career.

Mr. Newcorn will continue as before at his offices on West Front street, combining his services as an attorney with those of the justice of the peace, which office he already holds. His earnest work in the past promises him to be a careful and skillful lawyer, capable of handling the affairs of his clients with satisfaction. He passed under the Five Counselors act and his certificate was signed by five of the best-known lawyers in this part of the State. Among the signers was James J. Bergen, who was well known as one of the principal opponents to that act.

At the same time that the two already mentioned passed their examinations, Mrs. Keeler, of Camden, the first woman to go through under the Five Counselors act, successfully passed her examinations.

Writ of Attachment Issued.

Legal proceedings have been started against Dr. J. D. Wood, of Crescent avenue, by his creditors. Neuman Brothers and Jed. M. Smalley secured writs of attachment from Justice Mosher through their lawyers, Swackhamer & Williams, which were served yesterday by Constable Rockafellow. Dr. Wood owes both dealers large bills. Dr. and Mrs. Wood have been absent for nearly three weeks and the creditors claim that the household goods are quietly being removed. Hence the writ was served yesterday and Constable Rockafellow stocd guard during the night,

Loyal Temperance Legion Officers.

Until yesterday afternoon, the Loyal Temperance Legion has had no officers except the two superintendents, Miss Beekman and Wickham Williams Beekman. Yesterday, however, after the lesson of the day, a business meeting was held and the following officers were elected to hold office two months: President, Sarah Head; vice-president, Dora Wilson; secretary, John McClelland; lookout committee, Ethel Day, Edna Barth, F. Long, Walter Wilson; department committee, May Weigman, Frank Weigman.

Sanitarium to be Enlarged.

Dr. J. Cooley is planning to build a large additiou on the Jackson avenue side of his sanitarium on Westervelt avenue. The new wing is to be sixty feet long and three stories high. It will contain twenty rooms and an electric elevator running from the basement to the third story. A porte cochere is to be built on the other end. The plans for these improvements have been drawn by Lancaster and Rogers.

Boys' Club Exhibit.

The Boys' Club house on Sycamore street was crowded last evening with the friends of that organization who came to see the annual exhibition of work done by the boys. This exhibition was held several weeks ago and was repeated last evening to give all a chance to see it. The exhibition was very creditable and the numerous visitors were much surprised at all that had been accomplished by the boys, a number of whom were present and went through the regular work.

Paul's Advice to Timothy.

Mrs. Powlison led the devotional exercises at the meeting of the Primary Teachers' Union yesterday afternoon, and Mrs. Mosher taught the lesson, "Paul's Advice to Timothy." A short business meeting followed and the treasurer reported that there is a little over $5 in the treasury. It was announced that Mrs. Petit, of Elizabeth, would teach the lesson next Monday afternoon.

Councilman Barrows Honored.

A Plainfield citizen was greatly honored at the Produce Exchance, yesterday, by being elected to the vice-presidency of that institution. Councilman Elliot T. Barrows, of West Eighth street, was elected to fill that office after an exciting contest. He was chosen by a vote of 600 to 317.

JUNE, MONTH OF BRIDES.

A HAPPY UNION OF LOVE CONSUMMATED AT HYMEN'S ALTAR.

Miss Minnie B. Timpson, of Newark, Married to Robert S. Osborne, of Belleville, at the Bride's Uncle's in New Market.

A charming June wedding was celebrated yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bird, of New Market, when their niece, Miss Minnie B. Timpson, of Newark, and Robert S. Osborn, of Belleville, were united in marriage by Rev. Mr. Durand, pastor of St. James' P. E. church, of Newark.

The home was a scene of beauty by a profusion of choice flowers. Especially in the parlor, where the ceremony was performed, was the floral display the most attractive. The flowers were banked in a tasteful manner each side of the doors through which the bridal party entered, while smilax was prettily festooned about the room.

While the bridal party entered the parlor the Mendelssohn wedding march was executed by Miss Mollie Chapin, of Newark.

At the altar they were met by the officiating clergyman who performed the ceremony according to the Episcopal church. The bride was gowned in white brocaded satin trimmed with duchess and point lace. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaids were Miss Eva Chapin and Miss Minnie Farley, of Newark. The former was gowned in white and green organdie trimmed with lace and ribbons, while the latter wore a gown of white and pink organdie also trimmed with lace and ribbons.

The best man was Benjamin H. Timpson, brother of the bride, who gave his sister away in marriage. Following the ceremony the happy couple were showered with congratulations by their friends and relatives.

After congratulations a wedding dinner was served to the guests. The table was prettily decorated with flowers of many colors.

Later in the afternoon the bride and groom left for an extended bridal tour and on their return they will reside where they were married. The groom is an employ of the United States Trust Company. Both he and his wife were handsomely remembered in receiving two beautiful and costly presents. The other presents were equally costly and useful.

Those present to witness the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. John H Osborne, Spencer Osborne, Hanford Osborne, Elsie Osborne, Mrs. Perry, of Belleville; Mrs. Benjamin Timpson, Benjamin Timpson, Mrs. Chapin, Miss Mollie Chapin, Mrs. Palmer, Mrs. Arthur McMahon, Mr. and Mrs. Urquhart, Miss Cooper, Miss Urquhart, Charles J. Urquhart, Frank Urquhart, W. H. Bruen, E. A. Bruen, of Newark; Mr. and Mrs D. H. E Jones, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cochen, Mrs. Chase, of Brooklyn; Mrs. Edward Timpson, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Andrews, of Montclair; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bird, of New Market.

TROLLEYED TO A DINNER.

Mayor and Mrs. Fisk Entertained Guests in a Novel and Royal Manner.

Mayor and Mrs. Charles J. Fisk last evening treated a number of their friends to a trolley ride and a dinner at Mountain Park Inn. The party left the home of the host and hostess shortly after 6 o'clock, taking possession of a special car on the Somerset street trolley. Mountain Park Inn was reached in due time and at 7 o'clock the party sat down to supper. Covers for thirty were laid. After the supper a ride back to the city was enjoyed.

Among the party were Mayor and Mrs. C. J. Fisk, Mr. and Mrs. R. Cox, Miss Cox, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Mas r, Mrs. W. T. Kaufman, Mrs. Pliny Fisk, Miss Schoonmaker, the Misses Coe, Miss Fisk, Miss Lawson, W. W. Stockton, Master Mason, Augustus Fisk, F. Schoonmaker, C. W. Fisk, Reeve Stockton, T. Earl Stockton, Arthur Talmage, G. Jarvis Coe and H. Chapman.

A Costly Residence.

Lancaster and Rogers, the Babcock building architects, have completed plans for a $5,000 residence for David C. Smalley, which is soon to be erected on East Front street, near Richmond street, on the Grace church property. It is to be a frame dwelling of modern style with a tower and octaginal piazza on one corner. The house will be fitted with all the modern improvements.

Warren Chapel Repairs.

Repairs are now being made at Warren chapel. A new piazza is being erected and the fence and board walk re-laid and put in good condition. In the interior, improvements are also being made. The Berean room is being papered and a new coat of paint on some of the woodwork will greatly add to the improvement of the rooms.

HOSE HOUSE OPENING.

BOROUGH FIREMEN AND OFFICIALS HAD A FESTIVE TIME.

West End Hose Company Now Ready to Do Battle With the Fire Fiend—Speeches and a Good Time in General Last Night.

The formal opening of the West End Hose house was held last evening and was in every particular an auspicious one. The commodious and pretty little house was filled with the members of the West End Hose Company, Warren Engine Company and friends of both companies, while the presence of the Plainfield Cornet Band was the occasion of a fine selection of music. The meeting was called to order by Foreman Kellar, of the West End Hose Company, after which the seat of honor was given to Chief David Bodine, of the Fire Department. Mr. Bodine in a well-chosen speech welcomed the friends of the two companies to the new house and complimented the home company in having such a complete hose house.

During the festivities speeches were made by former Mayor B. A. Hegeman, Jr., Councilmen Burtis and MacLoughlin, ex-Chief G. H. Fairchild, Assistant Chief James D. Anderson and Electrician Julius Stahl. Following the speeches several selections were rendered by the band and refreshments served. After the inner man had been well supplied the cigars were passed around and those present indulged in relating amusing stories. Mayor Wilson was unable to be present, owing to a slight indisposition, and other members of the Council were detained for good reasons.

The house and equipments are now complete and the company ready for duty. They appreciate the efforts of the borough Council to furnish fire protection for that section, and they will endeavor to give the best of service.

TROUBLE OVER A BICYCLE.

A Dealer and His Customer Almost Come to Blows Over a Bill.

A bicycle was the innocent cause of a quarrel yesterday afternoon that ended in the City Court this morning. Sigmund Frucht keeps a bicycle store at the corner of West Second street and Park avenue. Yesterday afternoon, he rented a wheel to a young man who is employed in Schwed's clothing store and the young man went to Elizabeth. On the way the chain broke and he had to stop and have it repaired. He paid for the repairing and secured a bill which he presented to Frucht for payment. Frucht refused to pay the bill and then they young man laid hands upon the wheel which he had brought to the store and said that he would not give up the wheel until the bill was paid.

Frucht laid hands upon the wheel also and trouble followed. Chief Grant arrived on the scene and ordered the combatants to desist and also appear before the City Judge, this morning.

This morning, both appeared before City Judge DeMeza and were ordered to appear for trial on Saturday morning.

ARGUMENT MADE OF IRON.

A Coupling Pin Wielded in the Hand of an Angry Man.

Trouble arose at the car house of the Plainfield Street Railway yesterday afternoon, at about 5 o'clock, between two of the helpers, in which one of them was knocked down and cruelly beaten.

Richard Higgins is a lad, nineteen years old, who is employed about the car house. A young man named Doty is also engaged there. A dispute arose between the two over some question and after wards flew about in rather unseemly haste. Higgins alleges that Doty started the fight and assaulted him.

Higgins' story is that Doty was angered at something that Higgins said and set upon him with a coupling pin. Higgins was evidently struck in the back of the head with something for a gash was cut there. Higgins said that the blow knocked him down and that Doty then set upon him and kicked and beat him until one eye was closed and his head was a mass of bruises.

Doty, it is understood, denies that he was to blame in the matter, but claims that Higgins was the aggressor and that he, Doty, merely defended himself.

Reported Fall of Snow.

Farmers coming in from over the mountains report that there was just a slight flurry of snow for a few minutes last night. It started with a cold drizzle which turned into frozen crystals, but did not continue long. In some places it was feared that there would be a frost.

—The Daughters of Rebekah will give an entertainment for the benefit of their lodge in Washington Hall this evening.

EDUCATIONAL MATTERS.

CONDUCT OF CITY SCHOOLS CONSIDERED AND DECIDED ON.

Changes in the Corps of Teachers Made Necessary by the New Departments That Have Recently Been Established.

The appointment of the teachers for the next school year was the principal business that attracted the attention of the Plainfield Board of Education at its meeting, last evening. It was the regular June meeting of the Board, the last before the public schools close for the summer, and there were several details for the Commencement to be arranged.

The meeting was held in the Board room in the Stillman building and all the members, the clerk and Superintendent Maxson were present. After the usual list of approved bills were read and ordered paid and other routine business transacted, the Board considered a bill from the Dunellen Board of Education for tuition of pupils living in the city limits but close to Dunellen. The bill amounted to $20.42 and was ordered paid if found correct.

The regular communication was received from Collector Bird, showing that taxes amounting to $935.72 had been collected, with interest amounting to $73.42, making a total of $1,009.-05, which had been deposited in the First National Bank to the credit of the Board.

A communication from the Mutual Life Insurance Company announced that interest of $950 was due. The interest was ordered paid and also $1,000 toward the principal.

A circular letter from the Department of School Administration, of Wisconsin, was read, telling of the annual convention of School Board Associations at Milwaukee. The Board was invited to send a delegate. The clerk was instructed to acknowledge the receipt of the invitation, and it was remarked that any member who cared to go would be made the delegate. It is probable, however, that Plainfield will not be represented.

Stevenson R. Hope, janitor of the Bryant School, wrote to the Board asking for a vacation of ten days after school closes, stating that his son would look after the building. The Board gave him a favorable reply.

Although the members of the Board have been already importuned regarding the appointment of a janitor for the old Seventh-day Baptist church edifice, which is now being converted into an overflow school, there was but one formal application made to the Board. It was from H. O. Corsa and was placed on file to await action. It was suggested by one of the Board that there should be one janitor for the Wadsworth school and the old church as neither was very large nor required much time.

A check from Superintendent Maxson was received by the Board, representing fines paid to him for damage done to the school books by the pupils.

Mr. Maxson also reported the request of Miss Force, of the Bryant school, that she be relieved of her duty as pianist for the morning exercises and be allowed to continue her other duties at her present salary. As she has been a teacher in the school for twenty-five years, the Board decided that she was justified in making the request and granted it. Mr. Maxson stated that Miss Mabel Mitchell was recommended by Miss Bullock, the principal, and other of the teachers to fill the vacant place. The Board accepted the recommendation and advanced her salary $25 for the extra work.

There was a general discussion over the question as to whether the Board should continue to pay the car fare for the teachers who teach in the Irving school. Mr. Maxson explained that it was done because there were no suitable boarding houses within easy walking distance of the schoolhouse and that the car fare had hitherto been allowed to equalize the advantages of the other schools. Mr. Lounsbury thought that all should have the same chance, but the rest of the Board was in favor of continuing the old plan.

President Probasco next read the report of the committee on teachers, Miss Sims, of the Washington school, and Miss Low, of the Bryant school, had declined reappointment and the committee recommended for their places, Miss Genevieve Laning for the Washington school and Miss Agnes B. Freeman for the Bryant school. They also recommended Miss Blanche A. Voorhees to take the place at the Bryant school of Miss Susie Davies, who is appointed to the Lincoln kindergarten, and Miss Ines B. Green to supply the place made vacant by Miss Marshal, who declined appointment before the list was made up. The rest of the

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THE DREYFUS CASE.

Attempt to Prove That the Verdict Was Obtained by Fraud.

FORGERY IS STRONGLY SUSPECTED.

The Condemned Officer Has Steadfastly Claimed to Have Been Innocent—A New York Expert on Handwriting Will Examine the Documents.

London, June 8.—The Daily Chronicle gives prominence to the report that Professor Carvalho, the expert in handwriting, is going from New York to Paris to assist in reopening the case of Captain Albert Dreyfus, who on Jan. 5, 1893, on the parade ground of the Military school in Paris, in the presence of 5,000 troops, was drummed out of the French army and sentenced to life imprisonment on conviction of having sold war department maps and plans to a foreign government.

Professor Carvalho's evidence is invited by those who insist that the documents upon which Dreyfus was convicted are forgeries.

Dreyfus throughout his incarceration before the trial, throughout the brief trial, during the terrible ordeal of "execution parade," when his sword was broken and his buttons and insignia of rank were torn off, steadfastly protested his innocence, declared that even if he had given up documents to a foreigner it had been as a bait to obtain more important ones and said significantly, "In three years the truth will be known, and the minister himself will take my part."

Shortly before the "execution parade" Captain Lebrun, in whose charge he was placed at the Ecole militaire, where he was degraded, asked him if he had ever thought of committing suicide. He replied that he had thought of it on the day he was condemned, but that subsequent reflection convinced him that, being entirely guiltless, he had no right to take his own life, as he was certain that justice would be done him in three years.

His Statement After Condemnation.

Dreyfus made the following statement after his condemnation:

"In the chiffonier of a foreign embassy a paper is discovered announcing that four documents are about to be sent. That paper is submitted to experts in handwriting. Three of these report it to be my handwriting, two report that it is not, and on that evidence I am condemned. At 18 I entered the polytechnic school. I had a splendid military career before me, a fortune of £20,000 sterling and a certainty of an income in the future amounting to £2,-000 sterling a year. I have never run after women, never touched a card in my life. I had no need for money. Why, then, should I have turned traitor?"

The following is the text of the document found, it is said, at the German embassy:

"Having no news of you, I do not know what to do. I send you in the meantime the condition of the forts. I also hand you the principal passages of the firing instructions. If you desire the rest, I will have them copied. The document is precious. The instruction has only been given to the officers of the general staff. I leave for the maneuvers."

The report which caused the arrest of Dreyfus was signed by General Mercier, the minister of war; General Boisdeffre, chief of general staff, and Colonel Gomce, his assistant. The arrest was decided upon by the unanimous vote of 11 ministers, all of whom bound themselves to keep secret the details of the crime and the trial.

Sorg Wants to Be Senator.

Cincinnati, June 8.—The Times-Star publishes an interview with Congressman Paul J. Sorg, in which he officially announces his candidacy for United States senator in the event that the Democrats secure a majority of the members of the legislature to be elected next November. While other names have been mentioned the only other announced candidate is John R. McLean, proprietor of the Cincinnati Enquirer, who is now in the city conducting his canvass.

G. A. R. Department Appointments.

Albany, June 8.—Commander A. D. Shaw of the G. A. R. department of this state, has made the following appointments to his staff: Assistant quartermaster general, James Dolan, post 123, Watertown; judge advocate, O. P. Clark, post 498, Mount McGregor; department inspector, Frank Z. Jones, post 47, Rome; chief mustering officer, Michael J. Cummings, post 148, Brooklyn; senior aid-de-camp and chief of staff, George H. Stowitz, post 9, Buffalo.

Low Willing to Be Mayor.

New York, June 8.—President Low sent a letter to the Citizens' union last night, in which he said that he would be pleased to be the mayor of Greater New York and would be a candidate, but his responsibilities as president of Columbia university would deter. The letter intimates, however, that if the nomination were a spontaneous one and he was given full power, as he was when he was mayor of Brooklyn, he might accept it.

Instantly Killed by Lightning.

Macon, June 8.—While standing in a doorway at his home in South Macon during an electric storm Thomas Welch was struck by lightning and instantly killed. His wife, who was in a front room, was knocked insensible, but her baby; who was in the same room, escaped uninjured.

New Hospital For Printers.

Colorado Springs, June 8.—The plans submitted by architects of this city for a new $10,000 hospital for the Union Printers' Home in this city have been accepted, and its construction will be begun immediately.

Five Killed In a Collision.

Minneapolis, June 8.—A freight train and a work train collided on the Omaha road near Hudson, Wis. Five men were killed and their bodies burned in the cars. Several other persons were injured. Both engines were demolished.

Slanderer Sent to Jail.

Salem, Mass., June 8.—Jeremiah T. O'Sullivan of Lawrence, convicted of criminal libel of three city officers, has been sentenced to 18 months in jail by Judge Bishop.

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NO PROOF OF VIOLATION OF LAW.

Other Cases Pending Against the Alleged Filibuster May Be Dismissed—Return of Commissioner Calhoun From Cuba With Official Information.

Jacksonville, Fla., June 8.—In the United States court Judge Locke has handed down a decision in the case of the steamer Three Friends, charged with violating the neutrality laws by carrying a filibustering expedition to Cuba, and also as an armed vessel, dismissing the libel for forfeiture. In giving the decision Judge Locke said:

"The care in examining the evidence in this case fails to find any testimony showing that the vessel was fitted out and armed within the limits of the United States. It does not show that she was loaded with arms and ammunition within 15 or 20 miles of the shore.

"The further charge that the vessel took on additional arms or ammunition on the island of Navassa, which is American soil, was not confirmed by the testimony. It shows that the vessel touched there for a short time, but it does not show that it did anything that is in violation of the neutrality laws of this country."

Three other cases are pending against the vessel, but they are likely to be dismissed, as the evidence is much the same as in the present case. The district attorney will await advices from Washington as to what future action to take in the present case.

Commissioner Calhoun's Return.

New York, June 8.—Among the passengers who arrived by the Ward line steamship Saratoga from Mexico and Havana were Ramon O. Williams, former United States consul at Havana, and William J. Calhoun, United States commissioner to Cuba, accompanied by George W. Fishback and Charles Pepper.

Mr. Calhoun, who was sent to Cuba to investigate the Ruiz case, said the commission, composed of General Lee, who represented the United States, and Dr. Congosta, Spanish consul at Philadelphia, who represented Spain, held three sittings between May 20 and June 1 in Havana, Regulus and Guanabacoa.

The papers examined in the case were chiefly military records, and the final report would be made to Washington by General Lee.

Mr. Calhoun declined to give his opinion in the case. Mr. Williams, when seen at Quarantine on board the steamer, said he had been traveling through Mexico and had a very enjoyable trip. When informed that his name had been mentioned for the Spanish mission, he looked surprised and said he had not received the offer.

Locomotive Hits Flat Car.

Chicago, June 8.—Three men and one woman were more or less seriously hurt at Twenty-seventh street, near the Park row station, when a rail which was loaded on a flat car was struck by an express train on the Illinois Central railroad. The rail stove through the front of one of the passenger coaches and struck a woman passenger who was occupying a seat. The others injured were laborers. Those who were injured are Mrs. C. L. Olmsted of Chicago, Thomas Murphy, section foreman; Louis Guzza and an Italian laborer, name not known. All are expected to recover.

Actress Attempts Suicide.

Niagara Falls, June 8.—Pearl Diamond, an actress, 35 years old, tried to commit suicide here by swallowing laudanum. She is out of danger now and will recover. The woman's right name is Mrs. James Keith. Her husband traveled with her, and they worked as a sketch team in vaudeville shows. Of late the woman has had a mania for telling her fortune with cards, and once she declared if her fortune did not come out right she would kill herself.

Fell From a Locomotive.

Binghamton, N. Y., June 8.—A man was discovered lying beside the Erie tracks about a quarter of a mile from Union, ten miles west of this city. He was unconscious and was carried to the station, where he was recognized as Michael Whalen of Corning, N. Y., a fireman on the Monitor. He was oiling a valve on the engine when he slipped and fell to the ground. No bones were broken, but it is feared he may be internally injured.

Explosion In a Coal Mine.

Monongahela, Pa., June 8.—By an explosion of gas in the Black Diamond mines of the Brown Coal company, two miles south of here, several men were injured, but none fatally. A rescuing party went immediately into the mine and all of the men were taken out before they were overcome by the deadly afterdamp. The gas is said to have been ignited by an open lamp, and the escape of the 300 miners was remarkable.

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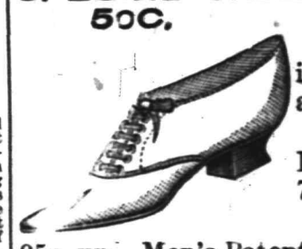

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The coffee planters are confronting bankruptcy, and to make matters worse the foreign and native commercial houses, on whom the planters depend for advances, have withdrawn their credits, owing to heavy losses.

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It is said that the Standard has an immense stock on hand in the warehouses at Kingsberry Run, enough, in fact, to supply the demand in this district until Jan. 1, 1898, or longer.

Trouble In a Rubber Factory.

Hudson, Mass., June 8.—The rubber goods factory of ex-Congressman L. D. Apsley, where a sweeping reduction in wages was announced last week, did not open as usual yesterday. A notice was posted on the door announcing that the factory would be closed this week for the purpose of taking stock and adjusting prices. There was also a notice to the effect that the old employees could have their places by applying to Mr. Apsley in person. Several of the old employees read the notice, but few manifested a disposition to go to work under the reduction. It is thought, however, that the difficulty will be amicably adjusted during the week.

Spice Company Reorganized.

Toledo, June 8.—The Woolson Spice company, a controlling interest in which was recently acquired by H. O. Havemeyer and his associates, has been reorganized. Mr. A. M. Woolson retires from the position of president, the new officers being: Lawrence Newman, president; James Secor, vice president; W. A. Brigham, secretary and general manager; directors, A. M. Woolson, Lawrence Newman, John Berdan, James Secor, W. A. Brigham, R. A. Bartley, H. O. Havemeyer, Herman Sielcken and John H. Doyle. Mr. Woolson was relieved of the duties of president at his own request, on account of his health.

State Wants Damages For Felled Trees.

Malone, N. Y., June 8.—The state has begun an action against Stephen A. Roake of Onchiota, N. Y., for $25,000 damages for cutting 1,000 trees on state land two years ago on lot 226 in the town of Franklin. Mr. Roake was its superintendent and a member of the Smith & Leonard Lumber company. The penalty is $25 per tree. The attorney general has retained John P. Badger of Malone as special deputy, and Mr. Roake has engaged District Attorney F. G. Paddock of Malone to defend the suit.

Smallpox Not Epidemic In Toledo.

Toledo, June 8.—There is no smallpox scare in Toledo. Over a month ago the disease broke out in the Polish settlement, beginning with some men employed as ore shovelers on the docks. The locality was put under strict quarantine, and the disease has not spread beyond the infected center. There have been 17 cases. Two have died—one a baby, the other a woman. Four have been discharged, and 11 are still under treatment, but all will recover.

Accidentally Shot.

Wellsboro, Pa., June 8.—Frank Smith, aged 13 years, started out with a party of four other young men to walk up the mountain near Ansonia. Smith had a gun with him, and as he was climbing over some rocks he laid the gun on a rock above him. It slid towards him and was discharged, the charge entering his breast, killing him instantly.

Postal Congress to Meet In Rome.

Chicago, June 8.—The universal postal congress will hold its next sextennial convention at Rome, in February, 1903. This decision was reached at the last meeting of the body at Washington, but was withheld from publication. It will be formally announced at the close of the present convention next week.

Went Swimming Too Early.

Middletown, N. Y., June 8.—Three boys, aged about 16, went in bathing a week ago, when the water was extremely cold. Friday Charles H. Corwin died of quinsy. J. Cilton Sloat died yesterday morning, the result of a fever, and Harry Picot, the sole survivor of the party, is now at the point of death.

Shot the Burglar.

Shamokin, Pa., June 8.—Alexander Pierson, colored, aged 23 years, of Tower City, was shot and instantly killed by Dairyman George H. Brewer of Irish Valley while burglarizing the latter's farmhouse. The coroner's jury exonerated Brewer by finding that the shooting was justifiable.

Death of a Missionary.

Pittsburg, June 8.—Word has been received in Pittsburg that Rev. Dr. Methery, senior missionary of the Reformed Presbyterian church, died at Mensine, Syria, June 4. The deceased was well known throughout this country.

Stock Exchange Election.

New York, June 8.—At the annual election of the New York Produce Exchange the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: President, Frank Brainard; vice president, E. T. Barrows, and treasurer, E. C. Rice.

Brick Wheelers' Strike.

Catskill, N. Y., June 8.—The brick wheelers employed by the Catskill Paving Brick works have struck for an increase of wages from $1.60 to $1.75 a day. They are still out.

CRANKS' COLUMN.

Suggestions that Emanate from Pens of Bicycle Riders.

During the past three years there has been a tremendous boom in the bicycle business in England. New companies have been formed, and old companies have doubled and trebled their capital stock, until the total amount of money invested in making these wheels is something enormous. Now it is seen that the business is overdone. There is a large surplus stock of wheels on hand, and the one way to sell them is to cut the price; but if that is done there will be a shrinkage of dividends on the vast capitalization, and that means a semi-panic in that line. The only chance is to sell the wheels in foreign countries. But there is small chance of that. France and Germany supply their own demand, and there is no market elsewhere in Europe. This country will not buy English wheels, because they are heavy and clumsy, according to our notions. Altogether, the outlook is stormy in the isle across the sea.

Owners of suburban real estate and farmers living near a city should be the last to urge a tax on bicycles. Nothing has exerted so marked an influence upon the rise of land values as the wheel. Thousands of residents of the city owe to the bicycle their first introduction to country life. They see the country under the most favorable auspices, and it is only a question of time when they will take up their residence in the suburbs. This increases the value of building lots, and every year sees farming land mounting in price as it is sought after by builders. Wheelmen demand good roads, and good roads mean good buildings. It has taken a long time for farmers to realize how wasteful they are in spending thousands of dollars every year to patch earth roads, instead of building stone roads that do not need patching, but there is evidence that they are learning the lesson.

Riding with extremely high gears will be overdone before the 1897 season is half over. An 80 gear is too high for all-round use under any circumstances. Numerous riders are starting out this year with 84's or higher. Nothing can be gained by any rider, no matter what his muscular power, by using anything higher than 72 or 74, speaking, of course, with reference to road riding. Extremely high gears have been judged excellent for track work by many well-known racing men, but there should always be a distinction between road gear and racing gear.

Women riders have some trouble with the lacing on the dressguards on the rear wheel. It occasionally breaks or becomes detached, and a writer recommends insulated wire as a substitute. This sounds very well in theory, but experience has proven the contrary. The wire will spread at the eyeholes, and when it does, is almost certain to tear the rider's skirt. With care in renewal, the soft cord dressguard is better than any substitute that has yet been devised.

It is announced by the great Pennsylvania Railroad that hereafter bicycles will be carried free as baggage throughout Pennsyvania and New Jersey. The wheelmen are jubilant over the news, and it is pleasant to record that the company made the concession without any coercion by the law-making powers. One by one the railways are falling into line in this matter.

In Baltimore parks wheelmen are not allowed to coast between 10 A. M. and 9 P. M., and we hear that "they complain bitterly against the restriction." According to their notion, they should be allowed to coast at all hours, the pedestrians to get out of the way or be run over. It is this class of wheelmen who create all the opposition to the sport that is occasionally manifested.

Two wheelmen are employed by the House of Representatives at Washington. Their salary is five dollars a day each, and their duty is to carry copy and proofs between the Capitol and the Government Printing office. This is what may be called combining a little bit of business with a great deal of pleasure.

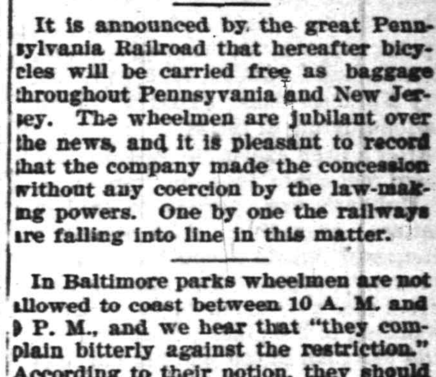
Those short-sighted people who are in favor of taxing bicycles and applying the proceeds to make smooth and substantial roads should read up on Russia. In that country bicycles are taxed, and her roads are the worst in the world.

It is estimated that a bicyclist can travel over fifteen miles of good road on his wheel with less exertion than he can walk four miles on foot.

A bill for the taxation of bicycles has been defeated by the Vermont Legislature.

"It is imply astonishing the way the bicycle is displacing the horse!"

"It is, indeed. Yesterday I found a piece of rubber tire in my sausage!"



Arabella. Ah, Rudolph, you do not treat me as well as you used to before we were married.

Rudolph. Well, a man doesn't run after he has caught the car, does he?

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

For Tonight and Wednesday Rain; Probably Clearing Wednesday Night; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 58 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

June 8—Festival at Hope chapel.

HE IS A CRANK.

We are astonished. In this, as we have always considered, quiet, beautiful homelike town, there lives a man who presumes to say that it is a noisy place—even distractingly clamorous in residential sections. "L. N." this man signs himself, this presumptous indicter of Plainfield's noise making elements. We don't know who "L. N." is—and don't care—but we think he is a crank of 42 000 Jackass power; else why should he allege what no one else is able to hear. Read his plaintive wail, the despairing cry of a fault finder whose own breathing must disrupt his serenity like a thousand of brick falling on his neck—in The World this morning:

I am just recovering from an attack of nervous prostration. At first it was thought that it was brought on by work and worry. But after the doctor had visited me two or three times in my apartment and had heard my neighbors above and below at their devilish noise-making, he said: "This must be stopped or you must get out of here." But the neighbors would not stop. So here I am, and Heaven only knows how I am going to go back to my apartment when I get well. I shall surely have another attack. My neighbors denounced me for asking them to respect my rights. L. N.

Plainfield, N. J., June 6th.

EDUCATIONAL MATTERS.

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teachers will remain in the same positions as last year. The report of the committee was adopted without change.

The judges for the English composition and penmanship competitions were next selected as follows:—English composition. Mrs. Israel C. Pierson, Mrs. D. E. Titsworth, and Mrs. Hugh Hastings; penmanship, Frank E. Kinsman, Dr. T. S. Davis, and Rev. Charles E. Herring. The Board then went into executive session.

The financial statement for the month was as follows:—Receipts—From City Collector, $1,009.05; payment on loan to building account, $2,000; total, $3,009.05. Payments—teachers, janitors and clerk, $4,460.59; school books and supplies, $232 53; repairs, etc., $125.76; building account, $9.38; sundies, $366.24; total, $5,194.50. City National Bank, $2,455 87. First National Bank, $1,884.48.

After a brief executive session, the Board met again in open session. J. F. Hubbard was present to explain matters regarding the necessary changes at the old Seventh-Day Baptist church edifice. Mr. Hubbard reported that he could make the changes according to the plans presented for a little less than $4,000, and his bid was accepted. Work will begin tomorrow. The Seventh-Day Baptist Society has agreed to remove the steeple and put in two rows of windows in place of the old ones. The Board will divide the first floor into four class rooms and lay a floor so that other class rooms may be made on the second floor when necessary.

There was also a discussion regarding the plans for the proposed addition to the Stillman building to accommodate the sanitary toilet rooms, which have been requested by the Board of Health. The old shed in the centre of the yard will be removed as has already been told in The Press. It was definitely decided that the addition will be built, although the contract has not been formally awarded. The bids were reported in The Press two weeks ago.

For a Good Purpose.

A children's fair was held on Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Mollie Templin, on East Sixth street. Those who assisted were the Misses Florence Hill, Mollie Templin, Juliet Hill, Ethel Weseman and Ella Acheson. A nice amount was realized, which will be donated to the Children's Home, of this city.

—J. W. Pierce, the picture evangelist, is doing a wonderful work in Union county. He has been in the county for four weeks, closing last Sunday night at Rahway. He is a forceful and earnest speaker. He has great power with the poor drunkard.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

J. H. Leggett, the druggist, was confined to the house yesterday by illness.

Miss Mary Van Eps, of East Front street, is visiting friends in Somerville for a few days.

Armstrong Mulford, of North avenue, has returned from a business trip out of town.

Rev. Mr. Grooves, pastor of the Mt. Zion A. M. E. church, is attending a convention at Asbury Park.

Miss Mary Rubincam, of Jamison Pa., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Silas Yerkes, of East Sixth street.

Herbert Lucas, of Hightstown, is visiting his cousin, Miss Beatrice Doane Craig, of College place.

Mrs. A. B. Dunavan and family, of Plainfield avenue, have returned from a visit with Newark relatives.

Miss May Bellis, of this city, has gone to Somerville to make a three weeks' visit with friends there.

J. C. Van Dyke, of East Front street, has entirely recovered from the recent injuries sustained in riding a wheel.

Attorney Walter G. Williams, of the Babcock building, went to Flemington, yesterday on business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Force, of Pearl street, are rejoiced over the arrival of a bright little boy, this morning.

Miss Grace Barlow and Miss Alice Barlow, of Prospect place, have gone to Warwick, New York, for a few days.

Mrs. E. H. Lewis and son, Herbert, of Chicago, are visiting at the home of Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, of Central avenue.

Mr. G. M. Rittenhouse and children, of East Sixth street, have gone to Philadelphia to visit relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Terhune and their son, Harold Terhune, of Sandford avenue, are spending a few days at Washington.

The marriage of Miss Nora Agnes Casey to John Joseph Gallagher, will take place Tuesday afternoon, June 22d, in St. Mary's church.

The family of C. F. Abbott, of Central avenue, sail from the other side of the Atlantic Ocean on June 17th, after a year spent in Europe.

Miss Sadie Gordon, of East Millstone, who has been visiting Plainfield relatives, left the city yesterday for Jersey City where she will visit for a time.

Miss Lizzie Whitlock, of Newark, daughter of former Borough Street Commissioner John V. Whitlock, spent Sunday with friends in the borough.

Mrs. Thomas Murray, of LaGrande avenue, has gone to Poughkeepsie, N. Y., to attend the commencement exercises at Vassar College, where her daughter is now studying.

Miss Jessie Little, of East Ninth street, entertained a few friends at her home, Saturday evening, in honor of her guests, Miss Turton and Clarence Turton, of Brooklyn.

Mrs. Pierre Mali and son, of East Front street, will sail for Antwerp on the steamer, "Friesland," on June 23d. They will be absent in Europe during the months of July and August, during which time they will visit Mr. Mali's parents.

Rev. Mr. Vander Ploug, of Holland, Mich., is visiting his uncle, John Wierenga, of Randolph road. Mr. Vander Ploug returned a few days ago from a convention held at Asbury Park and he will remain in this city for a short time.

On Thursday evening last a brilliant audience was gathered to enjoy the commencement exercises of the New York College of Dentistry. The examinations of this year were more than usually severe, and the eighty-three students who passed breathed much easier when they received the notice of their acceptance. Among those receiving the degree of Doctor of Dental Surgery were two of Plainfield's enterprising young men, Willard B. Force, of LaGrande avenue, and Alfred Perrin.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—The new borough marshals went to New York this afternoon to be measured for their new uniform. Chief Marshal Wilson accompanied them.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Snow fell in Orange yesterday.

—The invitations are now out for the closing dance at the Seminary on June 16th.

—Werner's great fire sale is now on and bargains, cheap and good, there abound. A good suit for small money.

—On Sunday, June 20th, the members of the Mt. Zion A. M. E. church will hold a rally. It will be a most interesting event.

—Unity Lodge, No. 102, Knights of Pythias, will give the members an elaborate entertainment at its meeting in the Babcock building, tomorrow evening.

—The regular meeting of Redeemer Chapter. No. 1,300, of the Brotherhood of St Andrew, will be held on Wednesday evening, June 9th, at 8 o'clock, at 143 Grove street.

—Baker Johnson, of Somerset street, has closed out his business and left Plainfield yesterday for the Adirondack Mountains where he will have charge of a hotel for the season.

—A strawberry and ice-cream festival will be held on the lawn in front of the Warren chapel on Thursday evening, under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of that church.

—Plainfield Lodge, No. 44, I. O. O. F., held a meeting in its rooms in the Babcock building last evening, and witnessed for the first time the drill of its new team for conducting initiatory services.

—At Middletown, N. Y., three boys went bathing a few days ago. Two are dead from colds with complications, and one is at the point of death Up to date the season has been extremely encouraging to the doctors and undertakers.

—Thursday afternoon and evening of this week a strawberry and ice cream festival will be given in the lecture room of Trinity Reformed church under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the carpet fund.

—The application for an appeal in the case of Crane against Hetfield before Justice Collins has been withdrawn. The plaintiff has decided not to carry the case any farther. This is the case for damages which was dismissed by the Justice on the grounds that the plaintiff could not recover because he was breaking the law by riding a bicycle on Sunday.

—The strife between Peter Barclay and John Bergen, whose farms adjoin at Sand Hills, four miles from New Brunswick, is not ended yet. A case of John Bergen against Peter and John Barclay for $500 damages for trespass was argued in the last term of the Middlesex county courts. The jury failed to agree. Now suit has been instituted in the Circuit Court for $500 damages against John Bergen by the Barclays.

—August Wolf, sixteen years old of Elizabeth, wanted to be a "big Injun," and with that idea his home with some Kickapoo medicine men, who put their tepees up on Colt's Hill track, in Paterson, a week ago. Young Wolf's father went yesterday to the Paterson Police Station and said he thought his boy was with the Kickapoos. Detective Lord went to the youngster in one of the tents. He had been posing during the week in paint and feathers as a full-fledged brave.

A Young Life Cut Short.

A large circle of friends and acquaintances will learn with the deepest sorrow of the death of Walter Drake, aged twenty years, which occurred yesterday afternoon from the house of his father, David Drake, Prideville. The deceased had been ill about nine days with pneumonia and yesterday he grew rapidly worse. For several years he had been in the employ of Dr. C. R. Thiers, the dentist, of Grove street, and he was very popular among the young people of Plainfield and North Plainfield. The funeral will be held from Holy Cross church, Thursday afternoon next at 3 o'clock.

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LEGISLATED FOR CITY.

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On a motion offered by Mr. Baker the bills of the three Madison Avenue Commissioners for $85 each, the bill of Seaman Williams for $25 for services on the avenue, and also the bill of F. A. Dunham for $137.25 for services, were ordered paid. These bills are for work done in attempting to secure the opening of Madison avenue, which failed.

Mr. Stebbins offered a motion that 1,000 copies of the building ordinance be printed, as the supply was exhausted. The motion was adopted.

Mr. Runyon reported on the matter concerning the petition of the physicians of the city asking the council to take some steps to prevent cycle riders from carrying children on wheels. Mr. Runyon said that he had consulted with the Corporation Counsel in the matter and was informed that the city has no right to legislate in the matter.

A resolution was offered by Mr. Baker which fixed the salary of Collector Bird for 1897 at $2,000 for all work outside of the special work of collecting the sewer tax, and for the latter work he is to receive $500.

Mr. Frost offered an ordinance accompanied by a map which provides for the widening of Westervelt avenue, as previously reported to the council. The ordinance was adopted on its second reading and was ordered engrossed and duly advertised.

At this time Mr. Frost asked the Council for the necessary power to purchase a watering cart for street purposes. He said that one could be secured for $200 and it was very much needed by the city in the work on the streets. The request brought out a considerable amount of discussion on the part of the members, some of whom thought it would be just as cheap to hire a wagon. Mr. Frost and Mr. Barrows were successful in convincing the remaining members that the wagon was needed and a resolution was adopted to the effect that a suitable watering cart be purchased at a cost not to exceed $200. Mr. Dumont voted in the negative on the question for the reason that he thought the appropriation for street work would not allow such an expenditure.

The vote on the substitute resolution granting the Plainfield Sanitary Company the right to establish their plant was divided. Messrs. Newman, Runyon and Stebbins voted in the negative. It was necessary that the plant should be located in the bonds before they could be accepted and in consequence a resolution to that effect was offiered as a substitute for the one which was defective.

In accordance with a resolution offered by Mr. Barrows the use of the Council rooms is now available for all contested city court cases.

Mr. Frost reported on the petitions from residents along the line of the street railway in which they asked the Council to take some steps toward having the Street Railway Company sprinkle the streets through which the road travels. Mr. Frost stated that he had interviewed both Mr. Riker and Superintendent Adleman. From the former he had been given assurances that the company were willing to do what is right, but Mr. Adleman had informed him that the company could not afford to sprinkle their streets at a cost of about $7 per day, which amount it would cost them.

On a motion of Mr. Barrows the ordinance relating to the opening of Sycamore avenue was adopted on its third reading, after which the Council adjourned to meet in two weeks.

UNION VILLAGE.

Mr. Brush has renovated his residence and it is now one of the finest places in the village.

Among the recent arrivals for the summer are Mr. and Mrs. Solman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hanvill and family from New York and Mr. Lang wife and family from Newark. Overseer of the road Rogers is doing good work putting the roads in fine condition.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mrs. Tingley is somewhat improved from a long and tedious illness.

Miss Minnie Force, of Plainfield, was the guest of friends in town yesterday.

Miss Tunison who has been the guest of friends in town returned home yesterday.

S. Z. Dickson is entertaining Miss Wakeling and Miss Dickson, of St. John's, N. B.

Charles Johnson returned from Albany, N. Y, yesterday where he has been on business.

Wm. G. Holton Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., held a meeting last evening and transacted routine business.

Miss Maude Bolton, of Somerville, returned to her home yesterday after a pleasant visit with relatives in town.

A meeting of the Board of Education will be held this evening when arrangements for the commencement will be made.

Rev. F. E. Peterson, pastor of the New Market Baptist church, returned yesterday from a short trip out of town.

Thomas Todd is assisting Isaac Stites at his blacksmith shop. The former, though not fully recovered, is able to be at his place of business.

The members of the Dunellen Gun Club have joined the State League and they will now be entitled to enter the contests given by that organiza tion. The Dunellen Club numbers about thirty.

Rev. George W. Newton, of New Market, died very suddenly on Sunday at Perth Amboy where he was called on business. While there he was taken with gastric fever and before his wife could reach his bedside he was dead. Mr. Newton has not been well for sometime and his death was not wholly unexpected. He was sixty-one years old and for a long time he followed the nursery business. He was also a local preacher in the Methodist church and at times he occupied various pulpits in the locality in which he lived. H leaves a wife and one daughter. The funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon from the Methodist church at Dunellen.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Mrs, Lillie Nicholl is visiting friends in Rochester, N. Y.

The Scotch Plains public school closes for the summer Wednesday, the 22d.

Miss M. F. Johnson and Miss R. E. Bliss spent Saturday with friends in New York city.

Edward Meyers, of Tremont, N. Y., spent Sunday here as the guest of his uncle, Henry Myers.

Mrs. Myra Heath attended a meeting of the Daughters of Liberty in Plainfield last evening.

The Baptist church will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival in the church parlors tomorrow evening.

Miss Anna D. Cooper, of the New York School of Expression, gave a recital before a large audience in the Scotch Plains School Hall, last evening. Her rendering showed careful and fine ability, and called forth frequent applause. Mrs. Eb. Hart, pianist, and Miss Carrie Dawes, a child soloist, contributed much to the success of the evening's entertainment.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The death of Mrs. Mary Ann Soper, a well known and respected resident of South Plainfield, occurred yesterday after a two years illness with heart trouble and dropsy. The deceased was in her sixtieth year and was a member of the South Plainfield Baptist church. The funeral services will be held from the above church tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. Interment will be in Samptown Cemetery.

William E. MacClymont, of Washinton avenue, attended the musical entertainment at the Young Ladies' Seminary in Mattawan, last evening.

WESTFIELD

WILD DASH OF A TEAM.

JAMES FRENCH'S HORSES CAUSE CONSTERNATION IN WESTFIELD.

The Steeds Became Frightened and Plunging Through Broad Street Threw the Occupants Out—One Man Hurt.

People who happened to be on Broad street at an early hour this morning witnessed a wild plunge of frantic horses through the heart of the town. The animals were attached to a heavy stone wagon, and spread consternation among drivers of vehicles, wheelmen and pedestrians who happened to be in their path. The team belongs to James French, and took fright at 7 o'clock. Mr. French had hold of the reins, but his efforts to curb the horses were useless. Upon the seat with the driver was Thomas Kenney. At the corner of North avenue where the horses turned into Broad street, the swing of the wagon was so great that Kenney was thrown out, striking upon his head. The wheels of the wagon passed over both his legs. French managed to keep his seat for another block, but at the corner of Prospect street, he also was flung out. The horses continued their wild flight along Broad street, causing a panic among wheelmen and others in their scramble to avoid the ponderous wagon which was being swung from curb to curb. In front of the Presbyterian church the animals were captured and brought to a standstill.

Kenney when he fell was picked up by Constable E. W. Chamberlain and taken to his home on North avenue in a carriage. His legs and body were badly brruised and an ugly gash was found upon his head. Dr. Kinch was summoned and gave proper treatment to Kenney's injuries.

Mr. French escaped from his fall more fortunately than his companion. A few slight bruises were the only result, and when the team was captured he was able to walk down the street and take possession of them. The damage to the wagon and harness was slight.

Aubrey Smith has accepted a business position in New York city.

The official board of the Methodist church held a meeting last evening.

Upchurch Lodge, A. O. U. W., meets in the lodge rooms this evening.

F. P. Condit, of Elm street, spent Sunday visiting George T. Crittenden, of Brooklyn.

Miss Eva Wright is ill with measles at the home of her uncle, Dr. Wm. Gale, on Elm street.

Class meeting will be held at 8 o'clock, this evening, in the Methodist church parlors.

Harry Teeter has returned to Westfield after spending a month at his home in Stroudsburg, Pa.

The Westfield Board of Education will hold a meeting in the Prospect street school building, this evening.

Harry Scribner, of Central avenue, has resigned his position with the Hercules Drawn Tubing Company, of Garwood.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church will meet in the church parlors, tomorrow afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will meet in the church parlor, tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Rev. Rufus S. Green, D. D., will preach the baccalaureate sermon to the High School graduating class on Sunday, June 20th.

Rev. J. T. Boylan, of Jersey City, will deliver an illustrated lecture entitled "A Trip to Ireland," in Holy Trinity church, on Friday evening.

Martin Snyder, who was burned out in the recent Elm street fire, has had his loss adjusted satisfactorily by the Niagara Fire Insurance Company.

Two representatives of the New York and Philadelphia Company were in Westfield yesterday, looking up the merits of different routes available for the proposed trolley line through the town.

The funeral services of the late Jacob Reis were held in Brooklyn this afternoon at 2:30. Mr. Reis was a resident of Mountainside and a brother of Mrs. E. Eckel, of this place. He died at Mountainside, of kidney trouble, on Sunday, after a six weeks' illness.

A surprise party was tendered Miss Nellie English at her home on Rahway avenue, last Saturday evening. The time was passed pleasantly in dancing and after the serving of refreshments the party broke up. Guests were present from Brooklyn, Flatbush, Milburn and VanPelt Manor.

WILLOW GROVE.

Miss Pierson, of Westfield, is the guest of Mrs. Wm. Terry.

Miss Tillie Lambert is the guest of friends at Lynbrook, L. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins, of Newark, spent Sunday with Thomas Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Swezy, of New York, have been the guests of Mrs. H. S. Littell.

Wm. Hall has opened a wheelmen's rest at the Grove, and it is appreciated very much by the wheelmen and traveling public.

The seventy-first anniversary of the Willow Grove Sunday-school was celebrated last Sunday afternoon with appropriate exercises. Children in the primary department rendered an interesting programme of recitations, dialogues and music. Under the direction of the women the chapel was prettily decorated with flowers. Addresses were made by Revs. Cadwell, Greaves, Francis and Ketcham, of Westfield, and Rev. Mr. Saulter, of Maplewood. The report of the secretary showed that there are 98 members on the roll, and during the past year eight new members were added. The treasurer's report showed a balance of $57.

BOUND BROOK.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Radel, a party of forty-five of Bound Brook's most influential citizens were given an afternoon and evening of rare enjoyment and profit on Saturday, while inspecting the trolley system of the Brunswick Traction Company. They left Bound Brook in twelve carriages and were driven direct to the Masonic Temple, where they were joined by Aldermen Davis, Housell, Becker, Runyon, Haumesser, Banker, Miller, Kinney and Daly, of the New Brunswick City Council, Supt. Hoffmann, of the water works, ex Chief Grenwald, of the fire department, City Physician Shannon, Street Commissioner Hageman and several others. The party after taking a ride on the trolley cars were conveyed to the Mansion House, where a course dinner was in readiness, through the hospitality of the Traction Company. Speeches were made by Rev. John O. Jones, Counsellor Suydam, Editor Wilson, of the Democrat; Alderman Daly and Messrs. Swayze and Radel.

—Additional local news on the third page.

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Sunday	—9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00. 6.00 p. m.
Leave Scotch Plains.	6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m. 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday	—9.45 a. m., 2.00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

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Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., June 7th, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE

to Widen Westervelt Avenue from the Northwesterly side line of East Front Street to a point 108.66 feet Southeast of Orange Place.

WHEREAS, The Common Council has judged and hereby judges that the public good requires the widening of Westervelt Avenue between the points named in the title of this ordinance, therefore,

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That Westervelt Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, from the northwesterly side line of East Front Street to a point one hundred and eight and 66-100 feet southeast of Orange Place, be widened and laid out so that said Westervelt Avenue shall be of the uniform width of twenty-five feet on each side of the center line thereof, which said center line is described as follows: Beginning at a point in the northwesterly side line of East Front Street, said point being distant three hundred twenty-four and 56-100 feet in a southwesterly direction along said northwesterly side line of East Front Street, from the centre line of Sandford Avenue, as now laid out and opened; and running from said point in a magnetic course of north forty-four degrees and fifty-six minutes west, a distance of three hundred sixty and 3-100 feet to the northwesterly line of property owned by William C. Kelly.

The land to be taken for the widening of said Westervelt Avenue includes that portion of the property of Antoinette De Baud, Mrs. Sarah Bird and William C. Kelly, which lies between the present Southwesterly side line of said Avenue as now laid out and opened and a line parallel with the center line of said Avenue and distant therefrom twenty-five (25) feet in a Southwesterly direction.

The land to be taken and the lines of Westervelt avenue, as the same is hereinabove ordered to be widened, are shown on a map on file with the City Clerk entitled: "Assessment Map for the widening of Westervelt Avenue from East Front Street to a point 108.66 feet Southeast of Orange Place, March, 1897," to which reference is hereby made for greater certainty.

NOTICE!

SECTION 22. If any person leave any horse or team standing untied in any of the streets of this Borough unless the same is in charge of some person competent to take care of the same, he shall be liable upon conviction of the same to be fined any sum not exceeding ten dollars or imprisonment not exceeding ten days in the Borough lockup for each offense.

682 JOHN F. WILSON, Mayor.

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between Harry S. Potter and Frank B. Kellogg, both of the Township of Raritan, County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey, under the firm of Potter & Kellogg, retail coal dealers, doing business in the City of Plainfield, County of Union and State of New Jersey, was dissolved on the seventh day of June, 1897. Harry S. Potter is authorized to settle all debts due to and by the firm.

Dated June 7th, A. D. 1897. 684 oaw-tu

Randolph Runyon,
Funeral Director
and Embalmer,
Residence, Over Office. Office 43 Somerset St., Plainfield, N. J.

DIED.

SOPER—In South Plainfield, Monday, June 7th, 1897, Mrs. Mary Ann Soper, aged 59 years, 2 months and 28 days.

Funeral services Wednesday, June 9th, from the South Plainfield Baptist church at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in Samptown cemetery.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

BOY WANTED to learn printer's trade. Enquire foreman composing room The Daily Press office.

WANTED—White girl for general housework at 601 Washington street.

WANTED—Small farm near Plainfield. Address with full particulars, Farm, care Press. 682

HANDSOME dark bay horse for sale, suitable for light driving, weight 1,000 lbs. Box 261, Plainfield. 683

WANTED—Reliable white girl for general housework, reference required. 908 West Front street. 682

STRAYED—On June 2d, liver and white Pointer Dog, answers to the name of "Alex." Reward. F. C. Phoebus, City. 65 tf

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework, 1014 West Front street. 682

FOR SALE—A bay horse, 16 hands; 6 years old; stylish and good roadster. Warranted sound and perfectly gentle in harness and stable. Guaranteed fearless of all objects. A prize for family use. Apply at Metropolitan Stable, 138 East Second street. 672

BARGAIN—9 room house; three thousand; central location. LaRue, Marsh building. 656

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished, house, No. 92 Duer street. Enquire on premises. 63 tf

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first-class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. 323 tf

WANTED—$2,000 on first mortgage. Address S. C., care Press. 672

LOST—On Saturday evening, lady's black pocketbook containing receipts and $5.35 in money. Reward for return to this office. 672

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THE AMERICAN QUEEN COMPETITION.

A Columbia FREE!!

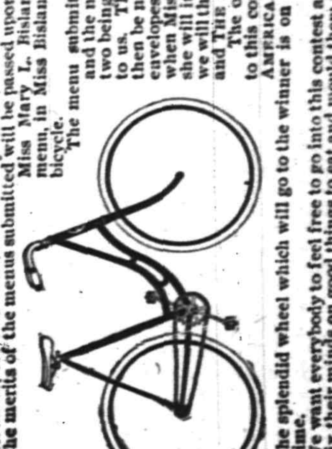
A lady's Columbia Bicycle, 1897 Model, will be given to the winner in THE AMERICAN QUEEN competition, which will be open to all the subscribers to THE AMERICAN QUEEN until June 30, 1897.

The Columbia, the standard bicycle of the world, has been selected for this competition, because the publishers of THE AMERICAN QUEEN are convinced that it is the best and that the woman who wins it would have it in preference to any other make.

The Columbia is now on exhibition at our store and will remain on exhibition until June 30th, when the competition will close and the Columbia will be awarded to the fortunate winner.

The contest which we have just inaugurated, by or through which some subscriber to THE AMERICAN QUEEN is going to win a fine, high-grade $100 Columbia Bicycle, is already well under way. The contest will remain open until June 30, 1897. The conditions and plan of this contest are simply these: We purpose presenting a Columbia Bicycle, 1897 Model, to the lady subscriber who furnishes the *best menu*, for one week, for a family of five, the cost of such menu not to exceed $10 for the week.

The merits of the menus submitted will be passed upon by the Editor of THE AMERICAN QUEEN, Miss Mary L. Bisland, and the person furnishing the best menu, in Miss Bisland's judgment, will be presented with the bicycle.



The menu submitted should be enclosed in one envelope and the name of the sender in a separate one, the two being handed in or sent in together, addressed to us. The envelopes containing the menus will then be numbered and sent to Miss Bisland and the envelopes containing the names reserved by us, and when Miss Bisland makes her choice of the menus she will inform us of the number of the winner and we will then announce the result in local newspapers and THE AMERICAN QUEEN.

The only requirement necessary to admit you to this contest is that you be a subscriber to THE AMERICAN QUEEN.

The splendid wheel which will go to the winner is on exhibition in the store and may be seen at any time.

We want everybody to feel free to go into this contest and we hope that hundreds of our customers will fix their minds on good things to eat and mould them into an acceptable menu for the week, and at the same time keep the cost down to $10.

THE COMPETITION.—Our aim in offering this competition is to have every lady we can reach with this announcement become a reader of THE AMERICAN QUEEN. THE QUEEN is published at $1 a year, but to give all our friends a chance to get this splendidly useful home publication for the ensuing year and at the same time have a chance to become the proud possessor of the standard cycle, we shall until the 30th day of June receive subscriptions (only one, however, will be taken from each family) for the nominal fee of 25 Cents a year. Come to the store at once, register your name, receive your receipt for THE QUEEN for one year and try to win the Columbia.

LADIES' HOSE.

Today we place on sale one hundred dozen ladies' fine hose, high spliced heel and double sole, 14c. pair; regular value 25c.

ALL-LINEN DOYLIES.

On sale today 100 dozen all-linen doylies, 41c. per dozen, well worth 75c.

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One of the best bargains we have ever offered is that Black Etamine Cloth, all wool, 40 inches wide, 25c. the yard; former price 50c.

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DEATH OF A HERMIT.

Lived Alone For Almost Forty Years. Was Formerly a Physician.

Hammonton, N. J., June 8.—A man who lived in Hammonton for almost 40 years without his name or antecedents becoming known to the curious is dead in the little house he erected on the corner of the 20 acres he purchased when he came here. He was a recluse, and two persons only knew his real name. He was W. Potter, and he was formerly a doctor. He attempted raising fruits, but it was never a successful venture, because he was experimenting, and tried to raise about twice as much on an acre as the ground would support.

Some years ago he advertised for a wife, but although he received many answers, none of the women answering suited him. When he first came here, the hermit confided his story to William Frost. Frost died without telling the story.

After the hermit began to fail he made a confidant of L. B. Joslyn. Mr. Joslyn cared for him during his last days and communicated with the dead man's relatives. Mr. Joslyn says the dead man was born in Medina, N. Y., where he has a brother and sister living. He was 72 years old and was the youngest member of a large family. He once had a lucrative practice, but for some reason he dropped medicine. He was said to be a Spiritualist.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At New York—

New York	0	1	0	5	0	0	1	3	*	—10
Chicago	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	1	0	— 6

New York—Hits, 11; errors, 1. Chicago—Hits, 7; errors, 3.

At Brooklyn—

Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	— 1
Louisville	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	— 3

Brooklyn—Hits, 5; errors, 3. Louisville—Hits, 5; errors, 2.

At Boston—

Boston	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	*	— 4
Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	— 0

Boston—Hits, 8; errors, 2. Pittsburg—Hits, 6; errors, 6.

At Baltimore—

Baltimore	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	*	— 4
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	— 2

Baltimore—Hits, 7; errors, 0. St. Louis—Hits, 7; errors, 2.

At Philadelphia—

Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	— 0
Philadelphia	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	*	— 4

Philadelphia—Hits, 8; errors, 1. Cincinnati—Hits, 5; errors, 0.

At Washington—

Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	— 0
Cleveland	0	0	2	0	0	0	3	1	1	— 7

Washington—Hits, 6; errors, 3. Cleveland—Hits, 14; errors, 0.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	25	9	.735
Boston	24	12	.667
Cincinnati	24	13	.648
New York	19	15	.558
Pittsburg	19	16	.543
Cleveland	19	16	.543
Brooklyn	19	18	.513
Philadelphia	20	19	.512
Louisville	17	20	.459
Chicago	14	23	.378
Washington	9	25	.265
St. Louis	8	31	.205

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Baron Dickson, the arctic explorer, died at Stockholm.

Cases of the bubonic plague have been discovered in Jiddah, Arabia.

Turks are reported to be committing excesses in Thessaly and Epirus.

Seven-year-old Willie Wood was charged with burglary in Jersey City.

By the falling of an elevator in the New York postoffice building six persons were hurt, two probably fatally.

Governor Cook of Connecticut has appointed William B. Sprague of Andover commissioner on domestic animals for two years.

Roy Crim, the 4-year-old son of Perry Crim, a farmer living in Cato, N. Y., was instantly killed by the accidental discharge of a shotgun which was being repaired by his older brother, Noah.

Lord Lonsdale's residence, 15 Carlton House terrace, London, has been secured for the occupancy of Whitelaw Reid, special embassador of the United States to the queen's jubilee, during his stay in London.

The cattlemen of western Kansas have offered rewards for the scalps of wolves and coyotes, hundreds of calves and sheep having been killed by these pests. The bounty is $12 for grown wolves, $5 for whelps and $1 for coyote scalps.

An ex-Mayor Sentenced.

Atlanta, June 8.—Former Mayor John Tyler Cooper, who was convicted Saturday of embezzling funds of the county while serving as clerk to the board of commissioners, has been sentenced to three months' imprisonment and fined $500.

Death of a Bank President.

Newburg, N. Y., June 8.—John T. Johnson, president of the Chester National bank, died on Saturday night, aged 82 years. He had been cashier and president of the institution since 1851.

Weather Predictions.

Light showers, with easterly winds.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western quiet, but steadier; city mills patents, $4.70@4.90; winter patents, $4.50@4.85; city mills clears, $4.70@4.80; winter straights, $4.10@4.20.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened steady and advanced on cold weather in the northwest, July, 72 13-16c@73 7-16c.; September, 69¾@69 15-16c.

RYE—Dull; No. 2 western, 36c.

CORN—No. 2 was fairly active and stronger on cold weather news; September, 30 9-16@30 11-16c.

OATS—No. 2 dull and nominal; track, white, state, 25@31½c.; track, white, western, 25@31½c.

PORK—Steady; mess, $8.50@9; family, $9.50@10.50.

LARD—Nominal.

BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 10@14c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Quiet; state, large, 8¼c.; small, 7½c.

EGGS—Quiet; state and Pennsylvania, 11@11½c.; western, 10@10½c.

SUGAR—Firm; fair refining, 2⅞c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅜c.; refined firm; crushed, 5¼c.; powdered, 5c.

TURPENTINE—Steady at 27@27½c.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, 22@28c.

RICE—Quiet; domestic, 4¼@6c.; Japan, 4¼c.

HIS BELIEF.

Public Expression of It By a New Brunswick Citizen.

A man's creed of belief always has a foundation, it's either a matter of faith or personal experience. The belief on one subject at least had many changes in our locality of late and as the question is one of intense public interest we have been investigating a few cases with a view of placing the facts before our readers. Our representative called on Mr. John Gray, who resides at No. 32 Jersey avenue, New Brunswick, a well-known man in his business, which is that of stone mason. Mr. Gray has found his trade quite a load on his back, the heavy lifting being very trying and causing lameness and weakening of the back. For 7 or 8 years he has been troubled from the kidneys; the complaint has kept Mr. Gray off and on a sufferer varying in its severity as it does with thousands. But this change has come at last, and he hails the conqueror of his trouble with the expression of praise: "I believe in Doan's Kidney Pills." This is his belief, and good reason he has for it. We will let him give the particulars in his own words. He says: "For seven or eight years I have had a bad back, so bad that it laid me up for three months. When suffering I could not stoop or lift anything, in fact even when not doing anything it hurt me. Headache, scalding urine, shooting pains that started from the back round the side, were other marked symptoms. One box of Doan's Kidney Pills, that I got at Van Pelt's drug store checked the pain within two days. I kept on using them, and grew better, and although I cannot say I am cured, the help received by one who has suffered so long and so severely, is so welcome that I cannot fully express it." Yes, I believe in Doan's Kidney Pills.

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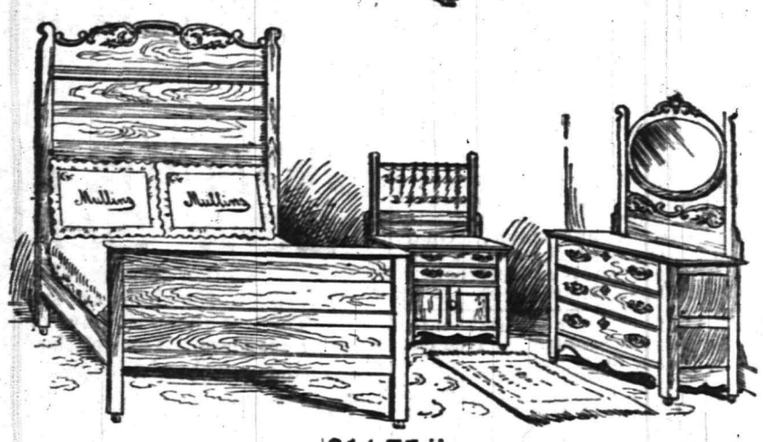

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SO LONG AS HE CAN DIGEST AND ASSIMILATE FOOD.

All physicians admit this. Yet here the difficulty begins. How can we build up the consumptive's body as fast as the disease tears it down? Let us consider.

Cough mixture must be avoided because they frequently contain opiates which arrest the digestion. There only effect on the cough is by stupefying the nerves. Let them alone.

All foods that are hard to digest must be avoided, especially fats and oils. Only those foods that are easily digested and assimilated should be eaten. Foods not thus accepted by nature do no good; they do harm. Not what is merely eaten but what is digested and assimilated gives flesh and strength.

Consumption is starvation, slow or rapid, as may be. The first symptom is not necessarily a cough, but a tendency to lose flesh, to grow thin. Stop this tendency now. Don't wait for obvious lung trouble. That's only a later development—only a minor point.

Stop the wasting and you master the disease,—even though it may have made some slight inroads already. Increase the flesh and the danger is past.

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Pennsylvania's Governor Reads the Legislature a Lecture.

HE STRONGLY ADVISES ECONOMY.

Thinks the General Assembly Could Best Please the Commonwealth by a Speedy Adjournment—Expensive and Questionable Investigations Criticised.

Harrisburg, June 8.—Governor Hastings has sent to the senate without his approval the concurrent resolution requesting him to state what new subjects of taxation he has to recommend to the general assembly to increase the revenues. The executive reminds the legislature that if in its duty it deems it necessary to pass additional revenue laws there is no duty resting upon him to name the subjects of taxation. As it is the fundamental law of the commonwealth that all bills for raising revenue shall originate in the house of representatives it would be contrary not only to the letter, but also to the spirit of the constitution that all bills should originate with the executive.

"I am not aware," Governor Hastings adds, "that in any time in the past the executive has been called upon by the general assembly to take part in legislation, and the resolution under consideration has therefore neither precedent nor authority of law upon which to stand.

"Your honorable bodies were furnished by me more than five months ago with a detailed estimate of the probable revenues during the next two fiscal years and were advised at the same time that appropriations would not be approved in excess of the estimates so made unless additional revenues were provided. During the period that you have been in session but one revenue measure has reached me, commonly known as 'the direct inheritance tax bill.'"

Advises Reduction of Salaries.

The amount that will probably be realized from this measure will be $14,000,000 per annum.

"At this time, when almost all industries are suffering, when trade is stagnant and when willing labor can find no employment, economy in the expenditure of public moneys should control the general assembly in its appropriations and will certainly control the executive in the consideration of all measures. I have steadily withheld my approval from various bills increasing the salaries of public officials, but I would gladly approve any bill that might be lawfully passed decreasing reasonably existing salaries from the highest to the lowest.

"Representing as you do all portions of the state, being familiar with its public institutions, your committees having visited them for the purpose of ascertaining their needs, your honorable bodies will best understand how judicious reductions may be made without working serious injury to any. Whereas, if necessity compels the withholding of executive approval from appropriations in order to keep the treasury solvent, much harm may be done to worthy institutions by withholding all where half would greatly help.

"Our public schools must be sustained, our penal institutions provided for and the unfortunate in mind and body whom we have always with us must receive our sheltering care. There is money for all these if wisely administered.

Two Ways to Meet the Exigencies.

"There are two ways for states as well as individuals to successfully meet such exigencies as the present conditions impose. The first is to increase the income to meet existing outlay. This is practically impossible for state or individual at this time. The other is to reduce expenditures so as to live within the income. This is good housekeeping. Instead of searching through the crippled business interests of the state for new subjects to tax or calling upon me to point them out it will be much easier and more in the line of duty as public servants to exert our energies in finding where the burden of taxation may, in some measure, be lifted from the shoulders of our people.

"Existing conditions should admonish us to exercise the strictest economy in all matters and in every direction. The enormous expense incurred by investigating committees, some of them perhaps of doubtful necessity, and the liberality with which the public funds have been heretofore used in contested election cases, have very probably arrested public attention, and I earnestly urge upon your honorable bodies the curtailment of expenses of this character.

"Your prompt action upon and speedy disposition of the work remaining before you, making an early adjournment possible, will, I am confident, meet with the approval of the people of the commonwealth."

The governor also states in his message that, according to the estimate of the fiscal officers of the state, there will be a deficiency of about $3,620,594.18 on Nov. 30.

Shot His Brother.

St. Louis, June 8.—George Feiferlick, a son of one of the oldest and best known families in St. Louis, fatally injured his brother Joseph, aged 27, in a terrific hand to hand fight in their home, on Allen avenue. The family attribute this sudden outbreak of homicidal mania to hypnotic influence. Young Feiferlick has not been under the hypnotic spell for almost a year, but it is claimed his one experience in this line had a powerful effect upon his mind.

An Election Judge Shoots Himself.

Chicago, June 8.—August Miller, an election judge in the Twenty-eighth precinct of the Twenty-sixth ward, shot and killed himself after having been excused for half an hour on account of illness. Miller had been acting peculiarly all morning and was finally told to go home for a while. Without a word he walked out, went to his room, got a revolver, and, going to the barn, about 100 feet from the house, put a bullet in his brain.

Fraud Order Issued.

Washington, June 8.—The postoffice department has issued a fraud order against Francis Robinson, alias Francis Watson, and Violet Cleveland, alias Violet Gleason, alias Winnie B. Hunter, both of Niagara Falls, who are alleged to have used the mails for a matrimonial scheme.

FIRE! FIRE! FIRE!

The balance of Stock from the Insurance Companies, which has received a Thorough Renovating, has just been received and we will dispose of them at Your Own Figures. The sale will continue until all is disposed of, at the most Sensational Price Reductions Plainfield has witnessed for many years Good Goods for Little Money. We quote a few prices:

Odd Trousers, formerly sold for $2.50, now 95c. Odd Trousers, formerly sold for $3.50, now $1.65. Odd Trousers, formerly sold for $5 and $6, now $2.35. 75 Suits now going at $2.95. 150 Suits in Plaids and Checks at $3.65. 75 Suits in Tweeds and Homespun at $4.85. 150 Suits in Worsteds and Cassimeres at $5.45. 100 Suits in Washington Mills and Livingston at $6.65. 150 Boys' Suits, formerly sold for $8, $10 and $12, at $3.95. 500 Children's Suits, formerly sold for $2.50, $3 and $3.50, at 95c. and $1.15.

P. S.--150 Clay Diagonal Coats and Vests, 22 Ounce Goods, lined throughout with Skinner Satin, known the world over for its wearing qualities, former price $15, now $7.45.

Furnishing Goods and Hats.

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F. L. C. Martin and R. I. Richardson were the guests of friends in Asbury Park, Sunday.

John Barry, John Carty and Peter Galbraith, of this city, enjoyed a spin on their wheels to Newark last Sunday.

Mrs. Henry VanName, of Elmwood place, has received her new Spalding wheel which was purchased from Rogers, the North avenue cycle dealer.

William J. Kiely and a party of friends from Newark enjoyed a century, Sunday, visiting Coney Island, the Hudson county boulevard and Paterson.

William Schaeffer has just received his new Iver-Johnson tandem, on which he expects to do considerable riding this summer. James McLean will be his wheel partner most of the time.

The cyclometers have decided that they have been "worked for a good thing" too long and hereafter their guarantees will be for defect only. It has been the custom of the manufacturers to replace every broken cyclometer with a new one free of charge, but the demand has been so great that they find it impossible to do it, and hereafter their agents are instructed to sell the cyclometers without guarantee against breakage.

William M. McCutchen, of this city, quite distinguished himself Saturday as a member of the Yale University bicycle squad and won the right to wear the famous "Y," the second of Plainfield's sons to secure that coveted honor this year. Wesley Abbott was the other, finishing third in the shot-putting contest in the intercollegiate games. The intercollegiate bicycle races were held at Manhattan Beach last Saturday, and Columbia won everything. Yale only scored three points, two-thirds of which McCutchen made one. He rode in the quarter mile race, finishing third, defeating all the rest of the Yale team, Fearing and Powell, of Columbia, being the only ones that passed him.

GOLF.

The Fisk cup was played for at the links of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club on Saturday morning. The contest was a junior handicap of eighteen holes, medal play. There were twelve contestants entered. The cup was won by Parker Mason. The scores of the contestants were as follows:

	gross	handicap	net
Mason, Parker	114	12	102
Baker, Whitney	121	18	103
Pond, David	124	20	104
Fisk, A. B.	105	0	105
Fisk, C. W.	119	8	105
Schoonmaker, Frank	117	12	105
Reinhart, Frank	114	8	106
Rowland, R. S.	123	16	107
Stockton, Earl	137	24	113
Richards, George	119	0	119
Fisk, Harvey	144	24	120
Kimball, Paul	138	8	130

In Justice Newcorn's Court.

Justice Newcorn has returned to his court duties with renewed vigor after successfully passing his entrance examinations for the New Jersey bar. There were several cases to come up for trial today in his court. The contract case of Suhr against Totten was settled. The contract case of Reed et als against Frey was adjourned for a week. The landlord and tenant case of Martin against Hubbler was tried and judgment rendered for the plaintiff and a dispossess warrant issued. Summons were issued in the contract cases of Roger against Brewer, Woolston against Smith, Hovet against Dickenson, all returnable on June 14th; and the case of Marx against Angleman, in tort, returnable on June 15th.

—Thursday afternoon between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock there will be a full test of the borough fire alarm system under the direction of Chief Bodine. Every box from 142 upwards will be tested at the above time.

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A PERILOUS RIDE.

Little Richard Campbell Guided a Runaway Horse at South Plainfield.

An exciting runaway aroused the residents of South Plainfield for a time, yesterday afternoon. Ellis Campbell drove over from his home at Avon Park, accompanied by his eight-year-old grandson, Richard Campbell, yesterday afternoon, on an errand. He stopped in front of Laine's barber shop and went in, leaving the lad sitting in the buggy alone. A drunken man came reeling up the street and fell in front of the horse, which is a very spirited animal. The frightened equine turned and ran up Front street. The lad had presence of mind to keep the horse in the middle of the road. After several fruitless attemps to stop the runaway, Thomas Brantingham and several others succeeded in bringing the animal to a halt after an exciting run. The only damage done was to the harness, although there were a number of narrow escapes.

Mrs. B. A. Brown and son, of Bristol, Conn., is visiting Mrs. L. J. Denton, of Prospect Hill.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., will celebrate its silver anniversary with appropriate exercises on Friday evening.

—Marshal Graeder found two stray horses on Jackson avenue early this morning and put them in the borough pound awaiting the owner.

—Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M., will hold a special communication tomorrow evening for the purpose of working the Fellow Craft Degree.

—Mrs. L. J. Denton, of Prospect Hill, had charge of the floral decorations at the Timpson-Osborne wedding at New Market yesterday afternoon.

—The new chairs for the West End Hose house arrived yesterday and were used last night for the first. They were a present from the borough Council.

—J. E. Townsend, of Somerset street, sold a handsome cottage monument yesterday to Runyon Walker, of Stelton. The monument will be erected over the grave of the late Mrs. Walker.

A Friendly Critic.

Sir John Millais was once attending a celebrated case at Bow street, and was accommodated with a seat in the press box. In front of him sat a youthful new addition to the staff of a leading London illustrated paper. "Don't you think that would be an improvement?" suggested the great artist mildly, pointing out some technical defect in the sketch the youngster was engaged on. The young fellow was highly indignant at first, but eventually adopted the alteration, which so improved the sketch that he turned round and inquired somewhat patronizingly, "Who may you be, sir, who presume to correct my work?" For answer he received a card, on which was inscribed, "John Millais, R. A.," accompanied by the kindly remark, "We are never to old to learn. Perhaps you may be able to give me a timely wrinkle one of these fine days."

If Champaigne Flowed Like Beer.

"Oh, dear!" sighed Chollie. "I wish champagne was as common as beeah."

"Then you would just float in it?" asked the common person.

"Deah me no! I would not dwink it at all. It goes to my head so."—Indianapolis Journal.

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SET 'EM UP FOR THE BOYS

LANDLORD SMALLEY SUES EX-SENATOR KEYS FOR A CAMPAIGN BILL.

Somerset County People Interested in the Novel Dispute—The Senator Says He Never Ordered Drinks for the Boys.

In the Somerset court, yesterday, there was gathered a crowd of Democratic politicians, attracted by a suit against former Senator Wm. J. Keys. He was elected Senator in the fall of 1890 after an exciting canvass. The convention which nominated him met on Oct. 13th of that year.

Charles W. Smalley, proprietor of the County Hotel, of Somerville, at that time, was the complainant. He said on the witness stand that on the day of the convention he was directed by a man purporting to come from Mr. Keys that he should let those who came to his bar have what they wanted nd Keys would pay the bill. The itemized bill which Smalley presented to the court was as follows: Soft drinks, $6; wine and whiskey, $8; cigars, $4 60; interest for six years, $6.63; total, $25.33.

Counsel for Mr. Keys inquired why there was so much for soft drinks, and Smalley replied because it was a Democratic crowd.

Senator Keys denied on the witness stand that he ever gave an order for the drinks, and said he had paid ante-election bills ever since his election and he was tired of it.

Prosecutor Dungan, counsel for Keys, called the attention of the court to the fact that the first suit had not been brought in Justice Sutphen's court until October 15th, 1896, and that the bill was outlawed under the act of limitations two days previously. The court reserved decision, but this two days will probably relieve the Senator from paying the bill.

Mr. Keys is a member of the Democratic State Committee and has been a leading figure in county politics for a number of years. He thought the bill was unjust.

ASBURY PARK MUSIC TOO GAY.

Ministers Object to Secular Airs at Sunday "Sacred" Concerts on the Beach.

The Sunday evening concerts on "Founder" Bradley's beach pavilion at Asbury Park are meeting with opposition from ministers and church people. The band is employed by the city authorities at an expense of $4,500 for the summer.

At the meeting of the Common Council last night the opposition took the form of a petition, and the Rev. Dr. W. E. Jones, of Philadelphia, who owns a cottage there, said that the better element of the people are opposed to the so-called sacred concerts. Last year, he said, the pastors of all the churches in the city entered a remonstrance against secular airs being played by the band on the Sabbath. "It is a serious matter," he said, "for Asbury Park, and if continued will eventually hurt the city, morally and financially."

"Founder" Bradley, who is a member of the Council, offered a resolution that the Music Committee prepare each Sunday night programmes as shall be appropriate to the Sabbath.

Residential Improvements.

Louis R. Howard, of Sandford avenue, has purchased the large residence on La Grande avenue, near Franklin place, from J. T. Vail, and is now planning to greatly improve the place and take possession of it in the fall. Lancaster & Rogers, the Babcock building architects, have drawn up plans for the alterations which promise to transform the appearance of the place. A potre cochere will be added on the right of the house connecting with a large octagonal piazza, which is to be extended in that direction. The projection over the entrance is to be removed, a bay window placed instead on the second story, and the third story left even The house is to be fitted with new sanitary plumbing and with a handsome tiled bath-room.

Hurt by a Lead Pencil.

Wm. Cadmus, an employe at Woodhull & Martin's dry goods store, is carrying his hand in a bandage, and all because of a slight accident. He, together with some young men were fooling, when accidentally a lead pencil with a sharp point entered that part of the flesh between two of the fingers, inflicting a painful wound. At first Mr. Cadmus paid little attention to the accident, but very soon his hand began to pain him considerably, and he was obliged to have it attended to. He does not, however, apprehend any serious results from the wound, although he is deprived temporarily from the use of his hand.

Children's Day.

Next Sunday will be Children's Day in all the churches except the Episcopal and Roman Catholic. Elaborate programmes are being prepared in several of the churches.

YOUNG WOMEN ASSISTED

AN INNOVATION AT THE TEA GIVEN BY MRS. W. L. PATTON.

The New Idea Found Favor Among the Many Society People Present—The Interior of the House Decorated for the Event.

A delightful tea was held at the home of Mrs. W. L. Patton, of West Fifth street, yesterday afternoon. Although the outer world was bleak and uninviting, the interior of Mrs. Patton's home was quite the contrary. The decorations consisted of pink roses and wild flowers, and were artistically arranged about the rooms with pleasant effect.

The tea was an informal one and something of an innovation, for it was the young ladies who poured tea and assisted the hostess. The new idea found general favor with the guests, for the young ladies filled the role in delightful fashion.

At the tea table, Miss Mary Anderson Reinhart and Miss Ethel Bowen poured tea. Miss Addie Parker Jackson was in charge of the strawberry cup. She was assisted by the Misses Constance Patton, Wilhelmina Patton, Elsa Pfeiffer, Helen Brainard, Sarah Richards, Bessie Bowen, Hattie Goddard, Elsie Goddard, Margaret Goddard, Marjorie Fleming, Dorothy Fleming.

Among those present during the afternoon were Mrs. Alfred Slausson, Mrs. A. D. Shepard, Mrs. John Doull Miller, Mrs. E. W. Conklin, Miss Hellwig, Mrs. F. S. Martin, Miss Martin, Mrs. Frederick Mead, Miss Mead, Mrs. Lawrence Myers, Mrs. Samuel Kimball, Miss Erskine, Miss L. R. Krom, Miss Krom, Miss Lyon, Mrs. Charles S. Case, Mrs. Irving Brown, Mrs. D. T. Van Bureu, Mrs. Edward Morris Van Buren, Mrs. F. H. Andrews, Miss Cook, Miss Dewey, Miss Thorn, Miss Newman, Miss Mary Brown, Mrs. Samuel Clark, Mrs. Groendyke, the Misses Ellis, Miss Newton, Mrs. John Gray Foster, Mrs. Bowman, Mrs. Fleming, Mrs. T. F. Budlong, Mrs. Josiah Browne, Mrs. W. L. C. Glenny, Mrs H. E. Bowen Mrs. Stover, Mrs. Batson, Mrs. J. W. Reinhart, Miss Reinhart, Mrs. Francis Wood, Miss Katherine Wood, Miss Stewart, Mrs. O. T. Waring, Miss Spicer, Mrs. W H. Sterling. Mrs. George D. Patten, Miss Patten, Mrs. Isaac Bushmore, Mrs. W. D. Murray, Mrs. Georgo H. Frost and Mrs. W. R. Richards.

BICYCLE STOLEN.

The Wheel Removed From the Piazza of C. J. Baxter's House.

Two bicycles sat on the piazza of the residhnce of Charles J. Baxter, State Superintendent of Schools, of 930 Putnam avenue, last evening. A debased man entered through the side gate, fell in love with one of the wheels and departed through the same gate with the wheel. This is, in brief, the story of the robbery that occurred in that neighborhood, last evening.

Mr. Baxter lives at the corner of Putnam avenue and Richmond street. His daughters were the recipients of new Crescent wheels this spring. They ride considerably, but yesterday, owing to the dampness of the atmosphere, they did not enjoy their usual spin. The wheels were left on the front piazza. At 9 o'clock, one of the family went out on the pizza on an errand and found that one of the bicycles was missing. It was the one belonging to Miss Adelade Baxter. Her sister's wheel was still there.

The loss of the wheel was immediately reported to the police, but no trace of the bicycle has yet been discovered.

It was a ladies' Crescent, '97 model, No. 278 334. It was enameled maroon, had natural wood trimmings, rims and handle bars, was geared to 70, and equipped with a Messinger saddle

The wheel was found on the Crescent's baseball grounds this morning, minus the handle bars, by Constable Robert Mattox.

Work in Missionary Fields

Rain put a very effective damper on the second of the Missionary Extension lectures, under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Local Union, which was to be held at the First Presbyterian church, last evening. The lecture was held but the audience was a very small one. The speaker of the evening was Rev. J. T. Kerr, of Elizabeth, and his subject was "Giving the Gospel to the World of God's Own Enterprise." He spoke of work in the different missionary fields and said that it was the work pointed out by God and as such, it should be looked after by all. It was not for man, he said, to criticize God's plans but to use them.

Miss Adelaide Runyon and her sister, Miss Alma Runyon, of Arlington avenue, will return the last of this week from a visit with relatives in New York State.

JERSEY'S COMING BATTLE

THE GRIGGS-VOORHEES BREACH TOO WIDE TO BE HEALED.

Kean's Boom Looming Up—Troubles Ahead for the Republicans Who Hope to Keep the Democrrts at Odds on Money Question

"Few men among the rank and file of the Republicans know just how far apart Governor Griggs and Senator Voorhees have fallen," said one of South Jersey's leaders, who was at Trenton the other day. "I tell you the breach is so wide that there is no prospect of its being cemented and in the next eighteen months you'll see the liveliest fight in our party you've seen in many a day. Voorhees will stake his all in the battle, for he has much to gain and little to lose. Should he win he will be at the pinnacle of his political career, for then he will be the most formidable candidate for Governor. If he loses he can still remain a power in the Senate, where he has yet two years to serve. He is strong at home, and has a large following among the rank and file, although few of the leaders are with him. Governor Griggs assumed a grave responsibility—viewing the situation in the light of his ambition to succeed United Senator Smith—when he arrayed Voorhees and Voorhees' friends in opposition. It was neither diplomatic nor polite, and I am surprised that it ever came about, for the Governor has always been given wide credit for the keenest sagacity.

"There is a heap of trouble ahead for us," continued the South Jerseyman, "and for the life of me I can't see how it is going to be healed. The wires are now being pulled for United States Senator and for Governor, and we confidently expect to land both. but we've got to do a tall heap of harmonizing At this day John Kean has all the best of it for Senator down our way It was South Jersey that stood by him in 1895, when he came so near being nominated for Governor. Had his own county of Union stood by him as well he would have captured the convention on the first ballot. It was Senator Voorhees who then made it possible for Griggs to run by dividing up the Union delegation. He held more than a third of the vote from his county, and beside the figure it cut in the ballot it had conspicuous influence upon the delegates from other counties, for when a man goes into a convention without solid backing from his own home his chances of victory are slender, indeed. Now, Voorhees is still popular in Union county, and exerts a very wide influence. He will undoubtedly bring all his strength to bear upon the campaign for Senator, and it is safe to say that that strength will not be exerted in behalf of those Assembly candidates who favor Governor Griggs. Voorhees makes no effort to conceal the true condition of affairs between himself and the Governor, and it's the greatest pity in the world for two such good men to be at swords' points.

HIS VISITOR WAS DEAD.

Farmer Tallman Will Probably Not Survive the Shock.

William Tunis, a real estate and insurance broker, of Somerville, 60 years old, died suddenly of heart disease on the farm of Samuel P. Tallman, near Flaggtown, Saturday afternoon. Mr. Tallman was so severely shocked by the death of Mr. Tunis that his death is momentarily expected.

Several weeks ago Farmer Tallman, who is over 70 years old, was severely injured by the accidental discharge of a shotgun which nearly blowed his both hands to pieces. Mr. Tallman acted with remarkable coolness and was driven nearly twelve miles after the accident to the nearest surgeon where he underwent an operation.

Mr. Tallman was seated on the piazza of his home Saturday afternoon suffering with nervous prostration. At which time Dr. William J. Swinton, of Somerville, who is attending him was at his side when a light wagon containing Mr. Tunis and his driver stopped in front of the house.

Mr. Tunis was in a reclining position, and his head hung helplessly to one side. The driver hastily alighted and said that when Mr. Tunis got out of the carriage to look over the farm he fell and fainted. The driver placed him in the carriage again and drove him to the house. Dr. Swinton examined Mr. Tunis and pronounced him dead. As the body was carried into the house Farmer Tallman collapsed, and his physicians say that he is dying.

St. Mary's Commencement.

The children of St. Mary's parochial school are now preparing for the commencement exercises, which are to be held during the latter part of this month in the school hall. Last year's exercises were very successful, but those this year promise to be even better.

PALMISTRY AS AN ART.

THE READING OF CHARACTER AT THE FORTHCOMING FETE.

While the Reading of Lines in the Hand is Not a Science, it is Claimed as an Accomplishment in Studying Human Nature.

By force of association and tradition the beautiful art of Palmistry is commonly enough thought of and spoken of as something akin to fortune telling and clairvoyancy; and the palmist is classed with the Wizard and the Gypsy. Wherefore it is that some good people who would not find fault with it as a pastime, a game for the home-circle deceiving neither the teller nor seeker of fortunes, do wildly question the propriety of any public recognition of Palmistry.

Now, in point of fact, there will be no "fortune-telling" at the Fete, nor has it, at any time been proposed in the management, and all references thereto in these columns, whether of news or advertising, have been based on an innocent misconception, and serve to illustrate the force of association above named.

On the other hand Palmistry will be a feature, a charming feature of the Fete. The real scope and character of the art will be demonstrated by an expert, a lady pupil of the most illustrious teacher of modern chiromancy. But it should be clearly understood that it has nothing in common with fortune-telling, with any pretence at reading the future. There is in it nothing mysterious or supernatural

Palmistry is an art in the same sense as is physiognomy or phrenology, differing as they do, from physiology—and exact science. It is, nevertheless, a legitimate subject of study, not without influence upon human reason, even upon human affairs. In forming our judgments of our fellow-men we are guiding however unconsciously by the rules of art and science; and the trained Palmist is also a physiologist, a phrenologist, a physiognomist; in fine, a student of human nature, a reader of character; not a "Prophet or son of a Prophet." You may be startled to hear from a stranger, gazing intently at your outstretched palm, that the course of your life has been thus and so; that your likes and dislikes, your tastes and sympathies are such and such; or that given certain conditions, you are likely to act in this way or that; for you know in your heart it is all substantially true and correct. But it is quite unnecessary to attribute the reading of your life-story to any magical love. and you will quickly note that there is no pretence at pointing out the shadows of coming events.

We repeat, then, our assertion that modern Palmistry—while it neither holds nor asks a place with the sciences—may well be classed as a charming art, a worthy and legitimate branch of the study of human-nature. And we would, with confidence, add that it will be presented in the most interesting and becoming manner at the forthcoming Fete.

OPENING OF WALLACE HOUSE.

Historical Exercises to be Held in Somerville June 17th.

The formal opening of the historical Wallace House at Somerville will be celebrated on Thursday, June 17th, at 3 p. m. by the Revolutionary Memorial Society of this State. The literary exercises will consist of an invocation to the Almighty by Rev. Mr. Wright, then a flag will be presented by a representative of Jr. O. U. A. M. and received by the president of the Society, Richard F. Stevens. After which Rev. Dr. George S. Mott will deliver an address upon the history of the American flag, followed by an original poem to be delivered by Rev. Lyman Whitney Allen, D. D. Then the exercises will close with an address on the history of the Wallace House and vicinity Interspersed between these, patriotic songs will be sung and the band will discourse national airs.

After the literary exercises the ladies of Somerville will provide a collation.

In case of stormy weather the exercises will be held in some suitable hall.

Borough Fire Alarm Test.

Boroughites need not be alarmed tomorrow afternoon at about 3 o'clock if they hear the borough fire alarm ring. It will not be a call to the citizens to turn out and help extinguish the flames that might be rapidly eating up the place, but merely a test of the alarm system. Firemen, therefore, need not respond to that call.

Price of the Building.

According to the lease which the Plainfield Board of Education has of the old Seventh Day church edifice, the Board has the privilege of buying the building, at any time during the four years for which the lease extends, for $7,000.

NEW BULLY IN TROUBLE.

"CACK" CARTER HAILED BEFORE HIS HONOR, CADI DEMEZA.

"Cack" Insisted on Having a Friend Stay at His House, and When the Stepfather Objected There Was a Hot Time There.

Although the general public thought that Walter Carter, better known as "Cack," just grew like the famous "Topsy" of Uncle Tom's Cabin, it appears that "Cack" possesses a mother and a stepfather, but the relations between these individuals and "Cack" have been growing rather strained of late.

Before "Cack," who is well-known in town as an expert crap shooter, paid his famous visit to New Brunswick and hid himself in the New Brunswickian darkness to escape the mob of dusky avengers, the trouble began.

Carter has been going to Somerville for some time and fascinated one of the dusky belles of that town. His remarkable walk quite captivated her and she came to Plainfield to see him about three weeks ago. Solomon Lewis is a respectable colored man living on Battle row, who, some ago, married Mrs. Carter, the mother of the famous "Cack," and is the one with whom the trouble has been. Carter took his friend to call at the home of his stepfather and Mr. Lewis objected. Carter invited his guest to make herself at home and words between the two men followed. Carter, it is said, threatened the grey head of his stepfather with trouble.

Lewis informed the police of the incident and was instructed to have 'Cack" locked up if he should grow troublesome in the future.

The neighbors have it that the stepfather began to make significant remarks about New Brunswick and the waiters' ball to "Cack" and that they aroused his ire. At any rate, there was trouble and Lewis says that his naughty stepson had the audacity to punch him in the jaw and sundry other places, besides threatning to eat him up and "do" him in true African fashion.

Patrolman Higgins was called in and arrested Carter. This morning, he was arraigned before City Judge DeMeza on the charge of being disorderly. "Cack" said that he wasn't and that his stepfather was to blame for all the trouble. His Somerville friend, he explained, had the permission of her mother to come and see him and that Lewis had nothing to do with the case. The Judge set the trial down for Saturday morning at the station house and held Carter under $100 bail for his appearance at that time.

A STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL

Profitable and Sociable Affair Given by a Hope Chapel Society.

The elements without had no material effect on the strawberry and ice cream festival held last evening at Hope Chapel under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society, and a large crowd was present to enjoy the good things provided by the committees in charge. The forepart of the evening was devoted to an entertainment and that everyone was thoroughly pleased cannot be denied. The programme opened with a piano solo by Miss Gray, and was followed with several vocal solos by William N. Runyon. He captured his audience by storm and it required a number of selections to satisfy them This was the case with Miss Addie Parker Jackson who gave some of her best recitations. She found it quite difficult to satisfy the demand of her audience which was well sharpened. Mr Guest rendered a cornet solo and he was obliged to respond to an encore, as was also Miss Harris who sang a pleasing selection. Each one of the above persons were called several times so thoroughly did the audience enjoy their efforts.

Rev G. Kennedy Newell, the pastor, was the master of ceremonies and he announced the various numbers. At the conclusion he invited all to remain and assist the women of the chapel by purchasing freely of the ice cream, cake and strawberries which had been provided. The audience followed the above advice and thus the treasury of the society was enriched considerably.

Mrs. S. R. Struthers was the chairman of the affair, and the refreshment committee consisted of Mrs. Sweeney, Mrs. Mundy, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Montgomery, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Higgins had charge of the cake, while Mrs. McComas and Mrs. Sheppard received the money and tickets at the door.

Water Company Superintendent.

Thomas Dowd, of Plainfield, has been appointed superintendent of the Union Water Company for the small towns between Elizabeth and this city, in place of Bert Kline, who has resigned to take charge of the Aldene Villa.

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DISPUTE OVER FIRE WOOD

FANWOOD FARMERS CARRY THEIR QUARREL TO THE COURTS.

The Case of Amza Hetfield Against Leo Scherer on the Charge of Stealing Wood is the Culmination of an Old Disagreement.

The culmination of a long standing disagreement between two farmers of Fanwood township was reached yesterday when Amza Hetfield of that place caused the arrest of his neighbor Leo Scherer on the criminal charge of stealing wood for fuel from Hetfield's woodland.

The two men occupy farms about one mile from the Fanwood station in the direction of Rahway. Hetfield is the owner of about eighty acres, fifteen of which are woodland. Sherer's farm is on Terrill road and adjoins the land of Hetfield. The two men have not been on the best of terms for a year past; and when last winter Hetfield was informed by friends that his neighbor was poaching upon his wood reserves, he decided to keep a lookout and find out the facts for himself.

On February 10th last it is alleged by Hetfield that he discovered Scherer and his son upon his land cutting and carrying away fire wood. When Hetfield accosted Scherer, some hot words passed between the men, the latter claiming that he was upon land leased by him and had a right to the wood.

Shortly afterward Hetfield brought a civil action for damages against Scherer, before Justice Clark, of Scotch Plains, and was awarded a verdict of $100. The case was appealed to the county court, and Judge McCormick yesterday reversed the decision of Justice Clark on a technicality, and non-suited Hetfield. The criminal charge was made against Scherer as soon as the decision of the county court became known to Hetfield.

Scherer was arrested last evening, and, failing to give bonds, was committed by Justice Mosher to the city jail until 11 o'clock this morning, when he was released by the Justice under $200 bond to appear at 4 o'clock this afternoon for examination.

PRESENTED A WORK BASKET.

Miss Pessinger Given a Pleasant Surprise by Associate Workers.

When the Warren chapel sewing-school closed for the season, the superintendent, Miss Pessinger, presented each of the teachers with a suitable present and, in return for this expression of kindness, the teachers gave their superintendent a surprise. They met at the home of Mrs. William Wilson, on Somerset street, yesterday afternoon and went to the home of Miss Pessinger, on Summit avenue, in a body. The object of their visit was to present her with a handsome work basket. Miss Pessinger appreciated the gift and thanked her donors. The assistant superintendent, Mrs. Snyder, was also presented with a work basket, but owing to the fact that she is confined to the house by illness, was unable to be present. Following the presentation the guests were served with refreshments and the balance of the afternoon was passed in a social manner.

AN EARLY PLAINFIELD GARDEN.

Horticulture Receives Careful Attention on the Part of Walter Scott.

Probably the earliest dinner of home grown new potatoes and green peas which has been served of recent years, was enjoyed at the residence of Walter Scott, on Front street, Sunday last.

The potatoes were of good size and the peas of excellent flavor. The early maturity of these vegetables is considered a great rarity hereabouts, and is more remarkable considering the general cool weather.

Mr. Scott's garden is quite an extensive affair, fronting on East Second street, and presents an attractive appearance the entire season, especially when the flowers are in bloom in great variety. The garden is under the personal supervision of Martin Whalen, whose careful study of horticultural peculiarities undoubtedly accounts for its phenomenal early products.

Convention of Letter Carriers.

New Jersey State Letter Carriers' Association will hold its annual convention in Arcanum Hall, Bayonne, on July 3d. Frederick J. Schmidt, president of the organization, has arranged to have the local letter carriers entertain the delegates. Officers are to be elected and a delegate chosen to the national convention, to be held in California.

Mrs. Snyder, of the borough, is confined to her home by illness.

Mrs. Harry Green and daughter, of Manning avenue, have returned from a visit with relatives at Newburgh-on-the-Hudson.

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS

Do Not Seem to Be Making Satisfactory Progress.

GREAT UNEASINESS FELT IN ATHENS.

The Powers Said to Be Trying to Induce Turkey to Sign General Peace Conditions — Leaving the Details to the Two Contending Nations.

London, June 9.—The peace negotiations do not seem to make much progress, and there has been considerable disquietude in Athens, caused by the apparently reliable statement that the negotiations were in danger of collapsing altogether. The ministers who were questioned on the subject, however, had no definite news of an official character and expressed the opinion that the report was without foundation.

It is said on good authority that the powers are now trying to induce Turkey to sign general peace conditions defining the broad limits within which Turkey and Greece should afterward settle details by direct negotiations.

This news is regarded at Athens with dismay, as a breach of faith on the part of the powers and as leaving Greece to the slender mercies of the sultan. It is believed by many good judges at Athens that Greece may yet have to fight for her very existence. Already there are reports that the Turks have advanced in the Agrapha district and occupied several villages and are still advancing toward the town of Agrapha. Greece has protested to the powers against this violation of the armistice, and Colonel Tosamados, the minister of war, has gone to Lamia.

Premier Ralli, who has conveyed the thanks of the government to the Greeks of New York city for five cannons, says: "The government does not forget that armistice is not peace and that it is its duty to be prepared for every eventuality."

The Greek newspapers all publish the statement by General Miles that the positions at Thermopylæ are impregnable.

Advices from Constantinople are equally pessimistic. It is alleged that Tewfik Pasha at Saturday's meeting of the council of ministers announced that the shiek ul Islam had issued a fetva declaring that territory once acquired by the sacrifice of Ottoman blood cannot, under the Ottoman law, be surrendered.

If this be true, it will require a good deal of persuasion to induce the sultan to retire from Thessaly. In addition to this report comes the rumor that Bulgaria has made an informal demand that Macedonia, with the exception of the province of Adrianople, shall be formed into an autonomous administration.

Alleged Turkish Outrages.

Constantinople, June 9.—On Monday last it was officially announced at Athens that the Turks in Epirus were guilty of abusing women, defiling churches and engaging in general pillage, and it was further announced that the Turkish irregulars had committed similar excesses in the villages around Larissa. The Turkish government has issued an official and categorical denial of the statements on this subject made officially at the Greek capital.

The Powers Make Little Progress.

London, June 9.—A dispatch to The Times from its Constantinople correspondent says that the powers, to whom Greece has intrusted her interests, show no sign of yielding either of the three points in the Turkish demand—the annexation of Thessaly, the abolition of the capitulations in the case of Greek subjects in the Ottoman empire and an exorbitant indemnity.

To Determine the Amount of Indemnity.

Paris, June 9.—The Temps publishes a dispatch from Constantinople saying that the report of the representatives of the British, Russian and Italian embassadors who are going to Thessaly is intended to serve as a basis upon which to determine the amount of indemnity which Greece will have to pay Turkey as a result of the recent war between those two countries.

Stormy Sessions In Constantinople.

London, June 9.—A dispatch to The Daily Chronicle from Constantinople says it is rumored that stormy scenes have taken place during the sessions of the peace conference and that German obstruction has provoked lively indignation among a majority of the embassadors.

Assessments Against Corporations.

Trenton, June 9.—The state board of assessors have filed with the state comptroller the first batch of assessments against miscellaneous corporations. There are 2,475 companies in the list, against which there is a total tax of $699,697.30. Another list will be filed later on. The total number of companies assessed last year was 4,593. The number this year will probably reach 4,800. The two companies paying the biggest tax are the Prudential Insurance, which pays a tax of $81,409.49, and the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance company, $67,151.70.

Killed by a Jealous Woman.

Huntington, W. Va., June 9.—Florence Williams killed her lover in McDowell county after a heated quarrel and escaped. Both are members of prominent families. There is much excitement over the matter. The man was killed in a fit of jealousy and was at the time preparing to take up a large tract of timber land to make ties for the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railroad.

Bank President Accepts Responsibility.

Dover, Del., June 9.—President Harry A. Richardson of the First National bank, whose teller a short time ago disappeared with part of the bank's funds, has entered into an arrangement with the bank's directors by which he accepts all responsibility for the losses sustained by the bank by Teller Boggs' defalcation.

Cold Weather In New York.

Middletown, N. Y., June 9.—The weather has been more cold and disagreeable than heretofore known in June, which has kept New York's early visitors to their country homes clustered about great wood fires.

TARIFF ON COTTON.

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The Republicans In Caucus Instruct the Finance Committee to Alter the Proposed Duties In the Sugar Schedule—Imports to Be Specific.

Washington, June 9.—By the decisive vote of 42 to 19 the senate has adopted an amendment to the tariff bill placing raw cotton, the great product of the south, on the dutiable list at 20 per cent ad valorem. It is the first time in the history of tariff legislation that a duty on cotton has been incorporated in a bill. The amendment was proposed by Mr. Bacon (Dem.) of Georgia on his individual responsibility and without the approval of the finance committee, which thus far has been requisite to the success of every amendment except a minor one, which went through by default.

The amendment led to a spirited debate, Democratic senators disclosing a wide difference of views and at times exchanging sharp personal criticisms. On the final vote six Democrats—Bacon and Clay of Georgia, McEnery of Louisiana, McLaurin and Tillman of South Carolina and Rawlins of Utah—voted with the Republicans for the Bacon amendment, while the negative vote was solidly Democratic with one exception—Kyle (Pop.).

The debate on cotton took up the most of the day, and but little progress was made on the bill. Early in the day the sugar schedule was passed over and the agricultural schedule taken up. Less than two pages were disposed of during the day. The paragraph on cattle went over, but the balance of the agricultural schedule up to and including paragraph 228 was agreed to as reported, all amendments except that of Mr. Bacon's being rejected.

In executive session the following nominations were confirmed: John K. Thompson to be marshal for the district of West Virginia, Ellis H. Roberts of New York to be treasurer of the United States, Conrad N. Jordan of New York to be assistant treasurer of the United States at New York city, Henry H. Morgan of Louisiana to be consul at Horgen, Switzerland; Carl Bailey Hurst of the District of Columbia to be consul general at Vienna and L. A. Pradt of Wisconsin to be assistant attorney general.

The Sugar Tax Agreed Upon.

Washington, June 9.—The caucus of Republican senators by a nearly unanimous vote decided to accept the sugar schedule in the house bill, with an amendment making the differential in favor of refined sugar one-fifth of a cent a pound. It was also decided to make the rate 10 per cent less on sugars testing below 87 degrees.

The senators present, on motion of Mr. Quay, pledged themselves by a roll call to stand by the sugar schedule and also to stand by every amendment proposed by the finance committee.

It was agreed that this was the only means by which the tariff bill could be brought to a vote promptly. There are conflicting views on many schedules but all are to be reconciled, amicably if possible and by caucus if necessary. The next formal caucus will probably be over the tobacco schedule, which Senator Pritchard of North Carolina wants changed for the benefit of the tobacco growing states.

Revival of Cuban Question.

Washington, June 9.—There is a revival of Cuban talk about the senate on account of the return of Mr. Calhoun. The Republican senators, some of them members of the foreign relations committee, say there is no doubt that the president will take action as soon as Mr. Calhoun's report is received. No definite information was given concerning the attitude of the president, but the impression of the senators, from such reports as they had heard, was that there would be a change from the present negative policy and the adoption of a definite line of action, with a view to endeavoring to secure a settlement of the present unfortunate state of affairs in Cuba.

The Spanish Minister Denies a Report.

Washington, June 9.—Senor Dupuy de Lome, the Spanish minister here, characterizes as absurd reports that he has advised his government to withdraw Captain General Weyler from his command in Cuba. The minister pointed out that it would not be within his province to advise his government as to the lines of its policy concerning any country outside of the United States, to which he is accredited. If the government of the United States had any suggestions to make as to the conduct of affairs in Cuba, it would, if it followed the usual customs of diplomatic exchanges, make its representations to the Spanish government through the United States minister at Madrid, Mr. Taylor.

Senator Jones' Denials.

Washington, June 9.—Senator Jones of Arkansas, chairman of the Democratic national committee, was asked as to the truth of the report that a fund of $100,000 was being raised in Colorado and western states for the continuation of the agitation in behalf of the free coinage of silver. He replied: "I have not received a cent of money from Colorado since the election, and if any such sum as is mentioned is being raised in the interest of silver I don't know it. I should like to be assured of its truth." Mr. Jones also referred to the report that Senator Teller is in Colorado in this interest, declaring that it was absolutely without foundation.

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Chicago, June 9.—Thirty-two states were represented at the first meeting of the provisional committee of the National Silver Republican party, which met in executive session at the Leland hotel. Besides the committeemen of the various states represented over 100 silver Republicans were present from all parts of the country. The states represented were Alabama, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Jersey, New York, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, Utah, Washington, Wisconsin, Wyoming and West Virginia.

The meeting was called to order by ex-Congressman Charles A. Towne of Minnesota, chairman of the provisional committee, who delivered the opening address, in the course of which he said:

"Our motives are these: We desire above all things else of immediate political concern the speedy re-establishment in the United States of true bimetallism, the same privilege of free coinage at the mint for both gold and silver and absolute equality between them in all money power, when coined, with the option to every payer, whether the government or an individual, to choose what coin shall be the basis of payment in every instance. We wish to do all in our power to advance this happy consummation, and we realize that if this great cause is to succeed in the elections of 1898 and 1900 it can do so only through the addition to the allied armies of 6,000,000 that followed the banner of the joint standard in 1896 of at least some hundreds of thousands of Republicans of that contest."

In conclusion, he said the immediate business in hand was the determination of the time and place for holding a national convention, the membership of which could make an authoritative declaration of principles, and the discussion and adoption of a plan of general organization in the states and territories would follow.

Committees on order of business and plan of organization were then named, of which latter ex-Senator Dubois of Idaho was made chairman.

A resolution was passed admitting to the meeting the visiting silver Republicans who were not members of the provisional committee and giving them all privileges except that of voting.

Plan of Organization.

The committee on plan of organization presented the following report:

Whereas, It is not the province of this committee to anticipate the action of the national convention in the formation of a platform and declaration of principles; but,

Whereas, In order to preclude any basis for either misunderstanding or misrepresentation as to the object of this organization, it is prudent to make known the controlling principles of its existence, therefore,

Resolved, That the Silver Republican party of the United States favors the immediate establishment of bimetallism by the independent action of the United States through the free coinage of both silver and gold at the ratio of 16 to 1 and the clothing of both metals equally with every attribute of full money, with the right of every debtor to choose which coin shall be the basis of payment; and,

Resolved, That the achievement of this great object is deemed by us of paramount political importance and shall form the controlling motive of our political action until it is accomplished.

Your committee on plans and organization for the Silver Republican party of the United States begs leave to submit this, our report:

First.—We recommend the appointment of a national executive committee of seven members, including the national chairman, to be apointed by the chairman of the national committee.

Second.—That this committee be empowered to take such action as may be necessary in order to fill any vacancies which may exist at any time in the national committee.

Third.—The executive committee, with the advice and consent of the national committee, is authorized to call a national convention of the Silver Republican party to meet at such time and place as they may designate and to perfect the necessary details therefor.

Fourth.—In those states where organizations are not complete the members of the national committee for such states shall take such steps under the direction of the national executive committee as are necessary to complete such organization.

Sues the State For Damages.

Albany, June 9.—A claim for $15,000 against the state has been filed by Fred Zieman and Augusta Zieman of Rome as administrators of the estate of Frederick Zieman. The claim is for damages for the death of the last named, which was caused while he was at work for the state near Oriskany, Oneida county, on May 22, in lifting a sunken canalboat, when the machinery being used broke, causing a lever to crush the skull of the deceased. The claimants allege that the machinery was defective through negligence on the part of the officers of the state

THE ROBINSON CASE.

Decision Rendered by the Referee In the Proceedings.

IT IS IN FAVOR OF THE PLAINTIFF.

The Defendant Has Been Indicted For Embezzlement and the Company Had Advertised the Sale of Securities Pledged by Him.

Elmira, N. Y., June 9.—Judge John F. Parkhurst of Bath has handed down a very important decision as referee in the five actions brought by the Mutual Life Insurance company of New York against David C. Robinson and Emma A. Robinson of this city and others to foreclosure mortgages aggregating nearly $500,000. The defendants had put in counter claims to the mortgage of over $1,000,000, so that the total amount involved was about $1,500,000. In each of the five actions Referee Parkhurst dismissed the counter claims of the defendants upon the merits and awarded judgments of foreclosure.

The following are the amounts of the judgments in each of the five actions:

Action No. 1, $170,825.68; No. 2, $71,532.91; No. 3, $34,003.13; No. 4, $120,657.77; No. 5, $41,074.10.

The total judgments in the five actions aggregate $438,093.59.

Hearings have been in progress in this city and New York for the past three months. A few days ago Colonel Robinson was indicted by a grand jury in New York for alleged embezzlement of the money of the insurance company in August, 1892, and about the same time the company advertised for sale securities of Colonel Robinson which he had pledged to secure loans exceeding $1,000,000 in value. The sale was advertised to take place yesterday in New York, but Colonel Robinson obtained a temporary stay from County Judge Pratt of this city ordering the matter to be argued before the special term in this city as to whether the stay should be extended. After hearing the argument Justice Lyon refused to grant the stay. The matter will be appealed.

Labor Riot In Illinois.

Pontiac, Ills., June 9.—A serious labor riot has occurred at Mononk. The coal miners there have been on strike since May 1. During the last week a few men have been working against the wishes of the majority. While Superintendent A. W. Morgan and one of the bosses, Joseph Erbeland, were escorting one of the men to work a crowd of miners interfered. A fight ensued, and Morgan and Erbeland commenced to shoot, killing instantly a young married miner named John Weloski and wounding another. This so enraged the miners that they attacked Morgan and Erbeland with clubs and stones and beat them badly. Morgan may not live. The town is excited, and there is no telling where the trouble may end.

Do Not Believe the Confession.

Chester, Pa., June 9.—The grand jury has ignored the bill against James Marshall, the self accused murderer of C. A. Danne, or Hanne, of St. Louis, whose body was found along Cobb's creek, near the Philadelphia city line on the morning of Feb. 7, 1893. Marshall was taken back to Governor's island, he having been brought here immediately after confessing to a cellmate that he had murdered Danne. The authorities believe that Marshall concocted the story in order to be released from confinement at Governor's island.

Big Mortgage Filed.

Buffalo, June 9.—The $50,000,000 mortgage given by the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway company to the United States Trust company of New York and John T. Dye of Indianapolis as trustees has been filed with the county clerk. It is given as a part of the refunding scheme of the Lake Shore road, which is to pay off its outstanding obligations and bonds, amounting in all to $43,192,000. It is dated June 1 and runs 100 years. It contains a gold clause and bears 3½ per cent interest.

Killed In a Scuffle.

Newburg, N. Y., June 9.—James Mannix, aged 28 years, was taken to Matteawan hospital, suffering from a fractured skull. He died yesterday morning. Mannix had been engaged in a scuffle with some drunken bricklayers and fell, or was pushed down a bank near the Methodist cemetery at Fishkill Landing. The bricklayers left him lying in the road. He was taken later to the hospital. The coroner is investigating.

Tax on Unnaturalized Males.

Harrisburg, June 9.—The senate has passed the bill, which has already been passed by the house, taxing each unnaturalized adult male employed in the state 2 cents a day. The house bill providing for the payment of interest by banks on state deposits was amended to increase the interest rate from 1 per cent to 1½ per cent on active de-

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Showers This Afternoon and Tonight; Thursday Fair; Warmer Thursday Evening.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 58 Degrees.

GROWING PLAINFIELD.

If the word of contractors and builders in other sections of New Jersey can be relied upon, Plainfield is growing faster than any other city in the State. On good authority the Press learns that today there is more building going on in this city than in Newark, a city fifteen times as large. So far as the comparative amount of building in such towns as Elizabeth, New Brunswick and Rahway goes, Plainfield is doing a good deal more than all three combined. There is every reason to believe that in another decade Plainfield—that is, city and borough together—will crowd the 30,000 population mark.

A REDUCTION IN REALITY.

Regarding the apparent increase in the salary of Tax Collector Bird, if the News had taken the pains to investigate as to what had been paid in the past its editor would have seen that the change in the salary is really a reduction from that of former years. Last year Mr. Bird received $1,500 as City Tax Collector and $1,103.99 as Delinquent Tax Collector, making a total of $2,603.99. This, it is very easy to see, is considerable more than he will receive under the new salary arrangement which gives him the stipulated amount of $2,000 in lieu of all fees. The $500 for collecting sewer assessments will be used principally by the Collector in paying for the extra clerk hire that the collections will entail.

Demented Woman Fled.

The police of Rahway are searching today for Mrs. Younger, an alleged demented woman, of fifty-five years. The Overseer of the Poor at Rahway and Woodbridge, together with the Freeholder committee of Middlesex county, were in a squabble as to who shall care for the woman. Meantime she has been living in the house of Andrew McManus, in Lower Rahway, and yesterday he made a complaint to Police Justice Frazee that the woman was acting in a violent manner and terrifying his household. The Justice issued a warrant for the woman, but when an officer went to serve it she had fled.

Rahway Man's Sad Condition.

Former Water Commissioner W. G. Rathburn, of Rahway, is seriously afflicted with what is said to be softening of the brain. He had to leave the Water Board six weeks ago on this account and his condition since then has grown worse. He has been taken to the home of a relative in Rhode Island, in hope that his health may be benefited by the change of air. He is about fifty-four years old and was formerly foreman of the Gordon Press Works at Rahway.

Did Not Know the Town.

There have been many changes in Plainfield in the last fourteen years, Michael O'Neil found that while fourteen years ago he could get drunk and have a good time without interruption, now the moment he attempted to paint the town even a dark maroon, a policeman locked him up. Patrolman McCue found him drunk on Park avenue yesterday afternoon and locked him up. When the Judge heard his story this morning, he suspended sentence on the man who had not been here for fourteen years.

Dennis Kane Stops a Runaway.

A horse attached to the wagon of Kersting & Klinsman, the West Front street bakers, while left standing on East Third street this morning, took fright and ran away. The animal was stopped near Watchung avenue by Dennis Kane, a trolley motorman, before any damage resulted from its flight.

Crop Report.

The following is Weather Observer Neagle's crop report for the past week: Crops in general are looking good; grass and grain will yield a full crop; sunshine and warmer weather are greatly needed for the rapid growth of garden truck; light frost on the 2d, but no damage reported.

—There was a light fall of snow in Newark yesterday.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Mrs. S. M. Stack, of Poughkeepsie, is visiting her son, Fred W. Stack.

Mrs. Mary Disbrow, of Central avenue, has gone on a trip to Buffalo.

William Spier, of New York, was the guest of Plainfield friends yesterday.

Miss L. Bertha Hoffman, of Grove street, is detained at home by severe illness.

Edward Van Horn, of the borough, has secured a position in one of the local grocery stores.

J. S. Garretson, baggage-master at the North avenue station, is confined to his home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry DeMott, of Somerset street, are entertaining friends from Elizabeth.

Louis Bennett, of Grove street, has recovered from his recent illness and is able to resume work.

Miss Hunter, of Massachusetts, is visiting her friend, Miss Mabel Pierson, of Watchung avenue.

Mrs. J. A. Hoffman and family, of Grove street, has returned from a visit with relatives at Liberty Corner.

John I. Brower, of East Sixth street, is home on a week's vacation, most of which will be spent on his wheel.

Thomas Quinn, of City Judge De Meza's law offices, is confined to his home on Park avenue with illness.

W. K. McClure is expected to return today from Trenton, where he has been spending a few days on business.

Mr. Bennett, of Duer street, is improving from the accident which has confined him to the house for a long time.

Mr. and Mrs. Swick, of Clinton, Hunterdon county, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Layton, of Grove street.

Miss Gertrude Hardy, of New Bedford, Mass., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. L. VanCampen, of Plainfield avenue.

J. T. Closson and his sister, Mrs. Edgerton, of East Front street, will leave tomorrow to spend the summer at Elberon.

T. Mandeville Ryerson, of New York, has returned after a visit at the home of Mrs. D. L. Abbott, of Crescent avenue.

Miss Martha Tracy, daughter of J. Evarts Tracy, of West Eighth street, is home from Bryn Mawr College for her summer vacation.

Mrs. S. F. Flower, of East Front street, leaves tomorrow for Windsor, Vt., where she expects to spend the summer with relatives.

Mrs. Willard, who was injured some time ago in a bicycle accident, is improving nicely and she will be able to leave the hospital very soon.

Adam Angerbauer, of East Third street, who sprained his ankle several days ago, is much improved, and he expects to return to work soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Terhune and Master Harold Terhune, of Sandford avenue, are stopping at the Raleigh Hotel, Washington, D. C.

Rev. W. C. O'Donnell, of West Front street, has returned from a trip out of town. He will occupy his pulpit next Sunday at Monroe Avenue church.

Augustus Saltzman, of East Sixth street, president of the State Exempt Firemen's Association, has been confined to the house for the last week with an attack of grip.

Thomas McCue, son of Patrolman McCue, of West Fourth street, who is confined to the hospital with a serious illness, is very low and hopes of his recovery are very slight.

Miss Leonora Clark, of Monroe, N. Y., has returned home after visiting her Plainfield friends, Miss Ada Chandler, of Plainfield avenue, and Miss Clara Williams, of Madison avenue.

Made a Bachelor of Laws.

The commencement exercises of the New York University Law School were held in Carnegie Hall, New York, last evening, and Francis James Blatz, of Somerset street, was one of a class of 123 who received the degree of L. L. B. Mr. Blatz returned to his studies in the law offices of John H. Van Winkle this morning, where he will remain for the present.

Piece of Steel in His Finger.

Eugene Leach, aged twenty years, an employe at the Pond Tool Works, went to the hospital this morning to have a piece of steel removed from a finger. The accident happened while young Leach was at work at the above place. He was able to return to work this afternoon.

Battle of Elizabethtown Anniversary.

Yesterday was the one hundred and seventeenth anniversary of the battle of Elizabethtown, but there were no special exercises held in honor of it. There were some flags displayed in different parts of the city, and that is all there was to commemorate the

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—The bill for crushed stone furnished the city for street work last month amounted to $1,000.

—Car No. 19 of the street railway was out of order yesterday and it was taken off duty for repairs.

—Next Tuesday evening the members of the Independent Fife and Drum Corps will give a supper to their friends.

—The Christian and Missionary Alliance will meet tomorrow evening at 7:45 at the rooms of the W. C. T. U., Watchung avenue.

—A meeting of Unity Lodge, No. 102, Knights of Pythias, will be held this evening. There will probably be some work to be done.

—A special communication of Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M., will be held this evening. The fellowcraft degree will be worked.

—Mr. Dude—"You look sweet enough in that dress to kiss." Miss Affirt—"I bought it at Peck's and I have several more from there just as pretty."

—The committee, which is in charge of the closing dance at the Seminary on June 16, is composed of Miss Helen Talmage, Miss Corlies, and Miss Agnes Mimford.

—Walnut trees seem to have a strong affinity for the electric current During the late thunder storm several of this variety were struck by bolts in Cape May county.

—A business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Seventh-Day Baptist church will be held in the church parlors, tomorrow evening. The election of officers will be held.

—A graphophone concert will be given in the parish house of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, on Friday evening, June 11th, at 8 o'clock. Admission free; everybody welcome.

—At the meeting of Winfield Scott Post, G. A. R., held last evening, arrangements were made for members to attend the Department Encampment to be held at Atlantic City for the next three days.

—Goodwill Lodge, No. 15, Knights of Pythias, will hold an important meeting next Wednesday evening. Four new members will be initiated. Grand Chancellor John A. Huggs, of Paterson, will be present.

—Resolutions against Sunday bicycle runs were adopted yesterday by the Camden Methodist Ministers' Association. Several of the ministers are votaries of the wheel and enjoy its charms as thoroughly as any layman.

—A missionary concert will be held in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church, this evening. D. N. Furnajieff, of Macedonia, now studying in the Princeton Theological Seminary, will be present at the meeting and make an address.

—Is your eyesight defective? The correct glasses properly fitted is probably all that is needed to give you your perfect vision. Give us a trial. Satisfaction guaranteed. Leech, Stiles & Co., at 107 East Front street, every Thursday.

—The wet cool weather is causing strawberries to ripen more slowly than usual and the crop will last longer than for several years. Some growers who have late varieties have only just begun picking, The weather has also been favorable for grass and early potatoes.

—The Department Encampment, G. A. R., will open today at Atlantic City for a session of three days. A large number of Plainfield members will attend. The Woman's Relief Corps convention will be held at the same time and a good sized delegation from this city will be present.

—John Kavanaugh, aged four years, living on Grant avenue, was severely bitten by Michael Watson's dog on May 20th. The boy was taken to the hospital where he was given proper treatment. Since then the boy has been improving and is now able to be out. Monday afternoon James Frisbie shot the dog with his double-barrel shot gun.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The City Council has ordered an electric light placed on Watchung avenue near the temporary foot bridge over Green brook.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian church will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival in the chapel this evening.

—Bayonne's Board of Trade has protested against the local Council's appropriation budget as being an excessive burden on the taxpayers.

—Rogers' orchestra has been engaged to give two concerts daily at the Hotel Hunterston, during the summer, beginning on the 19th.

—The music for the Knights of Pythias anniversary reception at Washington Hall on Friday evening, will be furnished by Rogers' orchestra.

—Fred Smith, of the grocery firm of J. A. Smith & Bro., has purchased a lot on Central avenue, adjoining that on which his brother lives, and he will erect a house thereon.

—The argument for a new trial in the Phelps-Howell damage suit, which was to have been made before the supreme court at Trenton, today, has been postponed until the October term.

—A car on the Somerset trolley line broke down last night while passing through West Fourth street. The passengers were obliged to change cars and the disabled car was sent to the carhouse.

—The striking lasters at the manufactory of James A. Bannister & Co., of Newark, who struck because a non-union laster was employed in the shop, returned to work yesterday, the man who caused the trouble having resigned.

—A meeting of the Watchung Avenue Commissioners of the borough was held last evening when matters pertaining to the assessment for benefits along the avenue were considered. It is quite likely that that commissioners will make a report at the next meeting of the borough council.

—The members of the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Baptist church held their monthly social in the Sunday-school room of the church last evening. In spite of the inclemency of the weather there was a fair attendance of both sexes and the evening was passed in playing games, while there were vocal solos by Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Biglow, Jr., Mrs. W. O. Chapman and several others.

THIS COLD WEATHER.

The Records Show That it Was Only Equaled in 1881.

Never, since the Weather Bureau has been in existence, except in 1881, has this part of the country been visited by such unprecedented cold weather in the usually balmy monthy of June. With the chilly breezes, now comes three days of continuous storm which, promise, however, to come to an end this evening.

"Nice day, isn't it?" remarks some sarcastic friend as he dodges out of the steady downpour that has kept up for the last seventy-two hours. Everything is completely soaked and the streams out in the country are swollen far above their usual height. The combination of storm and cold has put an effectual check to all the usual summer pleasures. Nobody cares to sit out on the piazza in this weather while wheel riding is somewhat at a discount.

The rain storm is not out of season for there is usually a severe storm to arrive in June, but the cold weather has completely surprised the weather prophets. This morning, the thermometer fell as low as fifty degrees, and all day it has been damp and chilly. Today, as far as the temperature was concerned, is merely a repetition of yesterday and the day before. It is not likely that the entire summer will be a mild one as it has started out. The weather authorities predict that there will be plenty of hot weather to encounter before July is over and that the warm season will

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Violet Ammonia, regular 12c. bottle,	7c	Breakfast Bacon, per lb. -	10c
American Sardines, packed in oil,	3c	Lean Salt Pork, per lb. -	8c
Imperial Evap. Cream, per can -	3c	Best Round Steak, per lb.	14c
Postum Cereal, per package	12c	Corned Beef, Plate piece, per lb. 4c, Rump pieces 10c.	4c
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—The members of John Hand Camp, No. 28, Sons of Veterans, are preparing to celebrate the third anniversary of the Camp.

—The Plainfield people who went to Atlantic City today to attend the G. A. R. and Woman's Relief Corps encampment, left the city this morning at 7:17. There were several in the party.

—The Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival in the lecture-room of the church, tomorrow afternoon and evening. The proceeds will be for the

—One of the best displays of Jacroses to be found in this vicinity can be seen at the residence of Frank Jones, on Manning avenue. Mr. Jones has a large number of varieties and they have been attracting the attention of all lovers of flowers.

—A number of Italians who have been engaged in laying the Union Water Company pipes in Westfield were discharged yesterday and sought to get saveral other workmen to quit with them. They were ordered to leave the work and not interfere, which they did after many threats and

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Miss Helen Cramer is entertaining friends from Brooklyn.

Mrs. C. D. Taylor and daughter are visiting relatives in Paterson.

Miss Flammer, of Springdale, is the guest of Mrs. Charles Jennings.

Mrs. Walter Apgar has purchased a new wheel and has learned to ride.

Mrs. Boulsby has returned from a few days sojourn with friends in Plainfield.

Miss Maude Benton, of New York, who has been visiting Mrs. John Herbert, has returned home.

Dr. Turner and wife, of Plainfield, will take up their residence in the borough in a short time.

J. F. Snell will commence to paint Mr. Trimmer's house on Walnut street the last of this week.

Miss Mary Snyder has taken up her residence at Flemington, where she will learn the milliner's trade.

Mr. and Mrs. Raybert, of Jersey City, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boulsby, of Washington avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Randolph have returned from Quakertown, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hendershot.

George Aughton is entered for some of the contests to be held at New Market July 4th, under the auspices of the Jr. O. U. A. M.

Mrs. Joel Giddis is confined to her home by illness. Her condition is reported as being slightly improved, but it will be some time before she can leave the house.

The lecture which Rev. Frank Fletcher will deliver at the M. E. church next Tuesday evening will be given free. The proceeds will go toward putting a new roof on the church parsonage. An admission fee of 20 cents will be charged adults and 10 cents for children.

The funeral service of the late Rev. George Newton was held this afternoon from the Methodist church at 2 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Mead, the pastor, officiated and spoke in the highest terms regarding the deceased. The attendance of relatives and friends was large. Interment was in the Samptown cemetery.

At the meeting of the Borough Council, held Monday evening, three important ordinances were advanced to the second reading and ordered advertised. The first ordinance is in regard to regulating the use of bicycles, so far as riding on the sidewalk and the use of bells and lights are concerned. The second ordinance fixes the salary of the Assessor at $125, Collector at $235 and the Borough Clerk at $50. Bills to the amount of $260 were presented and paid. The third ordinance provides for the laying of sidewalks in the borough. It is intended to cover all streets and after its adoption the Council will select the streets to be fixed.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

A strawberry and ice cream festival will be held in the Baptist church parlors this evening.

Fanwood Council, No, 744, held a meeting in its council rooms, last evening.

Justice Clark and a number of friends are arranging for a fishing excursion to Echo Lake, after land locked salmon.

Roy Day, who has charge of the news stand at the Fanwood station, will go to Long Branch next week to take charge of a news-stand there.

The Board of School Trustees held a meeting last night and completed arrangements for the graduation exercises, which will be held in the Baptist church on Wednesday evening, the 23d.

LINCOLN.

Mr. John Gulick has recovered from his recent illness.

Mrs. Albert L. Giddis, of Bound Brook, has returned home after a visit with Mr Abram Giddis of this

WESTFIELD

OLD DISPUTE RENEWED.

SUPERINTENDENT HOLMES WOULD EXAMINE PULPITS.

Sends a Communication to the School Trustees Which Principal Edwards Endorses-Arrangements for Commencement

The Westfield Board of Education met in the Prospect street building last evening. Principal Edwards and all the members of the board excepting Mr. Schoonover and President Green were present. Mr. Welles was elected chairman. The matter of employing a special constable to guard the Prospect street building on July 4th, and to prevent anyone from entering and ringing the bell, was discussed, and was referred to the committee on buildings and grounds with instructions that a constable be engaged. A communication was received from County Superintendent Holmes, enclosing a list of the textbooks which the State-law prescribes for use in schools. Mr. Holmes also brought up the old dispute about the examination of classes in the high school, maintaining that while it was his duty according to law to examine candidates for graduation, he had heretofore been ignored in the matter. Principal Edwards upon being invited by the board to express his views upon the matter stated that in his opinion the position taken by the County Superintendent was correct, and that he should allow that official to conduct the examinations in question. The committee in charge of the arrangements for graduation exercises reported that the exercises will take place on Friday evening, the 18th, in the Westfield Club Auditorium, and that the baccalaureate sermon to the graduation class will be preached on Sunday evening the 20th in the Methodist church by the Rev. Rufus S. Green, D. D. The question of purchasing a new flag for the Prospect street building was discussed and was referred to the committee on supplies. The flag now in use, which was presented to the school, is in very tattered condition. The graduation class this year is the largest in the history of the high school, and the final exercises promise to be of unusual interest. The members of the class are Miss Belle Morrow, Miss Gertrude Noe, Miss Clara Connoly, Miss Hazel Wallace, Lloyd Thompson, John McCormick and Charles Foster. The graduation honors have not yet been announced.

Warren Woodruff spent yesterday with friends in Rahway.

The Lincoln Drum Corps has disbanded for the summer.

Morris Austin, of New York city, has been visiting friends in this place.

The monthly missionary meeting of the Baptist church will be held this evening.

The Misses Laura and Molly Peckham have returned from Bryn Maur College, Penn.

Westfield Lodge, I. O. O. F., meets in its lodge rooms in the National Bank building this evening.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will hold an all-day meeting in the church parlors tomorrow.

Martin Wells will lead the prayer meeting in the Congregational church this evening. The subject will be, "Familiarity with Scripture."

The subject of the mid-week prayer meeting in the Presbyterian church this evening will be, "What the Lord says He would have us like."

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Bogert will give a reception in honor of their silver wedding anniversary, at their home on Central avenue, tomorrow evening.

The Ladies' Sewing Society of the Presbyterian church will meet in the lecture room tomoorrow afternoon and evening. At half past six tea will be served.

The case of John M. Ledley against Chas. Crickenberger, on contract, which was to have been tried by Justice Collins yesterday, was postponed for one week.

The case of Edgar against Gale was tried before Justice Collins today. It was a friendly suit to discover who is responsible to the plaintiff for work done upon the lawn of Gale's Club House while it was occupied by the

Our Way.

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Leave Plainfield........	7.00; 9.30; 12.45 a. m. / 4.00; 6.00; 9.00 p. m.
Sunday	9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00, 6.00 p. m.
Leave Scotch Plains.	6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m. / 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday	9.45 a. m., 2.00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

Y. M. C. A.

It is now assured that Westfield's contemplated old-time Fourth of July celebration will come off in royal manner. The committee appointed by Bucket and Engine Company has already secured subscriptions amounting to over $300, and are now figuring on the amounts to be expended on the various features of the celebration. The day will be ushered in by the firing of cannon and the ringing of bells. Bicycle races, foot races, horse races, a tub race on Clark's Lake and a base ball game will be among the events. In the afternoon a clambake will be held in the woods, with a dancing pavilion. In the evening a fine display of fireworks will take place, and a grand stand will be erected for the comfort of spectators. The Union county band will furnish music during the day.

NO TROLLEY FRANCHISE YET.

Bound Brook Council Again Postpone Important Action.

The Bound Brook Borough Council, last night, did not decide on a trolley franchise. It only adopted a street grade upon which the trolley expects to go.

Much dissatisfaction is expressed by the citizens because the writ of certiorari served upon the New York and Philadelphia Company expired Monday and one company expected to have the right of way granted.

The Board adjourned to June 16th.

Willard P. Voorhees and Frederick Weigel, lawyers, representing the Brunswick Traction Company, were at Trenton, yesterday, to look out for the interests of the company in the certiorari proceedings in the Supreme Court, instituted by William Schure, of Bound Brook, in the matter of granting a trolley franchise through that town. The Brunswick Traction Company has the right of way and consent of the Township Boards between New Brunswick and Bound and is making a hard fight to get through the town.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—Additional local news on the third page.

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Misses' and Children's Tan Shoes. Chocolate, button and lace:
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8½ to 10½, .98 to $1.25
11 to 2, $1.25 to $1.50.
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DIED.

DRAKE—In North Plainfield, Monday, June 7, 1897, Walter R., son of David and Ruthetta Drake, aged 20 years, 10 months and 13 days. Funeral services Thursday, June 10, from his late residence, Jefferson avenue, at 2:30 p. m., and from Holy Cross Church at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends and members of Somerset Council, No. 104, Jr. O. U. A. M., are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in Evergreen Cemetery, Plainfield.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

BOY WANTED to learn printer's trade. Enquire foreman composing room The Daily Press office.

FOR SALE—One Buckeye and one Deering Mower, very cheap; terms easy; engines, boilers, pumps, etc. Chas. A. Butler & Co., 365 Market street, Newark.

WANTED—Platform scales and ice box, for store. Address H., care Press.

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HANDSOME dark bay horse for sale, suitable for light driving, weight 1,000 lbs. Box 261, Plainfield. 6 8 3

WANTED—Reliable white girl for general housework, reference required. 908 West Front street. 6 8 2

STRAYED—On June 2d, liver and white Pointer Dog, answers to the name of "Alex." Reward. F. C. Phoebus, City. 6 5 tf

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework, 1014 West Front street. 6 8 2

BARGAIN—9 room house; three thousand; central location. LaRue, Marsh building. 6 5 6

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A Columbia FREE!

A lady's Columbia Bicycle, 1897 Model, will be given to the winner in THE AMERICAN QUEEN competition, which will be open to all the subscribers to THE AMERICAN QUEEN until June 30, 1897.

The Columbia, the standard bicycle of the world, has been selected for this competition, because the publishers of THE AMERICAN QUEEN are convinced that it is the best and that the woman who wins it would have it in preference to any other make.

The Columbia is now on exhibition at our store and will remain on exhibition until June 30th, when the competition will close and the Columbia will be awarded to the fortunate winner.

The contest which we have just inaugurated, by or through which some subscriber to THE AMERICAN QUEEN is going to win a fine, high grade $100 Columbia Bicycle, is already well under way. The contest will remain open until June 30 1897. The conditions and plan of this contest are simply these: We purpose presenting a Columbia Bicycle, 1897 Model, to the lady subscriber who furnishes the *best menu*, for one week, for a family of five, the cost of such menu not to exceed $10 for the week. The merits of the menus submitted will be passed upon by the Editor of THE AMERICAN QUEEN, Miss Mary L. Bisland, and the person furnishing the best menu, in Miss Bisland's judgment, will be presented with the bicycle.

The menu submitted should be enclosed in one envelope and the name of the sender in a separate one, the two being handed in or sent in together, addressed to us. The envelopes containing the menus will then be numbered and sent to Miss Bisland and the envelopes containing the names reserved by us, and when Miss Bisland makes her choice of the menus she will inform us of the number of the winner and we will then announce the result in local newspapers and THE AMERICAN QUEEN.

The only requirement necessary to admit you to this contest is that you be a subscriber to THE AMERICAN QUEEN.

The splendid wheel which will go to the winner is on exhibition in the store and may be seen at any time.

We want everybody to feel free to go into this contest and we hope that hundreds of our customers will fix their minds on good things to eat and mould them into an acceptable menu for the week, and at the same time keep the cost down to $10.

THE COMPETITION.—Our aim in offering this competition is to have every lady we can reach with this announcement become a reader of THE AMERICAN QUEEN. THE QUEEN is published at $1 a year, but to give all our friends a chance to get this splendidly useful home publication for the ensuing year and at the same time have a chance to become the proud possessor of the standard cycle, we shall until the 30th day of June receive subscriptions (only one, however, will be taken from each family) for the nominal fee of 25 Cents a year. Come to the store at once, register your name, receive your receipt for THE QUEEN for one year and try to win the Columbia.

LADIES' HOSE.
Today we place on sale one hundred dozen ladies' fine hose, high spliced heel and double sole, 14c. pair; regular value 25c.

ALL-LINEN DOYLIES.
On sale today 100 dozen all-linen doylies, 41c. per dozen, well worth 75c.

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Three thousand yards of wash goods, ginghams, cambrics and dimities, all at 6c. per yard.

FINE DRESS GOODS.
10 pieces 54-inch silk and wool suiting, just the thing for seashore and mountain wear, has been 98c., now 49c.

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Shirt Waists:
Just placed on sale an assortment of plaid Lawn waists entirely new in design and coloring, price $1.29.

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LOW SHOES
often occasion distress at the instep, but that is not because the shoes are simply low, they are not made right. The low shoes we have on sale are made to fit as snugly as a well made glove. You get the benefit of a cooler shoe with none of the discomforts of a shaky one.
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Our $3.00 line of Mens' Tan Shoes are something elegant. All shapes of toes. Come around and let our artist polish up your shoes

EXPLOSION OF FIREWORKS.

The Careless Dropping of a Match Does Immense Damage.

Chicago, June 9.—A match carelessly dropped by one of the workmen in the fireworks factory of M. Shure, at the corner of West Van Buren and Halstead streets, caused a terrific explosion a few minutes after 6 o'clock last night.

It was shortly after the closing time of the factory, and many of the workmen had gone home, otherwise the loss of life must have been very heavy. As it was, a number of the employees were badly hurt, and the flying rockets and candles struck several people who were passing in street cars and on the sidewalks.

The force of the explosion was so great that nearly all the windows in the block were demolished, and the Shure building, which is a four-story structure, was badly damaged. Immediately following the explosion the building was ablaze from cellar to roof, and the fire department had a desperate struggle before it succeeded in extinguishing the flames.

The building was almost entirely destroyed by the fire, however, and such portions of the large stock of fireworks as had not been scattered throughout the neighborhood by the explosion were also destroyed, causing a heavy loss to Shure.

The explosion caused a panic in that portion of the town for a time, and the wildest stories were current regarding the number of killed and wounded. It happened at a time when the street was crowded with people on their way to their homes, and the street cars which pass in front of the building every minute were packed with passengers.

The flying missiles from the factory struck a number of persons, and one man who was gazing into a store window fully 400 feet distant had his attention suddenly attracted to other matters by a rocket which hit him squarely in the back. He fell to the sidewalk unconscious and was carried to the hospital before he was able to give his name. The majority of those injured have received but trifling hurts and will be around within a day or two. The loss to the building and contents is estimated at $60,000.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At Boston—

Boston	2	0	1	1	1	3	0	0	*	— 8
Pittsburg	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	— 4

Boston—Hits, 11; errors, 3. Pittsburg—Hits, 10; errors, 2.

Standing of the League Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	25	9	.735
Boston	25	12	.676
Cincinnati	24	13	.648
New York	19	15	.558
Cleveland	19	16	.543
Pittsburg	19	17	.528
Brooklyn	19	18	.513
Philadelphia	20	19	.512
Louisville	17	20	.459
Chicago	14	23	.378
Washington	9	25	.265
St. Louis	8	31	.205

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

An epidemic of cholera has broken out at Bangkok, Siam.

A woman aged 100 years jumped to death from a third story window in Boston.

Commander George E. Wingate, U. S. N., of the Charlestown navy yard died at Malden, Mass.

The czar received Mr. John W. Foster, the American seal commissioner, at the Peterhof palace, St. Petersburg.

The retiring United States embassador, Mr. Edwin F. Uhl, had his farewell audience with Emperor William at Berlin and presented his letters of recall.

D. W. Limerick, who was convicted of an attempt to blackmail the Fraser Tablet company of Cincinnati, was sentenced to serve two years in the penitentiary.

Two big trusts were placed on trial—the Cigarette trust in New York and the Coal trust in Albany. Ten of the tobacco kings are under indictment charged with conspiracy.

Fire at Cairo, Ills., destroyed $80,000 worth of property, including the new Baptist church and annex, the Halliday warehouse, Glynn's transfer stables, with 26 head of horses, and several dwellings.

Flag Day In the Schools.

Albany, June 9.—Charles B. Skinner, state superintendent of public instruction, directs the attention of school authorities to the fact that June 14 will be Flag day and earnestly recommends that the day be observed in the schools of the state in such manner as they may deem most suitable and appropriate.

Dropped Dead.

Oswego, N. Y., June 9.—Elijah Stanton, 70 years old, of Manlius, Onondaga county, dropped dead in the street here from apoplexy.

Weather Predictions.

Light showers; easterly winds.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western quiet, but held higher; city mills patents, $4.70@4.90; winter patents, $4.50@4.85; city mills clears, $4.70@4.80; winter straights, $4.10@4.25.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened firm and advanced on unfavorable crop news, light spring wheat receipts and sympathy with corn; June, 75¼c.; September, 70 3-16@70⅝c.

RYE—Steady; No. 2 western, 36¼@36½c.

CORN—No. 2 was strong and higher on bad crop reports; September, 30 15-16@31⅛c.

OATS—No. 2 dull and nominally steadier; July, 22¼c.; track, white, state, 25@31½c.

PORK—Easy; mess, $8.50@9; family, $9.50@10.50.

LARD—Firmer; prime western steam, $3.85 nominal.

BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 10@14½c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Quiet; state, large, 8¼c.; small, 7¾@8c.

EGGS—Steadier; state and Pennsylvania, 11½@12c.; western, 10¼@11c.

SUGAR—Raw firm; fair refining, 2⅞c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅜c.; refined firm; crushed, 5¼c.; powdered, 5c.

TURPENTINE—Firm at 27½@28c.

MOLASSES—Quiet; New Orleans, 22@28c.

HAY—Dull; shipping, 50c.; good to choice, 60@70c.

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Ladies' 4-button kid gloves, in tans and browns, 69c.

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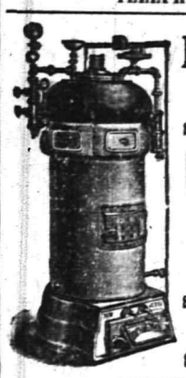

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT—Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber, Administrator to Daniel Hetfield, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the sixteenth day of June next.

WILLIAM HETFIELD.
EDWARD TERRY.

Dated April 10th, 1897. 4 14 10-wed

ASSIGNEE'S SETTLEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the accounts of the subscriber, Assignee of John V. Berkaw, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the twenty-eighth day of July next.

J. AUGUSTUS SMITH.

Dated May 25th, 1897. 5 26 10 caw w

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Bure Mrs	Henderson James
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Clark Mrs Ada	Marble Lawrence
Cox Lewis A	Merrill J F
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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 28, 7 30, 7 56, 8 00, 8 30, 8 38, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 38, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28, p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16, a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30 5 41, 7 01, 8 15 8 38, 10 17, p m.

Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 00, 3 00, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45 (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p.m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 27, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, am; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28 1 45, 3 17 3 30, 5 41, 7 01 8 13 8 32 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 lb, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03 10 05, 11 25, a m; (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 2 35 3 25, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 6 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 08, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 7 38, 7 12, 7 54, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 39 5 09, 6 38, 10 15, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 7 45, 8 19 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 25, 4 55, 5 28, 6 08 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 06 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 58, 9 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 2 11, 4 55, 6 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 38, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p, m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 32 a m; 6 30, 10 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 15 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 03 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m. 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 03, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 32 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 44, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 4 55, 5 34*, 5 59*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a.m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m., 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 10 44 a. m., 5 09*, 6 45, p. m., 1 17 night.

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11 54 a. m. Daily except Sunday. Local for Mauch Chunk.

12 02 p. m. daily except Sunday. "BLACK DIAMOND EXPRESS" for Rochester and Buffalo.

1 46 p. m. daily except Sunday. Local for Mauch Chunk.

2 34 and 4 58 p. m. daily except Sunday, express for Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Pottsville, Hazleton, Shamokin, and principal intermediate stations.

6 26 p. m. daily. Local for Easton.

7 10 p m., daily except Sunday, for Slatington and principal intermediate stations.

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9 32 p. m. daily except Sunday. Fast line for Buffalo.

2 15 p. m. Sundays, local for Shamokin.

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For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 6 48, 7 50, 10 05 a. m. 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. m Sunday 8 00, 9 10 a. m. 2 20 and 6 25 p. m.

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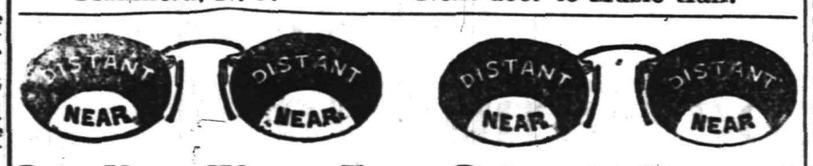

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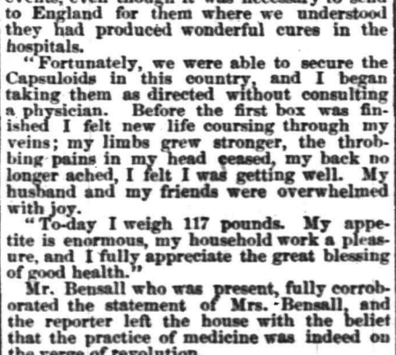

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SUIT AGAINST AN EXECUTOR.

Dismissal of the Case Brought by a Boarding House Keeper.

Albany, June 9.—The court of appeals has dismissed the complaint of Martha Keery against John F. Dimon, the executor of the will of Stephen C. Dimon, who died in New York city Jan. 12, 1893, leaving personal property of the value of $25,000 and a seventh interest in the property bounded by Third and Fourth and Lewis streets and the East river, the value of which is placed in the vicinity of $500,000.

Dimon was an eccentric bachelor. For eight years he had lived in the furnished room house kept by Mrs. Keery at 117 West Forty-seventh street. For several years prior to his death he had not been on friendly terms with his relatives, and it is stated that he declared that none of them should receive a dollar of his fortune.

Mrs. Keery averred that he made a will in her favor about September, 1884. She declares that she saw the will, and that Mr. Dimon told her to read it carefully, as he intended that she should have all of his property and that he did not intend that his relatives should get a dollar of it.

He did not believe that any one living could break it, as it was so short and to the point. After his death Mrs. Keery secured permission from the court for an inspection of the contents of boxes in the Mercantile Safe Deposit company and the American Safe Deposit company, but no will could be found. She said that the will had been lost or destroyed by accident or design.

IS HE THE DIVINE HEALER?

A Man Who Says He Is Schlatter Arrives In Cleveland.

Cleveland, June 9.—A man who declares that he is Francis Schlatter, the alleged healer, who was reported to have starved himself to death in Mexico, has arrived in Cleveland and is stopping at a boarding house on Huron street. With him is a man named Hollandeberger of New York, who says they intend to open an institute in this city.

It is difficult to prove or disprove the claim of the alleged healer, because if he is Schlatter he has shaved his beard, but there is certainly a strong resemblance between his features and some of the published pictures of Schlatter. He laughed when his attention was directed to the starvation story and declared that he had been visiting his mother at Bordeaux, a few miles from Nashville.

AGAINST CLUBS.

New York's State Excise Department to Begin War Against Them.

Albany, June 9.—Today, Thursday and Friday of this week the state excise department will begin war in earnest against the clubs in New York city which are alleged to be violating the excise law.

Motions will be made in the supreme court for orders to show cause why the certificates of the Young Men's Cosmopolitan club, the Gramercy club and the Plymouth Social club should not be cancelled. The state excise department will be represented in these cases by Assistant District Attorney R. R. Scott of New York, P. W. Cullinan, attorney for the state excise department, and Senator N. N. Stranahan as counsel.

Yale Club Incorporated.

Albany, June 9.—The Yale club of New York city has been incorporated with the secretary of state. The directors are Brayton Ives, Henry Holt, Edmund Coffin, Jr., George C. Holt, Robert W. De Forest, Thomas Thacher, Edwin D. Worcester, Henry W. Taft, Philip G. Bartlett, Alexander Lambert, Richard M. Hurd, Charles H. Shorrill, Herbert Green, Jr., Augustus F. Kountze, Alfred H. Swayne, John H. Hammond, Noah H. Swayne of New York city, Julian W. Taft of Greenwich, Conn., and William P. Eno of Saugatuck, Conn. Among the incorporators are Chauncey M. Depew, Ellis H. Roberts, Henry E. Howland, Ashbel Green and Frederick Ward.

G. A. R. Committee Appointed.

Troy, N. Y., June 9.—At a meeting here of the executive committee, having in charge matters pertaining to the coming Army of the Potomac reunion, the following committee was appointed to receive President McKinley should he accept the invitation to attend: Governor Frank S. Black, Senator Thomas C. Platt, Senator Edward Murphy, Jr., Mayor Francis J. Molloy, James A. Burden, Martin I. Townsend, George B. Cluett, C. L. MacArthur, John M. Francis, Charles E. Patterson and Seymour Van Santvoord.

The Sheriff Has Magowan's Wine.

Trenton, June 9.—Ex-Sheriff Ege went to the Magowan mansion and took from the cellar the wine which was not sold last week on account of its being claimed under a bill of sale by a third party. The question of the ownership of the wine has not yet been determined, but the ex-sheriff thought it proper to take possession of the liquor and put it in storage. The wine is valued at about $1,000. Magowan at one time had about $6,000 worth of wine in his cellar.

Massachusetts Doctors Meet.

Boston, June 9.—The Massachusetts Medical society began its one hundred and sixteenth anniversary meetings at Mechanics' building. After the formal opening of the convention the members of the society spent the forenoon in visiting the Massachusetts General hospital, the Boston City hospital, the Children's hospital and the Carney hospital. The annual Shattuck lecture was delivered by Dr. D. W. Cheever. His subject was "The New Surgery."

To Save a Stranded Steamer.

Boston, June 9.—The Boston Towboat company's steamer Orion, Captain Smith, has sailed for St. Lucia with wrecking gear and divers to attempt to save the British steamer Ethelgonda and her cargo of wool. The Ethelgonda, which was bound from Buenos Ayres for Boston, stranded at Micoud, near the entrance of St. Lucia harbor, last Friday.

To Discuss Leprosy.

Washington, June 9.—The department of state has been officially informed that an international conference will be held in Berlin from the 11th to the 16th of October to discuss the leprosy question. There will be lectures and an exhibition connected therewith

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GOSSIP OF THE CYCLERS.

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Miss Julia Stelle is about to join the ranks of Plainfield's women bicyclists.

A. M. Shepard the well known bicycle rider, has been engaged in the repair shop of W. H. Rogers, on North avenue. Shepard is the rider who, it was charged entered the Irvington-Milburn road race for the purpose of pacing a friend. The matter was brought to the notice of the L. A. W. racing board and has attracted much attention among wheelmen.

At a meeting of the race committee of the Associated Cycling Clubs in reference to the charges of pacing of R M. Alexander, winner of the time prize at the Irvington-Milburn road race on May 31st, it was decided that Shepard was guilty of pacing, but that Alexander was not guilty of receiving pace. Shepard will therefore be debarred from any future participation in road races held by the three associations, and the evidence in the case will be sent to the National Racing Board, that they, too, may take action in the matter.

A Plainfield Chapter of the Epworth League, in search of a cause for diminished attendance at the weekly meetings, has found that the bicycle is responsible, and instead of weakly surrendering the League very properly has decided that the bicycle can well be adapted to a church function. Accordingly Chapter No. 1, of Plainfield, will have a bicycle sociable. It is notable in this connection that the pulpit is a strong supporter of the use of the bicycle under proper restrictions. At least one prominent clergyman in this city commends the use of the wheel on Sunday when the rider makes it a means to attend church service or uses to call upon the sick or for an errand of mercy. The time has almost arrived (or may be it is here) when the bicycle as a means of locomotion will be accepted as being as proper and fitting as walking or driving. The one thing that deters this end is the fashion of Sunday century runs for pleasure when all the church duties of the day are apparently neglected. Monday morning's papers record the fact that over two thousand wheeelmen finished a century run Sunday from Philadelphia to Atlantic City and return. Some figures as to how many of these went to church before or after the run would be interesting.—New Brunswick Home News.

AROUND THE BASES.

The hearty reception that the baseball-loving people gave the Crescent nine at their opening game, last Saturday afternoon, has greatly encouraged the backers of that team. On Saturday of this week, another excellent game is promised with the Somerset Baseball Club, of Somerville. The Somersets are to Somerville at the present day what the famous West Ends used to be. They are a strong contingent and with Warren MacLaughlin, brother of John MacLaughlin, who plays first base and captains the Crescents, in the box, they will give the local players a lively rub. Special arrannements have been made for the seating of the ladies and their escorts. Besides the regular covered grand stand a shade has been arranged to cover a number of camp chairs, which will be placed in a good position to see the game.

VARIOUS SPORTS.

Carroll L. Runyon and George Proctor Smith, of the Plainfield High School, have both entered for the national interscholastic games at New York, Saturday afternoon.

Captain Emily March, of the Salvation Army, is confined at the home of Mrs. Waldron, of North avenue, with erysipelas of the head. Dr. Endicott is in attendance.

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Discipline—Military vs. Domestic.

A courier had arrived, bringing the intelligence that Troop B was surrounded by hostiles, and was standing them off with the greatest difficulty; that, unless aid reached them very shortly, Troop B was doomed to massacre.

The quiet post sprang to arms. Troopers and officers hurried hither and thither. Noise and confusion, tempered by discipline, reigned. In an incredibly short time the bugles sounded boots and saddles, and the battalion filed out.

There was no song, no jesting nor laughter to lighten the march in all that column. The peril of their comrades weighed upon each heart; the stern determination to save or terribly avenge was stamped upon each face.

Suddenly there was a sharp exclamation, and one of the troopers, with a pale, set face, turned his horse from the column and trotted back toward the post. In another moment an officer swiftly gained his side and, with a wrench that nearly jerked him from the saddle, stopped him.

"You cowardly cur," hissed the officer, "what does this mean?"

"I—I forgot to tell my wife that I wouldn't be home to supper," exclaimed the trooper.—Philadelphia Press.

A USEFUL DISCOVERY.

Utilization of Daylight in Poorly Lighted Rooms by Luxfer Prisms.

An exhibition, in Chicago, of a new method of increasing natural light in poorly lighted rooms has attracted much interest among architects, builders and property owners. Luxfer prisms, as they are styled by the company introducing them, are composed of plates of glass with semi-prisms comprising one face. The plates are electrically glazed together into whatever form or size may be required, and are then surrounded by a suitable frame. The complete frame of prism plates may be either hung in the window frame or inserted in the sash in place of the ordinary glass.

The advantages of the system are not limited to giving the light a mere horizontal direction, but by using different forms of prisms in different parts of a window all the light striking it may be sent to any part of the room where it is desired. It is the opinion of some architects that this means of utilizing daylight will not only modify new construction by changing the treatment of light shafts, but it will enable numerous old buildings, almost untenable for lack of light, to be made desirable.—Iron Age.

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—John Artenten, of Franklin, has disappear, and is believed to have taken his life.

—Samuel S. Dunham, a former collector of Long Branch, died at that place yesterday.

—At a regular communication of Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. & A. M., held last evening, one candidate was given the second degree.

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RIGHT TO TAX A LEGACY.

PETER WOODEN BEQUEST TO ALFRED UNIVERSITY THE ISSUE.

A Case in Somerset County Court That is of Importance in View of the Conflicting Interests of New York and New Jersey.

A case of considerable importance in the Somerset County Court, and one of which more will probably be heard in the future, is that involving the payment of $700 inheritance tax to the State, on a legacy by the late Peter Wooden, of North Plainfield, to Alfred University, a religious corporation in the State of New York. On the issue will depend a further sum of $5,700 already paid to the State as a similar tax on the Babcock legacy to the same institution, and of which repayment has been demanded. By statute, certain relatives and religious corporations are exempted from paying inheritance tax, but New York State desisions would preclude religious corporations in other States from this exemption. Gov. Griggs has deputized Prosecutor Dungan to look after the State's interests, and H. G. Whipple, of New York, is counsel for the university. The case has been argued by brief, and Judge Bartine compliments the counsel on the thoroughness with which each has gone into the subject. The Judge decided in favor of the State, and the case will, in all likihood, be taken before Chancellor McGill, on appeal.

WOMAN'S PLEA TO UNCLE SAM.

Succeeded in Getting $2,200 as the Only Living Relative of a Major-General.

An incident of a woman's tact and perseverance has been shown in this city. The woman in question has just succeeded in obtaining a certified check for $2,200 from the Pension Department at Washington, she being the only kin of a Major-General of the late war, and a few nights ago at the supper table she surprised her husband by presenting him with the check. There was great rejoicing among the members of the family who had not expected such a thing. As a result the husband used a portion of the amount to clear a debt on his home and a few other obligations, while $1,000 was put out at interest for the young son of the happy couple, and when he is of age he will have a nice little sum as a starter

The story leading up to the above facts are that the wife believed that she was entitled to a pension as her mother had married a second time and she was the only one of the family left who could prosecute the claim. Accordingly she undertook the task with the proper assistance and she kept the secret to herself. After all the necessary work on her part had been accomplished she waited results, and was surprised when she received the check.

Final High School Examinations.

The time has now come for the final examinations at the Plainfield High School. They begin tomorrow and end the following Friday. The examinations are as follows: June 11th, English history, ancient history and geometry; June 14th, literature in all classes; June 15th, rhetoric, senior Greek, junior literature, constitutional history and bookkeeping; June 16th, Cicero; June 17th, geology, French, physics, beginning Greek and junior Greek; June 18th, fourth class Latin, Cæsar, Virgil and higher English; June 21th, mathemathics in all classes. All the students are very busy at present, especially those who are preparing to take their examinations for college.

Unity Lodge's Good Time.

The members of Unity Lodge, No. 102, Knights of Pythias, who ventured out to the regular meeting of the lodge, last evening, were well repaid for going. It was the first of a series of entertainments which are to be given once a month this summer by the lodge. John H. Carney was at his best in his humorous Dutch dialect recitations and kept his audience in roars of laughter. Wilbur Sherwin gave an exhibition of sleight-of-hand and did some very neat tricks. The Martin quartette, composed of Joseph Martin, Horance J. Martin and the latter's two sons, sang several times very acceptably.

An Endeavor Rally.

Tuesday evening, June 22d, a Local Union Christian Endeavor rally will be held in the Congregational church, at which time Dr. Brett, of Jersey City, and Rev. C. E. Herring, of this city, will speak. Special music will be a feature.

Perseverance's Silver Anniversary.

The silver anniversary of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, Knights of Pythias, will be held tomorrow evening. There will be a number of distinguished visitors present. A delightful programme has been arranged for the evening.

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THE OAK TREE OUTRAGE.

SIX MONTHS IN STATE PRISON FOR JOHN TIGHE.

Lighter Sentence for McCann—Judge Strong Again Discourses Upon the Glaring Newspaper "Sensationalism."

Yesterday morning in the Middlesex County Court Judge Strong sentenced John Tighe and William McCann, who were convicted of breaking and entering the house of Noah Schumacher, at Oak Tree, and assaulting him. He gave Tighe six months with costs in State prison and McCann got four months in the county jail without costs.

When Prosecutor Voorhees moved for sentence, George S. Silzer, who defended them, made a plea on their behalf in which he said the story told with glaring headlines in the newspapers had dwindled down to a very simple case. He also spoke of the bad character of the two Schumacher girls. Prosecutor Voorhees said the crime was a grave one. The newspapers said the crime was a serious one and they were right in saying so.

In sentencing them Judge Strong said the crime was of a different grade from that charged by the newspapers and of which a detailed account had been sent broadcast. The harrowing stories had excited the community. The grand jury had refused to indict them on any graver offense than breaking and entering and assault.

THURBER—FISK.

The Bride a Sister of Mayor Charles J. Fisk.

A large and fashionable gathering from New York and vicinity was present yesterday at Riverside, the country home of Mrs Harvey E. Fisk, on the Delaware river, near Wilburtha, to witness the marriage of Miss Bertha Fisk and Dr. Samuel Wood Thurber, both of New York. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Edward E. Thurber, father of the groom, who is the pastor of the American church, Rue de Berri, Paris.

The bride's gown was of white satin en train, the front seams of the skirt being edged with point applique. The bodice was made entirely of point applique. The sleeves were puffed. A shirring extended the length of the sleeves, also edged with the point applique. The veil was of tulle, fastened by pearl and diamond ornaments. She carried a bouquet of bride roses and white carnations, bordered with maidenhair fern and tied with white satin ribbon.

The bridemaids were Miss Bertha Terrell, Miss Moore and Miss Vail, of New York; Miss Ames, of North Easton, Mass., and Miss May Fisk. The maid of honor was Miss Evelyn Fisk. The train bearers were the bride's two sisters, Miss Dorothy Fisk and Miss Anna Fisk. The ribbon bearer was Master Harvey E. Fisk, Jr.

The bride is a sister of Mayor Fisk.

Endeavorers Elect Officers.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian church met Tuesday and elected the following officers: President Miss Mabel VanMiddlesworth; vice president, Rev. B. W. Hand; treasurer, H. VanMiddlesworth; recording secretary, Miss Anna Fenner; corresponding secretary, Mrs. E. Hand; chairman of lookout committee, C. Lewis; devotional committee, H. VanMiddlesworth; social committee, B W. Hand; Sunday school committee, Mrs. S. Staats; flower committee, Mrs. L. Wilson; music committee, Mrs. B. W. Hand. Two active members and one associate member were elected. After the business meeting the members enjoyed a social hour, and welcomed the new members. Daniel Traynor will lead the next prayer meeting of the society which will be held on next Tuesday evening.

How Cigarettes are Made.

The first of a series of illustrated lectures at Washington Hall by J. W. Pierce, the "Picture Evangelist," of Montclair, was held last evening. The subject was "The First Cigarette and How They Are Made." He told some very interesting facts concerning the manufacture of cigarettes and the materials used in them. Following this were a number of views of different workers in Christian Endeavor Societies and Epworth Leagues, and of different church buildings.

Dr. Hussey Honored.

Dr. Mary Hussey, formerly of this city and now of East Orange, has just passed the Junior examinations at the New York University Law school. Dr. Hussey spent last summer in Plainfield, and during her stay here was identified with many worthy movements for the improvement of the city and its people. Her many friends will be pleased to hear of this last honor which she has acquired.

—A flag stone side walk is being laid on the Grove street side of the property of Charles Matthews.

PLIGHTED LOVE FOR LIFE

FASHIONABLE CHURCH CEREMONY IN SMITH-PLACE NUPTIALS.

Hymen Finished in Marriage That Which Cupid Progressed in Love—The Union of a Happy and Popular Young Couple.

One of the most fashionable weddings of the season was that of last evening when Miss Estelle Place, daughter of former Mayor and Mrs. Charles Place, of Grove street, and Bertram Llewellyn Smith, a banker, of Fishkill-on-the-Hudson, were united in marriage by Rev. Dr. W. R. Richards, at the Crescent Avenue church. That large and handsome edifice was thronged with Plainfield's society, while a large number of guests were present from out of town. The church was opened at 6:45 and from 7 to 7:30 the following select programme of classical music was rendered on the organ by William E. MacClymont, Agd., who appeared for the first time in the gown of the Guild Society of which he is a member:

Allegro Apassionati from Sonta No. 5, Guilmant
The Golden Wedding.....Gabriel-Marie
Polonaise Militaire.....Chopin
Intermezzo from Cavaleria Rusticana, Mascagni
Overture to the "Black Prophet".....Loretz
The trump of liberty sounds it's warning—Night—Camp of the army—Shadows moving about—Appearance of prophet—Chorus in the realms of the spirit of freedom—Arrival of the Mayflower—The sunshine marred by oppression—The distant tramp of the army—Uprising—Strife—Victory—Finale.

At the appointed hour, 7:30, the first notes of the Lohengrin wedding march were sounded and the bridal party entered the church from the main entrance. The ushers, Arthur Raymond Smith, brother of the groom of Fishkill; Walter Swift Place, brother of the bride, Dr. Frank M. Hallock and George Schoonmaker, of Plainfield, made their appearance first, and following them were the bridemaids, Miss Helen Adelaide Place, cousin of the bride, of Fishkill, and Miss Caroline M. Hunter, of Plainfield. Both were richly gowned in white organdie with Valenciennes lace over pink silk and trimmed with pink satin, and each carried a bouquet of pink roses. The maid of honor, Miss Elsie Smith, sister of the groom, of Fishkill, came next. She was gowned in white silk trimmed with lace and ribbon and she carried a shower bouquet of pink roses.

Then came the bride, leaning on the arm of her father, who gave her away in marriage. She was exquisitely gowned in white duchesse satin trimmed with point Guipure lace and on her hand was a diamond circlet ring, a gift of the groom. A most charming bride, indeed, was she, and she was fondly admired by all as she gracefully passed up the aisle.

At the altar the bridal party was met by the groom and the best man, Clarence Alexander Smith, brother of the groom, who entered from the front of the church. All formed in a circle about the altar, which was profusely decorated with potted plants, palms, ferns, and choice pink roses, banked in an artistic manner. While the ceremony was being performed by Dr. Richards, Mr. MacClymont played several favorite selections. The responses by the bride and groom were very distinct and could be plainly heard in any part of the edifice.

After the ceremony the bridal party reversed and the bride and her husband led the way down the aisle, while the Mendelssohn wedding march was being executed. They acknowledged graciously the recognitions of their many relatives and friends as they passed by.

Immediately after the wedding a reception was held at the Park Club from 8 to 10 o'clock, during which hours the pretty little club house was thronged with relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The decorations, pink and white, were the same colors that prevailed at the church, and these colors were beautifully presented through the use of the choicest flowers arranged in the most attractive manner.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith were showered with the best wishes and congratulations of a host of admiring people.

During the hours of the reception a pleasing wedding supper was served and later in the evening the bride and groom left Plainfield for Montreal, Canada, where the will travel among the various places of interest. On their return they will reside at Fishkill, where the groom's father has presented them with a handsome residence. The groom is a graduate of Williams' College, and is now engaged in the banking business in Fishkill.

The groom's gifts to the ushers were sunbursts of pearl stickpins, while the bride presented to her maid of honor and bridemaids breastpins in the form of gold ivy wreaths set with emeralds.

The gifts received by the bride and

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UNDER A LOVER'S KNOT.

A HAPPY NUPTIAL UNION CEMENTED BY VOWS OF LOVE AND FIDELITY.

Charming Marriage of Miss Bessie Evelyn Titsworth to Frank James Hubbard—Joined at the Bride's Home.

Under a bower of white carnations and smilax, Miss Bessie Evelyn Titsworth, daughter of Joseph M. Titsworth, and Frank James Hubbard, son of Assessor Joseph A. Hubbard, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's father, on West Seventh street, last evening at 7 o'clock. It was a home wedding, but a very pretty one.

The ceremony was performed in the music room, under a bower of streamers of smilax and white carnations, while over all was a true lover's knot of white satin ribbon. Palms, smilax and pink roses were used in the decoration of the remainder of the room with very pretty effect. The bridal party entered from the parlor on the right of the hall. The ushers were first. They were William C. Hubbard, brother of the groom, Dr. Marc L Clawson and Dr. Frank T. Clawson, cousins of the bride, all of Plainfield. Then followed the maid of honor, Miss Ethel Titsworth, sister of the bride, charmingly gowned in pink silk gauze. She carried a bouquet of pink roses. Last of all entered the bride leaning on the arm of her father. She looked very beautiful in a gown of white satin, with Venetian point lace and pearl trimming. Her tulle veil was caught up with the engagement ring. Her only ornament was a diamond and pearl brooch, the gift of the groom. She carried a bouquet of white bride roses.

The groom entered at the other door and was escorted to the center of the room by the best man, Charles E. Lawrence, of Brooklyn, an old college friend of the groom. Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, of this city, was the officiating clergyman and received the couple. The simple ceremony was performed and the couple knelt for the final blessing.

The ceremony was only witnessed by the relatives and very near friends of the couple.

A reception followed the ceremony from 7:30 o'clock to 9:30 o'clock, and the many friends of the couple gathered in the bride's home to congratulate them on the step just taken. The hall was decorated with smilax and roses while a chain of daisies extended along the balastrade. The parlors were decorated with smilax, palms, jack roses and other cut flowers. The dining room was also artistically decorated as was the table, from which a supper was served later in the evening.

A handsome array of presents was displayed in one of the upper rooms, including silver and glass-ware, china, furniture, and many other valuable presents. Among them was a bed-quilt pieced by a great aunt of the bride. It was a wonderful work, containing 22,48 different pieces. There was also a tufted sofa pillow, made by one who had been a member of the family when they were children, which contained pieces of gowns belonging to the mother and grandmother of the bride and many of her other relatives.

Mr. Hubbard, the groom, has been residing at 109 West Fifth street, and is a rising young civil engineer in this city. Both he and the bride attend the Seventh Day Baptist church in this city. Their place of residence on their return from the bridal tour has not yet been decided. They will make their home somewhere in Plainfield.

Among the guests at the reception were: Joseph M. Titsworth, Miss Ethel L. Titsworth, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Potter, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Titsworth Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Titsworth, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Titsworth, Charles and Roy Titsworth, Mrs. Alex. M. Ross, Master Alex. M. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hubbard, Miss Dorthy Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. VanSickle, the Misses VanSickle, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rogers, the Misses Eva and Helen Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Titsworth, Miss Edith Titsworth, Alonzo and Nathan Titsworth, Alex. Titsworth, Mrs. E. D. Titsworth, Miss Ella V. Titsworth, Mrs. Mary Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Spicer, the Misses Spicer, A. J. Spicer, Mrs. W. L. Titsworth, Sydey R. Titsworth, Miss May Ross, Mrs. Amanda Tomlinson, Miss Lena Tomlin, Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Tomlinson, Mr. and Mrs. James Clawson, Miss Clawson, Dr. Marc L. Clawson. Dr. and Mrs. Frank T. Clawson, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Allis, Miss Elizabeth Allis, Miss E. E. Kenyon, Miss I. S. Arnold, Miss F. F. Clark, Miss J. F. Rambo, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Runyon, Miss E. O. Webton, Miss Mary Bushnell, Mrs. George H. Bab-

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MORE ROOM FOR TRINITY

CONTEMPLATED CHURCH ENLARGEMENT TO BE CARRIED OUT.

Congregational Meeting Held Last Night and it Was Voted to Spend $6,000 in Making Room for the Sunday-School.

Formal steps were taken last night at a congregational meeting of Trinity Reformed church towards enlarging the present edifice in a manner already outlined in these columns. That the interest in this improvement is very active was attested by the large attendance of members. The building of a new Sunday-school room was thoroughly discussed and the plans prepared by Architect Edward W. Gayle, a brother of H. E. Gayle, the contractor, were viewed by nearly everyone present before the vote was taken.

The project is to raise the present church edifice about six feet and construct underneath it, nearly even with the surface of the ground, a large Sunday-school room the same size as the present church auditorium, which is about 65x100 feet. It is proposed to divide the floor into twelve class rooms—six on each side—besides having the main room in the centre, and also a large room for the use of the primary department. Other rooms will be a parlor and kitchen for the women of the church, a committee room, two toilet rooms, etc.

The total cost of the improvement is estimated at $6,000. Before the vote on the proposition to enlarge was taken, over $1,900 was subscribed. Subscription papers will at once be circulated and every member of the congregation asked to contribute. It is hoped to raise at least half the amount, and thus make it necessary to only put a mortgage of $3,000 on the church property. At present the church is free of debt. Contractors Pearson & Gayle will have charge of the work of making the alterations, and their well-known ability ensures an early and satisfactory completion of the improvement for Trinity's attendants.

The meeting last night was presided over by Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., as chairman, while Horace J. Martin acted as clerk.

CARELESSNESS IN OLD TIMES.

Failure to Record a Deed in 1775 Holds Up the Sale of a Jersey Farm.

How the looseness that characterized the real estate transactions of a century or more ago sometimes embarasses the present owners is illustrated in the case of a 100-acre farm on Johnston drive, in Scotch Pains, the sale of which is held up by the failure to record the original deed of conveyance made nearly 122 years ago. From 1775 to 1871 the farm was the property of the Scotch Plains Baptist church, one of the oldest church corporations in New Jersey. In 1871 it was conveyed by a quit-claim deed to Floreno Schetter, and then went to his heir-at law, Charlotte O. Schetter.

In 1889 it was quit claimed to Charles K. Moon and wife, who in turn quit-claimed it to Harry C. Runyon in 1893, and Runyon conveyed it by the same process in 1894 to Alice Maude Kyte. The present owner wishes to sell the property, and asked the New Jersey Title Guarantee and Trust Company to guarantee the title. This the company refused to do, and as a consequence the sale is held up and the ownership called into question for the first time in nearly a century and a quarter, and all on account of a bit of negligence in 1775.

Phonographic Recital.

The young men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A., Sunday afternoon at 4:15, will be conducted by Mr. J. W. Pierce, of Montclair, N. J. Prof. W. V. Gilday, of Brooklyn, will give a phonographic recital which will include sacred songs and testimonials. The sound is transmitted to the audience through a large horn, sixteen by nine inches long, and thirteen inches across the bell. Prof. Gilday has given over five hundred recitals in Pennsylvania, New York and New Jersey. Mr. Wistar H. Stokes, superintendent of the auditorium at Ocean Grove, says, "Mr. W. V. Gilday gave us two phonograph exhibitions, one in the auditorium and one in the tabernacle. Everybody was highly pleased with both and expressed a desire to have them repeated. The tabernacle was filled to overflowing."

Graduated at Centenary.

The graduation exercises at the Centenary Collegiate Institute at Hackettstown were held yesterday. Among those that graduated was Miss Persis Snodgrass, daughter of Rev. Dr. Winfield C. Snodgrass, of Central avenue, pastor of the First M. E. church. She will return to Plainfield today. Among the other members of the graduating class were Miss Clara Digit and Miss Edith Meise, both of whom are known in this city.

OWNERSHIP OF A PIANO.

JUSTICE'S JURY DECIDED AGAINST MRS. ABNER BARTLETT.

The Article was Claimed by John Beerbower, of the City Hotel, Who Attached to Satisfy a Claim against Mr. Bartlett.

The court of Justice Moffett was the scene today of an interesting legal struggle to determine the ownership of a valuable piano. The dispute was between Mrs. Abner Bartlett and John E. Beerbower, proprietor of the City Hotel. Abner Bartlett is indebted to Mr. Beerbower to the sum of $150, and the latter to protect his claim attached a fine piano which Mrs. Bartlett had in her possession, and which she was about to remove out of the State. Mrs. Bartlett then filed a a claim to the property. Both Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett were called as witnessee. The testimony of the former was to the effect that the piano had been purchased with his earnings, which he had been in the habit of allowing his wife to collect from his employer, Charles R. Reed, of New York.

The piano was his property, he said, and was simply held in trust for him by Mrs. Bartlett. Mrs. Bartlett in her behalf testified that while she had collected Bartlett's wages from Mr. Reed, she had also paid all the household bills and had expended for the same purpose her own money, earned by her in giving dancing lessons. Some of her money, she could not say how much, had gone to help pay for the piano. It had cost $150 in exchange for an old piano, which was the property of Mr. Bartlett. H. C. Runyon testified that he at one time served an attachment against Mrs. Bartlett and she had then stated to him that she had no interest in the piano in dispute. John Beerbower also testified. The pleas to the jury were well delivered by Mr. Pope, of the firm of Pope & Runyon, for Mr. Beerbower, and Nathan Cussey, of Newark, for the claimant. At half past twelve o'clock the case was given to a jury consisting of J. P. Mulhall, Caleb Dickson, David Arthur, Charles Suhr, Henry F. Bowers and John McPeek.

A verdict was reached at 2 o'clock in favor of the ownership of Mr. Bartlett, which enables Beerbower to retain possession of the piano.

TRIED TO LOOT A JUDGE'S HOUSE.

Attempt Made to Burglarize the Home of Justice Clark at the Plains.

That the burglars who infest the town of Scotch Plains are not lacking in nerve was conclusively shown early yesterday morning when they showed their contempt for the majesty of the law by trying to beard its representative in his den. Justice Joseph Clark, who deals out the law to the inhabitants of the town, was awakened at about 1 o'clock Tuesday morning by his wife, and was informed that burglars were downstairs in the parlor. The judge listened, and was soon convinced that his wife's fears were about right. From the noises that came from downstairs it was evident that someone was making an effort to force open a parlor window.

The thieves evidently heard Mr. Clark and his son descending the stairs and made their escape, not, however, before the two men caught sight of a fleeting form gliding off of the front piazza.

An investigation showed that the burglars had attempted to raise the bottom sash in the parlor window, but failed as it was nailed fast They then lowered the upper sash, and this moved with considerable difficulty, and caused the noise which awakened Mrs. Clark.

Y. M. C. A. Bicycle Run.

A large party of wheelmen from the Newark Y. M. C. A. took a run to this city last evening and visited the local Y. M. C. A. The night was an unfavorable one for wheeling, but as there were no prayer meetings or other religious gatherings in their churches to claim their time, the members decided to take advantage of the opportunity and not to wait for more favorable weather.

Scherer Held for Grand Jury

Leo Scherer, the Fanwood farmer, whose arrest on the charge of stealing firewood from the land of Amza Hetfield, a neighbor, was described in full in yesterday's Press, appeared for examination before Justice Mosher this morning. After hearing the evidence the Justice held Scherer under $100 bonds to await the action of the Grand Jury in October.

Women Meet With a Rebuff.

Several members of the Woman's Town Improvement Association are going among the local merchants asking permission to inspect cellars, with a view of seeing what the sanitary conditions are. This morning they asked for such permission from V. W. Frazee, the groceryman, and were refused.

FIGHTERS ARRESTED

The Maher-Sharkey Fistic Exhibition Ended by the Police.

STOPPED IN THE SEVENTH ROUND.

Maher Seemed to Be Having the Best of the Fight When the Officials Interfered--The Referee Declared the Match a Draw.

New York, June 10.—Maher and Sharkey met last night, and at the end of the seventh round the police interfered, and the contest resulted in a most unsatisfactory draw. Never in the history of the ring has there been such an enormous attendance at a boxing bout in this city. There were about 10,000 persons squeezed into the big building at One Hundred and Seventh street and Lexington avenue recently transformed into a fistic arena by the Palace Athletic club under the management of William A. Brady.

For months past the meeting of the sailor pugilist and his bigger built compatriot has been talked of almost hourly by sporting men all over the United States and in fact in every quarter of the globe where there are devotees of the art of self defense.

A more representative congregation of well known sporting men has never witnessed a boxing mill than that which assembled at the clubhouse last night. The quantity of money which would have changed hands had the bout resulted in favor of either man would have been well up in six figures.

Police Interference Feared.

That there would be police interference if the men fought hard was feared by the majority of those who purchased tickets, but after the two boys who took part in the opening bout had been allowed to pummel each other without being stopped by the police those present had hopes that the big fellows would have a good chance to settle the much mooted question of superiority.

Maher and Sharkey had trained carefully, and when stripped in the ring each one was the picture of health and strength.

Maher was a big favorite, but there seemed to be plenty of Sharkey money around.

When they began operations, Maher's advantage in height and reach was very marked.

Sharkey's style of leaving himself open when stepping away caused a good deal of comment, and it was easily seen that Maher was in no hurry to mix matters, as he evidently preferred to size his man up, and he looked as if he were holding back for a good opening.

Maher wore an anxious look from the very beginning of the bout, and his eyes had a very wild and hunted expression in them. The boxing was very tame for five rounds, neither man showing a mark.

Sharkey Commences Hostilities.

In the sixth round Sharkey, with a well directed straight right on the mouth, sent Peter sprawling half way through the ropes, where he struggled for five seconds before he regained his feet. As Maher was getting up Sharkey rushed toward him, but was called back by Choynski, who was evidently afraid that the sailor might commit a foul. Ten seconds later the gong ended the sixth round, and when Maher returned to his corner he spat a lot of blood.

Sharkey's friends, when they saw this, yelled, "First blood for Sharkey!" and there was a great deal of cheering.

The seventh round was nearly completed when Maher, after getting in some good blows on Sharkey, sent the latter to the floor near the ropes with a left in the wind and right swing on the jaw. Tom was up again inside of five seconds and rushed into a clinch.

In this clinch Maher kept working his right on the body, and when the gong sounded neither heeded the warning of the timekeeper, but kept on hitting each other. One of Maher's seconds rushed over and grabbed Maher. While he was trying to pull the big fellow away Sharkey swung his right on the second's face, dazing him. By this time the house was in an uproar, and there were cries of foul from the partisans of both men. The din was terrific, but it was increased tenfold when Inspector McLaughlin ordered the police to arrest all those concerned in the fight.

Fight Stopped by Police.

Policemen in uniform swarmed into the ring, and a number of detectives also climbed through the ropes. The principals were the first to be placed under arrest, and then the seconds and referee were told to accompany the officers. While all this was going on the thousands of spectators were clamoring for a decision from the referee, who was busily engaged arguing with the officers who surrounded him. Finally it was made known that Referee Colville had decided to call the bout a draw. This did not seem to please a good many; but, according to the conditions agreed upon by both men, the judgment of the referee was right and proper.

The relative merits of the men are just as much of a puzzle as ever, and until they meet again and get a definite decision their adherents will not be satisfied. It was said that over $40,000 were taken in at the box office, and, judging from the number of people in the house, this was a very conservative estimate.

Building Company Incorporated.

Albany, June 10.—A certificate of incorporation of the Southeast Building company of Brooklyn has been filed with the secretary of state. The capital stock is $500,000. The directors are Edward B. Coombs, James W. Edgett, William T. Butling, Samuel H. Coombs, Jacob Worth, Winslow F. B. Busby and Arthur A. Swany of Brooklyn.

Asphyxiated by Gas.

Lowell, Mass., June 10.—James A. Perry, an employee of D. Appleton & Co. of Boston, publishers, was found dead in his room on West Sixth street, having been asphyxiated by illuminating gas. There were evidences that death was the result of an accident.

Two Students Drowned.

Newtown, Pa., June 10.—John Fox and Alfred L. Watson, two students, were accidentally drowned near the Georges school, between here and Churchtown, in a freshet in the Neshaminy creek.

SPEECHES THE ORDER

Little Progress Was Made on the Tariff Bill on That Account.

CANNON SPEAKS FOR THE FARMER.

Wants an Export Bounty Placed on Agricultural Products—He Is Seconded by Senator Butler—Some Nominations That Were Confirmed.

Washington, June 10.—The senate had a period of tariff speeches, and as a result little progress was made on the bill. Mr. Rawlins of Utah and Mr. Mills of Texas discussed the Democratic attitude on the tariff from their respective standpoints. Mr. Rawlins was a member of the platform committee of the Chicago convention and proposed the tariff plank which was adopted. He held that the vote he and several other Democratic senators had cast for duties on cotton and other agricultural products was justified by that platform and by the traditions of the party.

Mr. Mills severely arraigned the bill as a class measure, designed to build up a vast fund for distribution among the beneficiaries of the bill and at the expense of the "forgotten man," the taxpayer. He indirectly criticised those Democratic senators who voted for the amendments to the bill putting a tax on cotton and other articles, contending that their course was a radical departure from the tenets of Democracy.

Mr. Cannon of Utah proposed an amendment placing an export bounty on agricultural products. He spoke for two hours on the need of giving the farmer a share of the benefits of the tariff. Mr. Butler of North Carolina also spoke in favor of giving the farmer equal benefits with other classes under the bill. Only half a page of the bill covering four brief and comparatively unimportant paragraphs (229 to 233) were disposed of during the day.

The senate has confirmed the following nominations: Henry L. Wilson of Washington to be minister to Chile, John G. A. Leishman of Pennsylvania to be minister to Switzerland, Lawrence Townsend of Pennsylvania to be minister to Portugal, Andrew D. Barlow of Missouri to be consul general at the City of Mexico.

Also Lieutenant Colonel John I. Rogers, Second artillery, to be colonel, and other minor promotions in the army.

Henry L. Wilson of Washington is a brother of Senator Wilson of Washington. He has been identified with the Republican party of Washington for some time. His appointment is personal to his brother, although he was indorsed for the position by Republicans in the state. He is a resident of Spokane. Mr. Wilson was quite prominently mentioned for minister to Japan.

Mr. Leishman is a resident of Pittsburg and is ex-president of the Carnegie Steel company. He has never held any public office before. His appointment was urged by Senator Quay.

Dauntless Men Set Free.

Washington, June 10.—The secretary of the treasury has received a telegram from the United States attorney at Key West stating that all of the men found on the suspected filibuster Dauntless when she was captured by the United States warship Marblehead a few days ago had been released by the commission before whom they were examined. The attorney also says that he cannot hold the Dauntless on the available evidence, and unless he is instructed to the contrary she also will be released.

Must Be Paid In Legal Tender.

Austin, June 10.—The state of Texas has secured confirmation in the court of civil appeals of a lower court judgment against the Galveston, Houston and San Antonio and Houston and Texas Central railroads for $1,250,000. This money was borrowed of the state school fund before the war by the roads and paid in Confederate scrip. Several years ago the state brought suit for recovery of the money, claiming that the payment of the debt in Confederate scrip did not settle the debt inasmuch as it was not legal tender.

Death Sentence Confirmed.

Austin, June 10.—The state court of criminal appeals has confirmed the death sentence rendered against Eugene Burt for murder. Burt was convicted of murdering his wife and two infant children at their home in this city last August. He hacked them to pieces with a hatchet and threw their bodies in a cistern in the cellar. Burt was trailed all over the country and finally, after 20 days' searching, was arrested in Chicago and brought here.

Drowned In a Creek.

Amsterdam, N. Y., June 10.—The Chuctanunda creek is bank high in consequence of the heavy rains. While Homer Bowdie, aged 12 years, was crossing a footbridge over the Bunn creek he lost his balance and fell into the stream and was carried down into the Mohawk river. The body has not been recovered.

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Sauce Pans 17c.
Granite Covered Stew Pans, 21c.
Granite Tea Pots, 15c.
3 and 4 qt. Coffee Pots, 25c.
Granite Chamberpails 49c.
Granite Tea Kettles, 33c.
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8 qt. Milk Pans, reduced from 25c. to 15c.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—A strawberry festival will be held in T. A. B. hall, June 17, by the Ladies Auxiliary of A. O. H.

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Miss Etta Blatz, of Somerset street, is visiting her friend, Miss Anna Violin, of New York.

Stands at the Head.

Aug. J. Bogel, the leading druggist of Shreveport, La., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is the only thing that cures my cough, and it is the best seller I have." J. F. Campbell, merchant of Safford, Ariz., writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery is all that is claimed for it; it never fails, and is a sure cure for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I cannot say enough for its merits.'

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. J. A. Judson and Miss Jennie S. Judson, of Paris, Ill., are visiting home of ex-Mayor John H. Van Winkle, of Duer street.

Electric Bitters

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more generally needed when the languid, exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt. A prompt use of this medicine has often averted long and perhaps fatal bilious fevers. No medicine will act more surely in counteracting and freeing the system from the malarial poison. Headache, Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness yield to Electric Bitters. 50c. and $1.00 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

Mrs. Addison and son, Matthew, of New York, have been visiting at the at the home of S. C. Mundy, of Somerset street.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman fo the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—H. C. N. Johnson has the contract for the laying of the new stone sidewalk, in front of B. D. Randolph's property on Grove street.

"There's no use in talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, La Cygne, Kas., "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy does the work. After taking medicines of my own preparation and those of others, I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—C. V. Culyer and H. R. Munger, of Washington avenue, have given H. C. N. Johnson the contract for two hundred feet of stone flagging in front of their properties on that avenue.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are to-day its warmest friends. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss Anna Baldwin, of Halsey street, Brooklyn, is visiting her cousin, Miss Bessie Baldwin, of Willow avenue.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

THE SILVER REPUBLICANS.

A National Committee Is Appointed, Subject to the Call of the Chairman.

Chicago, June 10.—At the session of the representatives of the new National Silver Republican party at the Leland hotel a list of names was recommended and accepted as a national committee. It is as follows:

Alabama, Cutler Smith; Arkansas, Thomas Boles; California, Nathan Cole, Jr.; Colorado, A. M. Stevenson; Connecticut, Joseph Sheldon, New Haven; Delaware, Charles G. Prettyman; Idaho, F. T. Dubois; Illinois, James H. Teller; Indiana, F. J. Vanvorhis; Iowa, William Connor; Kansas, Frank B. Lawrence; Kentucky, A. J. Mosset; Louisiana, S. L. Carey; Massachusetts, Norman Cameron; Michigan, C. E. Watkins; Minnesota, Frank A. Day; Missouri, J. D. Clarkson; Nebraska, D. D. Gregory; New Jersey, James H. Fleming of Newark; New York, Ben S. Dean of Jamestown; North Dakota, H. M. Creel; Ohio, J. J. Harper; Oklahoma, F. S. Peck; Oregon, Charles W. Talmage; South Dakota, B. H. Lien; Utah, W. C. Jones; Washington, George W. Thompson; West Virginia, J. B. Menenger; Wisconsin, D. Frank Powell; Wyoming, A. A. Johnson. The states of Maine, New Hampshire, Pennsylvania, Vermont, Rhode Island, North and South Carolina, Florida, Georgia, Tennessee and Texas were left out. Charles A. Towne was chosen chairman of the national committee and will appoint the executive committee of seven.

The national committee of the new party will be subject to the call of Chairman Towne. Future work will for a great part be left in the hands of committees and especially the executive committee. This body will have the power to call a national convention and take steps toward organizing the new political party in all sections of the country. Ex-Senator Fred T. Dubois will be the chairman of this body, according to the announcement of Mr. Towne.

CAPTAIN MURPHY FINED.

Compelled to Pay For Violating Foreign Enlistment Act.

Kingston, Jamaica, June 10.—Captain Edward Murphy of the steamship Laurada has been fined $500 for violating the foreign enlistment act. Captain Murphy is under $1,500 bail for his appearance in the United States district court at Wilmington, Del., charged with violating the neutrality laws by engaging in a filibustering expedition to Cuba.

His case was called before Judge Bradford, who ordered a forfeiture of the bond, but gave the captain's counsel until June 22 to file reasons why the order should not be made effective. It was said at that time that Captain Murphy was in a hospital in this city.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At Baltimore—

Baltimore	1	0	0	5	3	2	0	0	*	—11
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	—6

Baltimore—Hits, 14; errors, 2. Cleveland—Hits, 9; errors, 5.

At Washington—

Washington	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	*	—6
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Washington—Hits, 14; errors, 0. St. Louis—Hits, 6; errors, 0.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	26	9	.743
Boston	25	12	.676
Cincinnati	24	13	.648
New York	19	15	.558
Cleveland	19	17	.528
Pittsburg	19	17	.528
Brooklyn	19	18	.513
Philadelphia	20	19	.512
Louisville	17	20	.459
Chicago	14	23	.378
Washington	10	25	.286
St. Louis	8	32	.200

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

By decision of Judge Freedman of New York the will of Howell Osborn was declared valid in the supreme court. By it $100,000 is left to Fay Templeton.

Fully 2,000 men are back at work at the iron mills of Jones & Laughlin at Pittsburg, and the remainder, it is thought, will return before the end of the week.

Governor Black of New York has refused to pardon or commute the sentences of death of Guiseppe Constantino of Utica and Howard Scott, a negro, of New York.

Miss Hallie Rile, aged 40 years, registry clerk in the Wilmington (Del.) postoffice, committed suicide by throwing herself from a third story window. Her neck was broken.

At the southern circuit bicycle races Charles J. Carpenter of New Jersey broke his own record for one hour's competitive riding (23 9-10 miles) and finished first, with 24 miles to his credit.

Miss Margaret Kinney, one of the persons injured during the explosion of fireworks at a Halsted and Van Buren streets factory, Chicago, is dead. Nearly 40 persons were injured, and others may die.

Socialist peasant riots have taken place in the communes of Nadudvar and Alpar, Budapest. The gendarmes at both places fired upon the rioters. Two peasants were killed, 40 were severely wounded, and 28 were arrested.

Weather Predictions.

Fair, preceded by showers on the coast; slowly rising temperature; northerly winds.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western quiet, but firm; city mills patents, $4.70@4.95; winter patents, $4.50@4.85; city mills clears, $4.70@4.80; winter straights, $4.10@4.25.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened firm and [illegible] excited advance on a scare of [illegible], followed by a reaction under realizing; July, 75¾@76¼c.; September, [illegible]@71 7-16c.

RYE—Quiet; No. 2 western, 36⅜c.

CORN—No. 2 opened up with wheat, but reacted on better weather news; July, 29⅝c.; September, 30 3-16@31c.

OATS—No. 2 dull and nominal; track, white, state, 25@31½c.; track, white, western, 25@31½c.

LARD—Quiet; prime western steam, $3.75 nominal.

BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 10@14½c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Quiet; state, large, 8¼c.; small, 7¾@8c.

EGGS—Steady; state and Pennsylvania, 11½@12c.; western, 10½@11c.

SUGAR—Raw firmer; fair refining, [illegible]c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅜c.; refined [illegible]; crushed, 5¼c.; powdered, 5c.

AFFECTS RAILROADS

Judge O'Brien's Finding Is Widespread In Its Effect.

SAYS RIGHT RESTS WITH THE STATE.

City Authorities Have No Power to Grant the Right of Franchise—Legislature's Prerogative Is Also Limited by the Constitution.

Albany, June 10.—Judge O'Brien, in writing an opinion declaring the invalidity of the franchise granted to the Third Avenue Railroad company, lays down important findings of law, which will affect every railroad and every common council in the state. He says: "The authority to make use of the public streets of a city for railroad purposes primarily reside in the state and is a part of the sovereign power and the right or privilege of constructing and operating railroads in the streets, which for convenience is called a franchise, must always proceed from that source, whatever may be the agencies through which it is conferred. A use or occupation of the streets for such purposes without the grant or permission of the state through the legislature constitutes a nuisance which may be restrained by individuals injuriously affected thereby.

"The city authorities have no power to grant the right except in so far as they may be authorized by the legislature and then only in the manner and upon the conditions prescribed by the statute. The power of the legislature to authorize the grant of such a franchise by local authority is limited by the constitution and forbidden except in cases where the consent of the owner of one-half in value of the property bounded on and the consent also of the local authorities having the control of that portion of the street or highway upon which it is proposed to construct and operate such railroad be first obtained.

May Be Regulated by the Legislature.

"The legislature, however, in virtue of its general power over municipalities, may regulate the mode and manner in which such consent shall be given by the authorities having control of the street and may prescribe the conditions upon which it may be given, and all these matters have been regulated by statute.

"In conferring the franchise upon the defendant to operate a railroad in the streets designated the common council did not act on the exercise of any natural or inherent power pertaining to the city, but under delegated powers to be used and exercised for public purposes, and in order to vest the defendant with the right claimed it must appear that there was a substantial compliance with the statute.

"The power to consent was not confined upon the local authorities for the sole purpose of securing a pecuniary profit or bringing money to the treasury, but was to be exercised with the regard to the interest and convenience of the public. This is manifest from the provisions of the statute, which requires that the consent for the construction of a branch or extension shall be conditional upon the right of the public to use both the new and old road.

"The opinion therefore holds that, these provisions of the railroad law of the state being violated in any one particular, makes void the grant of franchise of any local authority to any railway, such local authority being at all times amenable to the general railroad law."

Serious Collision In Boston.

Boston, June 10.—A serious accident, by which several persons were injured, one perhaps fatally, occurred here by a collision between an express team and an electric car at the corner of Bromfield and Washington streets. The car struck the rear of the heavy team which was pushed violently against the crowd of passersby, catching them between the wheels and a fence which surrounds a new building. The injured are Miss Cora Jackson of Lynn, struck on the head and picked up unconscious; G. E. Quimby of 244 Washington street, severely bruised; Israel Pratt of Malden, hip dislocated, and James O. George of Malden, internal injuries, may die.

Undertakers Elect Delegates.

Saratoga, June 10.—The New York State Undertakers' association has elected the following delegates to the National Undertakers' association, which will meet at Milwaukee on Oct. 5: W. J. Phillips, Albany; August Eckelberg and S. M. Urandall, New York city; T. J. Dougherty and W. H. Newland, Brooklyn; alternates, James Mullen, Syracuse; J. B. Smith and L. R. Roth, New York city; F. Bayha and George Helfich, Brooklyn.

To Investigate Charities.

Buffalo, June 10.—Anent the report of Mr. Letchworth of the state board of charities scathing the management of the Erie County almshouse the Erie county board of supervisors at its meeting passed a resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of five to prosecute an investigation, with authority to procure papers, issue subpœnas and employ counsel.

Found Dead In Bed.

Washington, June 10.—George W. Marlow of Montgomery county, Md., was found dead in bed at a hotel on Pennsylvania avenue, having committed suicide by asphyxiation. He hung a blanket over the door, closed all the windows and turned on the gas.

Rhode Island Democrats.

Providence, June 10.—The members of the Democratic state central committee met at Democratic headquarters and effected its organization by the reelection of Franklin P. Owen of Scituate as chairman and John E. Conley of Warren as secretary.

Large Fire In Illinois.

Carlinville, Ills., June 10.—The St. Louis Milling company's plant, owned by Samuel Cupples of St. Louis, was destroyed by fire. Loss, $100,000; insurance, $75,000.

Fire In Potsdam.

Watertown, N. Y., June 10.—A special to The Standard from Potsdam, St. Lawrence county, says: Fire partially destroyed the Ives block of this place. Loss, $5,000.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

For Tonight and Friday Generally Fair; Slowly Rising Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 58 Degrees.

ODDLY NAMED LOCALITIES.

If there is another State that can boast of the oddly named localities that New Jersey has, it would be well worth hearing from. We do not refer particularly to villages, for they, as a general rule, are commonplace enough in name, but there are localities which, although in some instances supporting only a couple or three houses, really go by some name, odd and antiquated though it may be. In the list the affix "town" seems to predominate. In this collection there appears Wolftown, Quakertown, Dogtcwn, Feebletown, Antonetown, Southtown, Wiretown, Kennedytown, Cobtown, Slabtown, Jugtown and Stumptown. Wolftown is near the village of Delaware; Quakertown is in Hunterdon county; Dogtown is located in a swamp south of Asbury; Feebletown is a settlement along the Morris Canal at the northeast corner of Washington; Antonetown is the old and prevailing name for Anthony; Wiretown is near Allamuchy; Kennedytown is above Tranquillity, and Stumptown is near Harmony; Jugtown is the much used name for Valley, which village has been called within the last few years West End, West Portal and Valley, although the old residents still cling to the familiar old name of Jugtown. Some of the very oddest names with which we are familiar are Guinea Hollow, Hard Crabble, Buttermilk Bridge, Quaker Settlement, Cat Swamp and Sin Corner, a bad place in the vicinity of Danville. These are in Warren county.—Washington Star.

ABOUT MACEDONIA PEOPLE.

Interested Audience Given a Word Picture of Customs and Manners.

A missionary, of Macedonia, was present at the mid-week service held in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church last evening, and gave a short talk on the manners and customs of the people in his country. He stated in a clear and interesting way the conditions of his people and said that they were largely dependent upon the policy adopted by Russia as to their freedom. He said very little in favor of the Turk, and related how destructive they were with the property and personal effects owned by the people living in Macedonia. The speaker described briefly the religious condition of the people in his country, also that of the Greek and Turk. His remarks were listened to with great interest by those present and all felt as though they had a better knowledge of the country of which the young man spoke.

FATE OF THE FETE.

Success of the Event Will Depend on the Weather Conditions.

The fete champetre will now turn upon the mood of the weather clerk—a most uncertain factor. In case of doubtful or threatening weather, the fete will be held as advertised, for the spacious halls and verandas of the Johnston mansion will afford shelter for many people, if need be.

But in case of a really stormy day the fete must be indefinitely postponed; indeed it will almost postpone itself; and the problem will be to make the loss as light as possible. At best the balance will be on the wrong side of the books if Saturday shall prove a downright rainy day.

Death of a Young Man.

The death of Thomas McCue, aged twenty-one years, son of Patrolman McCue, of West Fourth street, occurred this morning at Muhlenberg Hospital after a long and tedious illness from consumption. The deceased was well known in this locality where he had a large circle of friends and acquaintances. The notice of funeral will be given later.

Cold Enough for a Furnace.

Yesterday was the first time in eleven years that Janitor Stephen A. Hope was compelled to start the furnaces under the Bryant school building in June in order to keep the children warm. The weather was so chilly that the building became cold and damp and it was feared that the pupils would take cold.

Freeholders to Award Bridge Contracts.

A joint committee of the Union county and Somerset county Freeholders will meet at Wm. N. Tier's on Front street tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 to receive bids and award contracts for the construction of a macadam and concrete bridge over the brook at Watchung avenue, and an iron bridge with plank flooring at Sycamore avenue.

—Jerusalem Chapter. No. 24, R. A. M., meet tonight at 8 o'clock.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Mr. Farley, of Newark, was the guest of Plainfield friends yesterday.

Miss Weaver, of West Second street, is improving slowly from a long illness.

Rufus Rowland, of West Seventh street, leaves for Norfolk, Conn., on Saturday.

Miss Grace Johnson, of Duer street, is spending this week with relatives in Brooklyn.

B. M. Day and family, of 35 Rockview avenue, are at Asbury Park for the summer.

Miss Susie Boss, of Central avenue, has returned from a visit with friends in the country.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles R. Thiers, of Grove street, are in Trenton today calling on friends.

Dr. A. H. Lewis has returned from an extensive trip through Pennsylvania and the west.

Miss M. V. Valentine, of Brooklyn, is the guest of Miss Alice Barker, of Grove street, for a few days.

Percy Long, of Harvard College, has returned to his home on Grove street for his summer vacation.

Mayor Wilson, of the borough, has recovered from his slight illness which detained him at home for a few days.

Miss Bertha Temple, of New York, is being entertained at the home of Mrs. Christman, of Rockview avenue.

Charles E. Horne, of Willow avenue, is on a business trip to Baltimore. Mr. Horne expects to be absent about two weeks.

Miss Josephine Newell, of New York, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Clark, Jr., on Myrtle avenue.

Mrs. Spooner, of Brooklyn, formerly of Grove street, and Miss Brown, of Utica, have been stopping at the Revere House.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hibbard, of Sycamore avenue, are visiting relatives at Boston where they will remain until Saturday.

Mrs. J. A. Bunting, of Mercer avenue, will leave on June 16th for Avon-by-the-Sea, where she will occupy her cottage for the summer.

Mrs. W. McElroy, of Somerset street, is being entertained at the home of friends in New York and expects to be absent one week.

Miss Grace Webster Cooley, of Rockview terrace, is at Newton, Mass., where she will remain for several weeks as the guest of friends.

L. L. Manning and Son have just completed a handsome Barre granite sarcophagus in Hillside Cemetery for the estate of the late Elias R. Pope.

The Misses Grace and Alice Barlow, of Prospect place, are at Warwick, Orange county, N. Y., where they will remain for several days visiting friends.

Joseph LaBoyteaux, of Fairview avenue, is home this week on his vacation. He expected to spend it on his wheel but the storm has so far presented.

Mrs. Thomas Murry, of La Grande avenue, has returned from Poughkeepsie where she went to attend the commencement exercises at Vassar College with her daughter.

Letter carrier and Mrs. Charles B. Stevens left yesterday for Atlantic City, where they will attend the annual encampment of the G. A. R. and Woman's Relief Corps of this State.

Department President Mrs. E. C. Morse, and Secretary Mrs. Walter Walker, of the Woman's Relief Corps, No. 10, of this city, left yesterday for the annual convention which is being held this week at Atlantic City.

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Caught His Thumb in the Press.

Richard Ayers, aged 17 years, a resident of Manning avenue and an employee at the Climax Bottle Stopper factory, caught his thumb in a press at the latter place this morning and the member was severely crushed. He went to the hospital where Dr. Long found it necessary to amputate a portion of the thumb.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—VanArsdale is talking about childrens shoes for Children's Day in his ad.

—B. D. Randolph, of Grove street, is having a stone walk laid in front of his residence.

—Willett's, of Park avenue, have some specially fine low cut shoes at low cut rock-bottom prices.

—Will the lady who paid a bill of $3 in pennies on Tuesday at The Press office please call at her convenience.

—The Industrial Home will be opened by the city next week There are about ten persons who will occupy the Home.

—Edward White will put on sale tomorrow over two hundred fine black dress skirts at a remarkably low price. It will pay you to see them.

—The decorations for the Place-Smith wedding at the Crescent Avenue church last evening were in charge of Miss Lincoln, the Park avenue florist.

—Work was resumed on West Front street today by the men in the employ of the city. The work of repairing the above street has reached Liberty street.

—The strawberry and ice cream festival which was to have been held at Warren chapel this evening has been postponed to next Thursday evening.

—Plans for the new East Third Street chapel will be ready in a few days, when bids will be received for doing the work. C. H. Smith, of Grove street, is the architect.

—The children's summer camp on the mountain, which is supported by the Local Union of King's Daughters, will be opened to the public on the afternoon of Saturday, June 24th.

—The Somerset County Board of Freeholders met at New Germantown today to decide about the construction of a bridge across the north branch of the Raritan river near Fleet's mills.

—The condition of the crosswalks at the corner of East Sixth and Washington streets last evening was a disgrace to the city. On one side it was simply impossible to cross on account of the water.

—Don't forget the strawberry and ice cream festival which is being held at Trinity Reformed church this afternoon and evening. All of the profits will go toward purchasing a new carpet for the church.

—A strawberry and ice cream festival, including an entertainment, will be given by Mispah Lodge, No. 1, U. O. of Independent Odd Ladies to be held in Republican rooms, 112 East Front street, tonight.

—Fifteen merchants of Asbury Park, who object to the passage of the recent license ordinance, have instituted quo warranto proceedings to test its constitutionality. They contend that the city was not legally incorporated.

—Attend the strawberry and ice cream festival which is being held in the lecture room of Trinity Reformed church this afternoon and evening. By so doing you will aid in a worthy object, that of securing a new carpet for the church.

—A. C. Lazzi has just completed the laying of two crosswalks on Greenbrook road, at the corners of Somerset and Stone streets. These crosswalks were much needed, and are greatly appreciated by the residents o' that neighborhood.

—The Reform Club will hold one of its very best meetings tonight, commencing at 8 o'clock. A fine musical programme has been arranged and many of the best speakers of the club will be present, and besides two fine speakers from the legal profession will be there and give their best.

—The local Post, Volunteers of America, will open their summer campaign, under canvas on Saturday, June 12th, at 8 p. m., and Sunday at 11 a. m., 3 and 8 p. m., on Somerset street, near Lincoln place. The Australian cornetist will be present and other interesting features will be introduced.

—Four young men will be ordained as priests of the Episcopal church at Christ church, New Brunswick, Friday morning, at 11 o'clock. Bishop Scarborough will conduct the service, and the sermon will be preached by Rev. Dr. Baker, rector of Trinity church, Princeton. Those who will be ordained are Franz Schneiweiss, of Christ church, New Brunswick; Chas. Fiske, of St. John's church, New Brunswick; William F. Baker, of Trinity church, Princeton; and J. Hutchinson, from another diocese.

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groom were very expensive as well as useful. They consisted of furniture, silverware, goldware, cut glass, etc.

The music for the reception was furnished by P. Ludwig Conde.

The following were present at the reception: Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Groendyke, Rev. and Mrs. Wm. R. Richards, Miss Eleanor Roome, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac W. Rushmore, Miss Rushmore, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Rushmore, Mr. and Mrs. Townsend Rushmore, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Pierson, Miss Pierson, Mr. and Mrs. Powers, the Misses Powers, Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson, Miss Thompson, Miss Vandeventer, Miss Hallah Vandeventer, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Van Vliet, Miss Van Auden, Mr. James Murray, Mrs. Walter Marray, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Myers, Mr. Joseph L. Myers, Mrs. Annie Myers, Mr. and Mrs. S. St. John McCutchen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. McCutchen, Rev. and Mrs. T. L. Murphy and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McKenzie, Mrs Minnie Mead, Mrs. Letitia Myers, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Munger and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Lovell, Gen. and Mrs. Ell Long and family, Mrs. Ellen R. Ackerman, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest R. Ackerman, Mr. Aber Albertson, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Howland, Mr. and Mrs. S. Huntington and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hegeman, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hegeman, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. A. V. D. Honeyman and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Hunter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hyde, Miss Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Cahoone, Miss Cahoone, Miss Cook. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cokefair, Francis A. Cokefair, Miss Kenyon, Miss Ege, Edmund Embury, the Misses Embury, Mrs. John G. Foster, C. E. Faber. Morgan Daboll, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Sandford, Miss Sandford, Mr. and Mrs. Schoonmaker, Everett Dwight, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Walz, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wood and family, all of Plainfield; Vincent Gaylord, Miss Gaylord, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Parker, Frank J. Parker, of Branford, Conn.; Miss Adriana Banons, Nyack, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Potter, Jr., Providence, R. I; Mr. and Mrs. John Place, Miss Jennie C. Place, Miss Phoebe Place, N. Place, all of Fishkill-on-Hudson, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Place, Mrs. Grace Marshall, all of New York; Mr. Henry C. Place, Mrs. E. H. Spooner, of Brooklyn; Mr. and Mrs. Allen W. Mallory, of Washington, D. C.; Mr. Abram Garfield, Mentor, O.; Irving Garfield, Boston, Mass.; S. J. Currie, Orange, N. J.

PASSING COMMENT.

A few days ago R. M. Fountain, of Jackson avenue, enjoyed a carriage drive to Scooth Plains and vicinity. He selected the back road and while en route saw some pretty flowers which he desired to pick. He alighted from the carriage and after securing the flowers returned home. The next morning Mr. Fountain started for the North Avenue station to take a train to New York. When he arrived at the station he discovered that his commutation ticket was missing. It was a new ticket and Mr. Fountain had no desire to lose it. In a few minutes it dawned on his mind that he might have dropped it while picking flowers the day before, and he returned home with the determination to go the place where he found the flowers and see if his ticket was there. He did so and very much to his delight he found the ticket.

—Additional local news on the third page.

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We have just received a nice line of

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Children's Fast Black Seamless Hose from 10c up.

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Childrens' Day Sunday.

That means nice shoes for the little "Tots." We're in the shoe business and our children's department is filled with good things, too, and don't forget to let us fit you out with shoes and rubbers before you go on your vacation We can save you money.

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No Action on New Clubhouse.

The expected action of the Board of Governors of the Crescent Wheelmen to authorize the building of the new clubhouse was not taken last evening. A meeting had been called for last night, but the inclement weather kept many of the Board away and the intended meeting was not held. Instead a club meeting of the Wheelmen has been called for next Wednesday evening when all the members will be called together to discuss the question and to see exactly what financial support can be obtained from the members who have not already subscribed.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Walter Runyon has fully recovered from his recent severe illness.

Miss Snyder left town yesterday for Flemington where she will remain for an indefinite time.

Randolph Runyon, of Plainfield, has been visiting his father, Eugene Runyon, of North avenue.

The members of the M. E. church Sunday-school will meet this evening to rehearse Children's Day music.

Eugene Runyon, the real estate dealer, reports that the demand for Dunellen property is on the increase.

The Epworth League of the M. E. church will hold a business meeting this evening in the lecture room of the church.

Mrs. Fred Reed, formerly of this place, but now of New York, is spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. Palmer, of West Dunellen.

The people of Dunellen are expressing much surprise that the sewer beds are so inoffensive. They really seem to have nothing to object over.

Miss Maggie Hill, who has been visiting Elizabeth relatives, has returned to the home of Mr. and Mrs Frank Bowlsby, of Washington avenue.

The members of Friendship Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., will hold their usual Fourth of July games this year and arrangements are being made to have a fine time.

Messers. J. F. Snell and Edward Herlich were duly initiated into William G. Holton Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., Tuesday evening. A delegation was present from Somerset Council, of North Plainfield.

Rev. and Mrs. Kinzie, of Newark, were in town yesterday and attended the funeral of the late Rev. George Newton which was held at the M. E church. Mr. Kinzie, who was a personal friend of the deceased, made a few very appropriate remarks concerning the life of his friend.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Miss Sadie Walpole visited in Plainfield today.

Miss Edna Nicholl is visiting relatives in Rochester, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lee are expected home today from Paterson, where they have been spending a few days with Mr. Lee's mother.

A large black dog, evidently mad, ran through Front street, yesterday, biting several dogs on his way. Before steps could be taken to kill the animal he had disappeared in the direction of Plainfield.

A few citizens of Scotch Plains, with sporting proclivites, went to New York last evening to witness the Sharkey-Maher prize fight, and after paying their admission fees were much disgusted at the police authorities for interfering in the seventh round and stopping the fun.

James Jepson, the inspector of electric lights in Scotch Plains and Fanwood, has written a letter to The Press correcting the statement made in this column on the 5th inst., to the effect that the citizens of the two towns have expressed dissatisfaction at the dimness of many of the lights and the failure of others to burn at all.

The strawberry and ice cream festival given by the Ladies' Circle of the Scotch Plains Baptist church in the chapel last evening, was a success in spite of the stormy weather. The attendance was large, and the supply of good things was easily disposed of. Late in the evening games were played and a pleasant social hour was enjoyed. The committee in charge, whose labors made the festival a success, was composed of Miss Barr, Mrs. Westcott, Miss Bornmann, Mrs. Chas. Frentz, Miss Nicholl, Mrs. Habberly and the Misses Hayes. The waitresses were Miss Addie Johnston, Miss Gertrude Smalley, Miss Nellie Fancher and Miss Marjorie Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Randolph have returned from their wedding trip and are living on West Front street, [illegible] shoe store.

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity.

Examinations in the public schools will begin next Monday.

The Shakesperean Society of the I. O. S. will meet this evening.

Miss Minnie Reger has joined the ranks of Westfield's wheelwomen.

William E. MacDonald, of Red Bank, is spending a few days in town.

Mrs. Nellie Hale and Master Arthur Hale leave for the Catskills, tomorrow.

The pastor's Bible class of the Baptist church will meet in the church this evening.

Arthur Knight, of Lehigh University, will spend the summer at his home, on Elm street.

The case of Barton against Weidner, on contract, will be tried before Justice Loucey today.

Mr. and Mrs. Tremain, of Brooklyn, are the guests of Mrs. Tremain's mother, Mrs. Cook, of Elm street.

Fireside Council, No. 715, R. A., will meet in its council rooms in the National Bank building this evening.

The managers of the Children's Country Home will hold a meeting at the Home, tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Harry P. Condit, of New York, will shortly spend a vacation of two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Condit, of Elm street.

The meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church, which was to have been held yesterday afternoon, was postponed one week on account of the storm.

The case of Weidner against Barton will be tried by Justice Hart, tomorrow afternoon. Counsel for the plaintiff is Charles Angleman, and for the defendant, Paul Q. Oliver.

The Westfield Township Committee will meet tonight to discuss the question of issuing $30,000 worth of sewer bonds. Property owners are invited to attend and express their views upon the subject.

The case of Edgar against Gale for services performed on the lawn of Gale's clubhouse last summer, was called in Justice Collins' court yesterday. As the defense failed to put in an appearance, a judgment of $10 and costs was awarded the plaintiff.

George T. Cruttenden, formerly of this place, and Miss Jennie L. Austin, of Brooklyn, will be married on July 21st at the home of the bride's sister, Rutledge street, Brooklyn. They will spend their honeymoon in Connecticut, and will then take up their residence with Mrs. Elizabeth MacQuoid, on Elm street.

A committee of the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders, consisting of Freeholders Roll, Clark, Robinson, Hubbard and Miller, were in Westfield yesterday afternoon examining the site of the proposed new bridge on Broad street, between Elm and Prospect streets. The bridge, if erected, will be an iron girder structure costing $1,500.

The special committee appointed by the Westfield Board of Education to consider the question of securing school facilities at Garwood, will go to Cranford Saturday evening to talk over the matter with the school trustees of that township. The school question has always been a vexing one at Garwood. The settlement lies partly in Cranford township and partly in Westfield, and it is therefore necessary for the school boards of the two townships to work harmoniously in order to secure school facilities. Complications have arisen from time to time however, and as a result Garwood has been without a school this winter. Most of the trouble seems to have been caused by Cranford's action. Her Board at the beginning of the present school year refused to discuss the matter at all until arrangements for constructing a new school building at Cranford could be completed. Another obstacle lay in the fact that a portion of Cranford's people wish to have the township's new school located on the south side of the tracks, in the direction of Garwood. This faction, of course, opposed the establishment of a school at Garwood, as tending to lessen the chances of their district to secure the new Cranford building. A sentiment favorable to the settlement of the question has of late been shown by the Cranford trustees, in spite of obstacles in their way, and they recently invited the Westfield Board to a conference. The meeting of Saturday evening will be in response to this invitation.

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NEWMAN'S STAGE LINE TIME TABLE

Between Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

Leave Plainfield..... { 7.00; 9.30; 12.45 a. m. 4.00; 6.00; 9.00 p. m. Sunday—9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00, 6.00 p. m.

Leave Scotch Plains. { 6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m. 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m. Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2.00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

CHASED A DEBTOR.

Dr. Wood Found by Lawyer Williams After Visiting a Number of Towns.

Dr. Wood, formerly of Crescent avenue, on whose goods an attachment was made a few days ago, has been located at Harrisburg, Pa., by Lawyer Walter Williams, of the firm of Swackhamer & Williams, who left Plainfield last Tuesday morning in search of the doctor. Mr. Williams went from here to Phillipsburg, then to Easton, Allentown, Reading and Harrisburg. At each of the above places he found people who knew something of the doctor's residence but they refused to tell.

Mr. Williams arrived at Harrisburg about 1 o'clock yesterday morning and in a short time he learned that Dr. Wood was practicing in that city. He found the doctor and then went to the office of a Justice of the Peace where he took steps to prosecute the doctor in the interest of his creditors in Plainfield. Later he saw the doctor and the latter made promises that he would settle all claims. He said that he expected to pay his creditors as soon as he could collect the money. After Mr. Williams was satisfied that the doctor would pay up he returned to Plainfield, reaching here this morning.

Good Things to Eat.

The strawberry and ice cream festival held at the First Church of Christ last evening was a success. The attendance was gratifying, in spite of the disagreeable weather. Miss Anna Fenner was in charge of the candy table, while Miss Hattie Bush and Mrs. Woolley presided at the lemonade well. The strawberry table was looked after by Mrs. Bush and Mrs. Brown. A pretty flower booth was in charge of Miss Mabel Wilson and Miss Bertha Rockafellow. Mr. Staats served the ice cream, and the women of the church acted as waitresses. The cake table was in charge of Mrs. Van-Middlesworth.

Married at Bride's Home.

Joseph Brown and Mrs. Mary Emma Evans, both of this city, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's father, Jacob Cose, of Grant avenue, last evening. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph.D. The wedding was a very quiet one and was only attended by the relatives of the couple.

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Executor's Sale OF Valuable Real Estate.

In order to settle up the estate of James Jackson, deceased, the undersigned executor will sell at public auction on the

17th Day of June, A. D. 1897, AT 3 P. M., AT Carey's Auction Rooms, 324 West Front Street,

the following valuable pieces of real estate.

First Tract. Known as 409 East Sixth street, being 74 feet front and rear by 98 feet deep, containing dwelling house with ten rooms, modern improvements and in good repair, also barn in good repair.

Second Tract. On Lee place 100 feet southerly from South avenue, being 50 feet front and rear by 100 feet deep, containing two dwelling houses, No. 211 and 213. Will be sold jointly or separately to suit purchasers. Dwellings contain seven rooms each and are in good repair.

Also three houses on East Second street near Berkman street, 33½ feet front and rear each by 240 feet deep. These properties are in good repair and nicely located. Dwellings contain seven rooms each, and are known as No. 717, 719 and 721 East Second street.

Also the following vacant lot located on the corner of Lee place and South avenue and is 100 feet front by 100 feet deep. Is a corner lot and a valuable piece of property.

The above premises will positively be sold to the highest bidder and will afford a grand opportunity for investors as well as parties desiring a home.

Parties desiring to inspect premises may do so at any time before sale.

Parties desiring particular information regarding any of the above premises may call upon the undersigned executor at any time before sale.

Do not miss the opportunity. Be on hand and secure a bargain. Terms easy and made known on day of sale.

RICHARD J. JACKSON, EXECUTOR.
T. J. CAREY, AUCTIONEER. 6 10 6

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Our Prices are low.
Give us a Trial Order.
Free and Prompt Delivery.

MARRIED.

BROWN-EVANS—At the home of the bride's father, Jacob Cose, Esq., Grant avenue, Plainfield, N. J., June 9th, 1897, by the Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., Mr. Joseph Brow and Mrs. Mary Emma Evans, both of this city.

Randolph Runyon,
Funeral Director and Embalmer,
Residence, Over Office. Office 43 Somerset St., Plainfield, N. J.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

LOST—A red setter dog, white face and forefeet, blind in one eye; collar on, marked Robert W. Dryden, Plainfield; answers to name of Don. Reward for return to 120 West Seventh street.

PLATFORM scale wanted. P. O. Box 750. 6 10 2

WANTED—Poems of a religious or secular nature, to set to music. For particulars address Composer, care Press.

FURNISHED rooms to let, with or without board. 9 Grove street. 6 10 3

WOULD like a few more table boarders. Also a large airy front room with board. 145 West Second St. 6 9 4

WANTED—At once; gentleman stenographer and typewriter. Address 21, care Press.

YOUNG MAN wishes steady employment; understanns care of horses and driving; temperate and reliable; reference. Address T. H., care Press. 6 10 2

GOOD girl wants place at cooking or general housework. 616 West 3d street.

LARGE handsome front room to let with superior board; moderate terms. 132 Crescent avenue. 6 9 6

HANDSOME dark bay horse for sale, suitable for light driving, weight 1,000 lbs. Box 261, Plainfield. 6 8 3

STRAYED—On June 2d, liver and white Pointer Dog, answers to the name of "Alex." Reward. F. C. Phoebus, City. 6 5 tf

BARGAIN—9 room house; three thousand; central location. LaRue, Marsh building. 6 5 6

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished, house, No. 92 Duer street. Enquire on premises. 6 3 tf

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TAKE WASH GOODS

There never was a season known when the wholesale market has been so glutted with thin, cool, dainty summer fabrics. The result is a price break.

Yard-wide Percales..... 5c
Fine Dimities..... 6c
Fine dress Ginghams..... 6c
French Jackonets..... 10c
Pretty Challies..... 10c
Lace stripe Gingham..... 12c
Fine Organdies..... 12c
Mixed Bicycle Suiting..... 10c

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR.

The continued cool weather makes it imperative that makers should sell now, and to unload quick they sell at a loss. Values will surprise you here.

Ribbed Vests..... 7c
Lisle finish vests..... 10c
Silk trimmed vests..... 15c
Fine lisle vests..... 25c
Silk vests..... 50c

DRESS GOODS.

Much of the loss caused by these reductions we take ourselves—its clearing time in this department, and we must have shelf room. If its dress goods you save money by buying here.

40-in black and blue Etima cloth..... 25c
54-in all-wool Cloth..... 39c
40-in all-wool Cashmere..... 33c
54 in silk and wool Mixture..... 49c
54-in all wool Bicycle Suiting..... 49c

HOSIERY.

Business bringing items these, all bought for a quick sale. Fix your hosiery thoughts on this store—we sell nothing but what will wear and give satisfaction.

Ladies' hose, extra fine quality..... 14c
Ladies' lisle hose, very fine..... 25c
Children's plain hose, fine quality..... 15c
Boy's bicycle hose, double sole knee..... 15c
Men's fine black half hose..... 13c
Men's fancy colored hose, value 35c a pair, our price..... 18c.

BIG WEEK AMONG THE MATTINGS.

Not a word of argument, simply the cold facts in the shape of description and prices—by yard or roll, it matters not which—there will be a lot of cool matting sold in this store during the next few days.

20-yd rolls of fine Jap Matting..... $2.48 the roll
Extra fine linen warp matting..... 20c. yd
Extra heavy China Matting, worth 25c., goes for..... 15c
Special low prices in all-wool Art Squares.

MEN'S OUTING SHIRTS.

Another prominent manufacturer over estimated his output or underestimated the uncertainty of the climate. Result, the consumer gets a buying benefit such as is seldom met with.

Fine Outing Shirts made of fine cheviot, full size..... 32c
Fine Cambric Shirts made of best percale, laundried..... 48c
Silk Stripe Madras Cloth Shirts, worth $1..... 59c
Boys' Laundried Cambric Shirts..39c

MANY LITTLE THINGS.

At a little price, but the saved pennies here and there count.

Summer corsets..... 39c
All linen doylies..... 41c, doz
Extra large Turkish towels..... 10c
4 button chamois gloves..... 67c
Best quality percaline lining..... 10c
Pretty figured denims..... 13c yd
New Japanese drapery..... 10c
Curtain nets for sash curtains..11c
Fine embroideries..... 5c
Hot water bags..... 49c

EDWARD WHITE.

LEDERER'S,

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All the straw shapes heretofore sold at 79c-98c up to $1.49 have been repriced to 69c. 20 varieties of flowers heretofore 39c 49c-59c, repriced to 29c.

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A thousand yards of wool challies at 17c yard, worth 30c. A thousand yards of Lawn at 3 1-2c, worth 6c. 300 yards Linen Lawn at 19c. yard, worth 30c. About 1,000 yards Lawn in remnants of 5 to 12 yards to be sold at 4c yard, regular price 10c.

Shirt Waists:

Just placed on sale an assortment of plaid Lawn waists entirely new in design and coloring, price $1.29.

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LOW SHOES

often occasion distress at the instep, but that is not because the shoes are simply low, they are not made right. The low shoes we have on sale are made to fit as snugly as a well made glove. You get the benefit of a cooler shoe with none of the discomforts of a shaky one.

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Our $3.00 line of Mens' Tan Shoes are something elegant. All shapes of toes. Come around and let our artist polish up your shoes and take a look at our new ones.

SHE KEPT HIM A BACHELOR.

Yet Gave Him the Start in Life That Made Him a Success.

A Michigan lawyer, whose success has been an established fact for years, tells one incident in his life, from which he dates his prosperity:

"I had gone from a farm up in New Hampshire to Boston. In worldly matters I was deplorably ignorant, but in book lore I must have been something of a phenomenon, for so much that I have read was literature such as occupied the thoughts of the scholar a century or so ago. I had said farewell to the folks at home, and positively assured them that when I came back I would be a lawyer.

"I had my whole campaign mapped out, and you can infer I was a novice from my line of procedure. In my mind the Mayor of a great city exercised a sort of patriarchal sovereignty. From what I had read in my old books he was the father of his people. So I went to the Mayor of Boston; not to his office, but to his house, in the evening, and without invitation. He was the central figure in some sort of social function, and I was practically paralyzed when ushered into his august presence. The fine ladies about him put the finishing touches on my timidity. As I look back I can recall that I would speak at first, then think, and finally suffer indescribable horrors. I was in a state of irresponsible extinction. But it was one of those same fine ladies that came to my rescue. With a tact that would have won her fame as a cross-examiner, she drew me out, was delighted with the quaint knowledge that I possessed, interested the Mayor in spite of himself, and he actually put me into an office where I was self-sustaining from the start.

"When admitted to the bar I found an opening to come West and have always been satisfied that it was the Mayor who found it for me. I tried to induce that fine young lady to come with me, but she was just as tactful in refusing my proposal as she had been in helping me to a start. I think it is her fault that I am a lawyer, and I know it's her fault that I'm a bachelor."—Detroit Free Press.

THE CAMEL'S HUMP.

The Latest Scientific Explanation of Its Origin and Purpose.

Where did the camel get its hump?

Be it known that camels did not originally have humps on their backs. So says Professor Cattaneo, of the Italian Institute of Science. The proof that they did not and the explanation of why they have them now is given by this savant in a recently published monograph, which is the result of scientific study of the subject.

The llama is known to have been used as a beast of burden centuries before the discovery of the western hemisphere, but it is asserted that thousands of years before the first llama carried a load upon its back the camel had been domesticated and was used for the transportation of burdens.

It is upon this point that the Italian savant rests his theory as to the formation of that animal's hump. In the beginning, he says, the camel, like the llama, was straight of back, but a hundred centuries, perhaps, of making a pack animal of the camel have brought about the change. At first the skin grew loose upon the camel's back. Then there and upon its knees the skin grew thick and callous. Soon nature began to pad this burdened part with fat and muscle; then for countless generations heredity did its work; little by little the hump grew, until it finally acquired its present size.

The use of the camel in the desert places of the world also played its part in the formation of this portion of its anatomy. For, being forced to go without food for days at a time, nature came to the rescue of the camel and providently stored these humps with fat which should nourish the beast through its periods of privation.—New York Journal.

A Narrow Escape.

A very quiet and unobstructive grocer, now living in Omaha, was, so years ago, a scout and frontiersman in Nebraska and the Dakotas, when buffalos and Indians were plenty. One day he was out on a hunt for game to supply a party he was guiding, when he encountered a small herd of buffalo. He had brought down two of the big animals and was aiming at a third, when the herd, instead of running away, ran directly toward him. He was more surprised than alarmed, as he had a good pony under him, but as he wheeled when the herd surrounded him, the pony slipped and fell. There was only one way to escape being trampled to death; he seized the mane of the nearest buffalo and vaulted on its back. The strange steed stayed with the herd for a mile or more, and then struck off for itself. Taking advantage of this move, the scout, with his revolver, shot it behind the left fore leg, and down it came to the ground. "I was well satisfied with three buffaloes that trip," said the old-time hunter, "and I'd been satisfied with that last one only."—Golden Days.

Pleasant Woman to Live With.

"The weather is very trying for everybody," says the physician.

"Yes," replied Mr. Meckton, "I don't see how my wife is going to bear up under it. When the sun doesn't shine it gives her the blues, and when it does she says it's fading the carpet.—Odds and Ends.

Narcotic.

First Lodger—That piano of yours in the next room was going all night; I couldn't sleep a wink. What on earth were you doing?

Second Lodger—I was composing a lullaby.—Boston Courier.

OLD EMPEROR AND NEW EMPEROR.

How William the Grandfather Has Been Made to Contradict His Grandson.

The last "Bismarck Year Book" sheds a rather peculiar light upon the young Emperor's speech about the men who were "mere instruments" in the hands of his grandfather when Germany was unified. It contains several letters, hitherto unpublished, from Emperor William I. to his Chancellor. If these letters show anything they show the fulness of gratitude felt by the monarch toward the man who had made him great. Again and again the old man manifested his thankfulness to Bismarck, his confidence in him, and his modesty in yielding to him all the credit for the achievements that made the present empire a possibility.

The farewell words in some of the letters are: "God be with you. Your William;" "Your truly devoted William;" "Your thankful king, William;" "Your truly devoted and thankful William." In a birthday letter written on April 1, 1881, the Emperor apologizes for not offering congratulations in person; he was ill, otherwise he would have called to see the man "whose creative genius" had evolved and carried out "so many vast plans." Writing in 1882 the old man spoke of the labor rescripts, the prototype of the young Emperor's labor rescripts, as "Bismarck's own exclusive work." In 1888 he referred to Bismarck as the one "who wrought out and guided the mighty events that led to the glorious peace" of Frankfort.

In every letter the old Emperor inquired after Bismarck's health, not perfunctorily, but with an earnest solicitude and affection which are pathetic in their simple honesty. It is doubtful if the contrast between the modest honesty of the grandfather and the pompous presumption of the grandson could be marked more clearly than it is by the publication of these letters immediately after William II.'s last speech.

THE EMPRESS OF GERMANY.

She Loves Her Nursery Better than the Whole Empire.

The Empress of Germany, also Queen of Prussia, and just one year older than her energetic mate, Emperor William II., is the proud mother of seven handsome children, and came to the throne with her husband in 1888. The Empress Victoria Augusta plainly shows in her face that she is a contented, wholesome and unambitious woman. She takes no part in politics, is a happy wife, a devoted mother and ardently religious. Since her coronation she has, from her husband's treasury, expended something like $6,000,000 on the building of churches alone; she gives largely in charity, but her delight is her nursery, and it is a proverb in Germany that the Empress suffers more keen anxiety over the croupy cough of one of the royal babies than the most momentous question affecting the whole Empire, though her husband and the nation respect her none the less for this feminine trait and her maternal solicitude.

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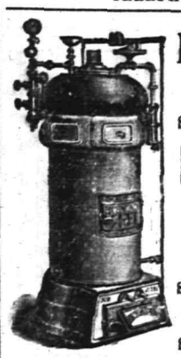

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; (12 45 and 1 40 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p.m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 57, 6 29, 6 59, 7 20, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 37, 11 10, am; 12 03, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 23, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 15, 7 55, 8 35, 9 05, 10 05, 11 35, a.m; (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 55, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30, 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 45, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 05, 5 15, 5 54, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 23, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 39 5 09, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 45, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 25, 4 35, 5 28, 6 08, 6 10, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 3 11, 4 56, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 23, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 33, 4 04, 7 00, p, m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 02 a m; 6 30, 10 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 15 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

3 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 15 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

9 54 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

5 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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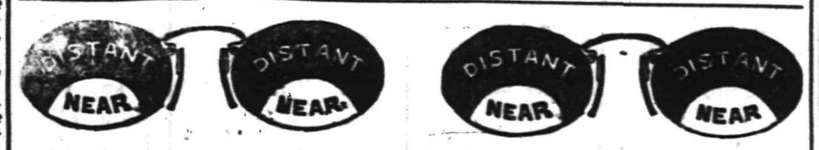

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PARDONS GRANTED.

Governor Black Exercises Executive Clemency In Several Cases.

Albany, June 10.—Governor Black has granted the following pardons: Joseph Mintz, convicted of sodomy in New York on Aug. 9, 1894, and sentenced to five years and two months. Mintz was only 16 years old when convicted and had been a boy of excellent character. He has been in the penitentiary nearly three years.

Arthur W. Herring, 20 years old, convicted of assault, second degree, in Erie county, December, 1896. Pardoned on the recommendation of the district attorney.

Edwin Renner, sentenced in Monroe county to Elmira reformatory January, 1896, for stealing a bicycle. Pardon recommended by judge, district attorney and prominent citizens of Rochester.

Edwin Ellis, sentenced in January in Yates county to Auburn prison for one year and six months for bigamy. Pardon recommended by judge, district attorney and other citizens.

ARRESTED AS A SUSPECT.

The Authorities Believe They Have the Man Who Killed Young Long.

Greenwich, Conn., June 10.—Deputy Sheriff Miller of Stamford has arrived here with a man under arrest who is suspected of firing the shot that resulted in the death of young Long early Sunday morning. The sheriff will not say anything relative to who the prisoner is or where he found him, but expressed the belief that he would likewise be able to capture the woman connected with the affair before many hours.

The prisoner has been identified by some of the men who were held as witnesses as being the man last seen with Long previous to the shooting. The prisoner has already engaged Attorney Hurlburt to look after his case, and the attorney stated that when the case came up his client would readily prove an alibi.

WANTED IN BOSTON.

Circulars Sent Out Asking For the Arrest of a Gold Brick Swindler.

Boston, June 10.—The police here have sent out circulars all over the country, with a picture and description of Frank Aldrich, a professional bunko man, attached, to which is a request that he be arrested on sight.

Chief Watts has been looking for Aldrich for a long time and thought he would have him in prison long before this. For that reason circulars were not sent out before, although he was indicted by the grand jury more than a year ago.

Aldrich is wanted for working the gold brick game, and the chief has now in his safe two of Aldrich's bricks, for which, the police say, a New Hampshire man paid $14,000.

Mining Company Declares a Dividend.

Boston, June 10.—The directors of the Calumet and Hecla Mining company have just declared another dividend of $10 per share and made the same payable July 7 to stockholders of record June 11. The last previous dividend was $5 and was paid April 23, and the announced $10 really amounts to an "extra" of $5 and brings the total payments thus far this calendar year up to $30 per share, as against $25 for the corresponding period last year. It is the first payment in the new fiscal year, beginning May 1. The declaration of $10 calls for $1,000,000 and brings the company's aggregate dividend disbursements up to $49,850,000.

To the Jubilee In a Cattle Steamer.

Boston, June 10.—The Leyland line steamer Lancastrian steamed out of Boston harbor on her way to Liverpool with a load of cattle and a crowd of "cow punchers" of a very unusual nature. Half of them were of the ordinary sort. The other half was made up of college students, who are anxious to go across to attend the queen's jubilee, including 17 Harvard men, 2 "tech" fellows, 1 Princeton man and 1 Boston Latin school man, who have chosen this method of working their passage. The men are all shipped in the usual way, no objection being made to taking them.

Shot at For Calling Names.

Buffalo, June 10.—John Gittie, 70 years old, a railroad flagman, fired two shots from a revolver at Charles Blufuss and Frank Knoph, the engineer and fireman of a Lake Shore engine, as it flew past the Clinton street crossing. Neither of the men were struck. One of the bullets flew wide of its mark, and the other passed through the window of the cab, flattening on the wall opposite. Gittie was arrested. He claims that the crews of trains annoyed him by calling him names.

Stabbed Over Cards.

Kingston, N. Y., June 10.—At Hickory Bush, six miles from here, last night, Peter McMunn and Edward Geary while quarreling over a game of cards got to fighting, and Geary stabbed McMunn five times with a cheese knife. The injuries may prove fatal. Geary, who hails from Newburg, is still at large.

Ordnance Contracts Awarded.

Washington, June 10.—The war department has awarded to the Tredegar Iron works of Richmond and the Rome Locomotive works of Rome, N. Y., the contracts for supplying the army with 1,900 heavy shot and shell for siege and seacoast guns at the figures and under the conditions set out in their bids.

Hotel Guest Burned to Death.

Montrose, Colo., June 10.—The Montrose hotel, a two-story frame building, and a block of stores have been burned. Robert H. Mead, aged 65 years, of Portland, Colo., a guest at the hotel, burned to death. A dozen other guests were rescued uninjured. The fire is believed to have been of incendiary origin.

Poisoned by Ice Cream.

Catskill, N. Y., June 10.—More than 100 persons who ate ice cream at a festival given by the ladies of the Athens Methodist church were poisoned, but happily none seriously. The ice cream had stood for several hours in tin vessels.

To Build an Electric Road.

Albany, June 10.—The railroad commission has granted the application of the Greenbush and Nassau Railroad company for permission to construct an electric road from Rensselaer to Nassau, in Rensselaer county.

FRENCHMEN IN A DUEL

Fought In Paris on Account of a Lady's Remark.

SENT A CHALLENGE FORTHWITH.

The Challenged Party the Brother-in-law of the Author of the Remark—Refused to Accept, but Finally Agrees and Wounds the Challenger.

Paris, June 10.—All Paris is talking of the duel with swords fought between two members of the old nobility, Count Robert de Montesquien and Henri de Regnier at Neuilly le Vallois, growing out of a remark made by Mlle. Heredia, the sister-in-law of Regnier, a few days ago in the salon of the Baroness Alphonse de Rothschild.

Mlle. Heredia, who was with her sister, Mme. de Regnier, turned the conversation on a handsome cane carried by the Count de Montesquien, who stood near her, and remarked that it was just the sort of cane that might have been used at the charity bazaar fire to beat the ladies.

The count, who overheard the remark, interpreted it as an insinuation of cowardly conduct on his part toward women at the fire. Immediately withdrawing from the salon, he sent a challenge to M. de Regnier, who was escorting his wife and sister-in-law, and before midnight seconds were appointed and the preliminaries of the duel arranged. On reconsideration, however, the seconds of De Regnier submitted to the count's seconds that the remark was one of mere banter, upon which the count ought not to place so serious a construction and urged that the matter be arbitrated.

Accused of Being a Coward.

The Count de Montesquien thereupon twitted De Regnier with being afraid to meet him and branded him in the newspapers as a coward. This resulted in a challenge from De Regnier after three days spent in the discussion of conflicting statements as to the precise words used by Mlle. Heredia and Mme. de Regnier, who had echoed her sister's remarks.

The Count de Montesquien immediately accepted this challenge. His seconds were the Count Dion de Montesquien and M. Maurice Barros, and M. de Regnier's were MM. Henri Houssaye and Jean Doraud.

The duel was fought in the presence of M. Georges Hugo and the artists M. Forain and M. Carun d'Ache. The combatants attacked one another with the greatest vigor and for ten minutes fought to kill. In the third encounter the Count de Montesquien was severely wounded in the back of the right hand. The surgeons then interfered and refused to allow the combat to proceed.

The combatants, on withdrawing, declined even to bow to each other. The affair has made a tremendous sensation, as it may prove the first incident in a general boycott socially of a number of men who are persistently accused in certain quarters of having displayed the rankest cowardice at the Charity bazaar fire.

Telegraph Suit Stopped.

Boston, June 10.—The petition to declare William H. Baker, vice president and general manager of the Postal Telegraph company, in contempt of court has been dropped. The petition was brought by Marsden J. Perry, receiver of the United Telegraph company, in the United States circuit court, and it alleged that Baker's agent, E. C. Platt of New York, had received 6,500 shares of stock in the telegraph company, to be turned over to the receiver and that he had failed to do so. Since then, however, the 6,500 shares of stock have been returned to Receiver Perry, and the contempt proceedings will not be prosecuted.

Threw Himself From a Train.

Baltimore, June 10.—John Uim Snyder, a German, aged 25 and well dressed, attempted suicide by throwing himself from the window of the Baltimore and Ohio royal blue when near Van Bibber and while going at the rate of 45 miles an hour. He smashed the car window with his fists and jumped before he could be restrained. The train was backed, and Snyder, who was not seriously injured, ran to a nearby creek and tried to drown himself. He was rescued, however, by train people and brought to Baltimore. He now lies at the Maryland General hospital with a scalp wound and badly lacerated hands.

Arrest In the West Point Case.

Newburg, N. Y., June 10.—Thomas Kilbridge, a West Shore lineman, has been arrested here in connection with the West Point cannon case. The arrest was made by William J. McManus of the United States secret service, treasury department, on a warrant issued by Commissioner Shields of New York. Kilbridge was taken to New York and will be arraigned before Commissioner Shields. He is 36 years old and has a wife and three children.

Liquor Tax Rebates.

Albany, June 10.—The appropriation made by the last legislature for the payment of liquor tax rebates is now available, and arrangements have been made for liquidation. Commissioner Lyman has forwarded to county treasurers for delivery to owners his checks for the state's one-third and drafts upon local fiscal officers for their share of the outstanding rebates due upon surrendered liquor tax certificates of 1896.

Augusta's Centennial.

Augusta, Me., June 10.—Augusta yesterday celebrated the centennial anniversary of its birth, with many natives of the city present who have not visited their former homes in many years, who joined with the residents and other visitors in the exercises of the day.

New Insurance Company.

Albany, June 10.—Superintendent of Insurance Louis F. Payn has authorized the National Surety company of New York to commence business, with a capital of $500,000 and paid in surplus of $500,000. The deposit with the insurance department is $200,000.

Excise Clerk Removed.

Albany, June 10.—Excise Commissioner Lyman has removed from office Joseph A. Flanley, who has been a clerk in the excise department in New York city.

UNDER A LOVER'S KNOT.

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cock, George L. Babcock, Nathan E. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs Henry A. McGee, Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. McGee, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Clark, the Misses Clark, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Shreve, the Misses Shreve, Miss Anna M. Day, Miss C. C. Runyon, Miss Lansing, Mrs. A. Utter, Miss Utter, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. James Clark, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stillman, Mrs C. H. Stillman, Mrs. S. A. B. Green, Rev. F. St. John Fitch, Miss Mary T. Green, Asa and Robert Randolph, Miss Ida F. Randolph, Dr and Mrs. D. J. Yerkes, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rushmore, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac W. Rushmore, Mr. and Mrs. Roger F. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Murray, Miss Rushmore, the Misses Haviland, Mrs. J. T. Baker, Miss Baker, Miss Margaret Tracy, Miss Edith Tracy, Mr. and Mrs. O T. Waring, the Misses Waring, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Williams, Mrs. D. W. Rogers, Rev, and Mrs. A. H. Lewis, Miss Lewis, Miss Evelyn Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. J. Everett Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Kimball, Miss Nancy Randolph, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Randolph, Mr. and Mrs. Peter B. Randolph, Miss Maitland, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Randolph, Frank De W. Randolph, Frank H. Smith, Miss Ernestine C. Smith, Miss Lucy Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Runyon, Mr. and Mrs G. E. Stillman, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dunham. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Baker, Miss Lowrie, William Bartindale, of Brooklyn; C. S Raynolds, the Misses Raynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ayers, of Shiloh, N. J.; Mrs. E. H. Lewis, of Chicago; Dr. Daniel Lewis, of New York; Frank B Langworthy, of Chicago; Miss Hiscox, Mrs. C. C. Maxson, Mrs. C. A. Stillman, Mrs. Hemphill, all of Westerrly, R. I.; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Walworth Fish, Miss Fish, and Henry Potter Fish, of New York city; Miss Wadsworth, of New York; Rev. and Mrs. E. T. Tomlinson, of Elizabeth.

The decoration of the rooms was done under the charge of Mrs. A. L. Titsworth, Mrs. G. B. Titsworth, and Mrs. J. D. Titsworth.

During the evening the newly married couple left amid a shower of rice and took a late train for New York. Their destination was unknown.

Inspecting Morris Plains Asylum.

The Union County Board of Freeholders will today make their annual inspection of the condition of the patients from this county who are in the Morris Plains Asylum.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—The recent heavy rains have created much apprehension among the farmers of the townships in Essex county. They fear their crops will rot.

—The mission in St. Mary's church this week is largely attended. The services are in charge of Rev. Father Goeding, S. J. Much good will no doubt result from his labors.

—The Grace M. E. church, Monroe Avenue church and Dunellen Presbyterian church will enjoy their annual excursion, July 23d, to Cornwalton Grove, on Long Island Sound.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of South Plainfield have decided to repeat this evening their strawberry and ice-cream festival which was given last night with only moderate success on account of the inclement weather.

—The Young Friends' Association held their last meeting for the season at the Friends' meeting house, on Watchung avenue, last evening. Ephraim Vail, the president, was in charge, and Mrs. C. E. Vail was the acting secretary. The president appointed Mrs. Clara Rushmore, Mrs. Eckel and Charles E. Vail as a committee to nominate officers for the ensuing year.

Fred Stack, of East Fifth street, is entertaining his mother from Poughkeepsie.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thorn, of East Second street, are entertaining their daughter, who lives at Orange.

J. F. Hubbard attended a meeting of the directors of the Plainfield Water Supply Company, in Elizabeth, today.

Mr. and Mrs. Terhune and son, Harold Terhune, of Sandford avenue, have returned from Washington, where they stopped for several days.

TO SQUELCH BOYS' PATRIOTISM

Westfield's Board Votes Against Ringing the School Bell July 4.

The youths of Westfield are up in arms over the adoption of a resolution by the Board of Education.

It has been the custom ever since the Prospect Street School was built for the boys to ring the school bell at midnight on the morning of July 4. The board has always appointed a man te be at the schoolhouse, let the boys in to the ring the bell and see that they did no mischief.

When the matter came up of appointing some one to oversee the boys when they rang the bell on July 4th, Mr. Knight moved that a man be appointed to watch the building and keep the boys out and not permit them to ring the bell, and the motion prevailed.

The bell will be silent on July 4th—perhaps.

POST OFFICE AGAIN ROBBED.

Burglars Force a Safe, Steal Money and Tear Open Letters.

The postoffice at Summit was visited by burglars again yesterday and looted of all the money and stamps that could be found. Entrance was effected by smashing one of the windows.

The safe was forced open and rifled. All of the letters in the office were torn open.

A Secret Marriage.

The marriage of George Gunther, of the borough, to a young woman, also of the borough, was solemnized last evening by Rev. T. L. Murphy.

Owing to the fact that there seems to be an air of secrecy concerning the marriage the name of the bride cannot be learned and the officiating clergyman refuses to divulge the same. Frank Rickert, of this city, was best man.

A Comparison.

The very loquacious man had come to a pause in his discourse, and an admirer took advantage of the lull to say:

"Hasn't he a splendid command of language?"

"It doesn't seem so to me," replied the weary-looking lady. "He has plenty of it. It's like riding a bicycle down hill. He can start easily enough, but he can't stop himself."

An Age Limit.

"Did you speak to my father?" said Miss Gushley.

"Yes," replied the young man with embarrassment.

"You told him that despite your humble fortune, we wished to marry?"

"Yes—or something to that purpose."

"And what did he reply? That I was too young?"

"No, not exactly. He said that I was old enough to have more sense."—Washington Star.

Lost Chance.

Simmons—What on earth are you so blue about?

Timmons—I was thinking of this awful European war.

"I didn't know you were so sympathetic."

"Sympathy be darned! I don't see why they could not have waited until Thanksgiving time to pull it off. Just think of the jokes I could have turned out."—Indianapolis Journal.

Method in Their Madness.

Mr. Park Plaza—What hospitable persons suburbans are! They are always inviting a person out to stay over Sunday.

Mrs. Citily (grimly)—Yes, and then trying to sell their place to you before you leave for the city.—Puck.

Not to be Declined.

A kiss is a noun, though generally used as a conjunction: it is never declined; it is more common than proper; it is not very singular, and is generally used in the plural number and agrees with me.—Roxbury Gazette.

ODDS AND ENDS.

Mistress—Mary, you have dated your letter a week ahead." Maid—Yis'm; it will take over a week for it to get to me mother, and she wouldn't care to be reading old news."—Boston Transcript.

Doctor—Madam, your husband has paralysis.

Wife—Oh, Doctor, I'm delighted. I thought it was nervous prostration, and that's so common, you know!

"And your advance met with a firm refusal?"

"It seemed to me more like a syndicate refusal before all the family got through with me."—Detroit Journal.

ARTIFICIAL FLIES.

The Natural Insect Closely Imitated—Color Carefully Studied.

Artificial fly making is a greater industry than any one outside the trade, save a practical fly fisher, realizes, and as it is work in which women are as capable as men, it follows that feminine labor is much employed by the wholesale firms. The qualities essential to success are a delicate hand, extreme dexterity, good eyesight and plenty of patience.

Besides the hundreds of natural flies that have to be more or less closely imitated, there are fancy flies of almost equal number to be made, for anglers, as a class, have more fads than any other of the sporting community.

In preparing her work the fly-tyer must collect all the necessary materials and place them on a table well exposed to the light, and must also see that the silk and feathers are dyed to the correct colors. This is very important, as unless particular dyes are used the fly will soon lose its original color and become worthless. Some colors, too, change when damp, and all these things have to be carefully calculated.

A vise is attached to the table, and is made in such a way that it is almost level with the chin of the worker, so that she will be able to avoid stooping. The other tools needful—and they are specially made—are a pair of tweezers, a sharp pair of scissors and a needle for arranging the feathers when the fly is completed.

The materials used for salmon flies are very numerous, consisting of silks and wools of various shades, silver and gold tinsel and a vast assortment of feathers. In many respects, however, it is more difficult to dress trout flies than salmon flies, the reason being that some of the former species are intended to represent very minute insects; the body of one fly is most carefully shaped out of a tiny strip of undyed quill taken from a starling's feather.

Naturally the smaller flies used for the commonplace fish do not call for so many materials in the manufacture as do the salmon flies, but to tie a midge, and tie it artistically and, at the same time, firmly enough to stand the wear and tear of continuous casting, requires a sure as well as delicate hand. A well-known medical man, who is an expert angler, tells me he has one fly on which he has caught more than seventy trout. The name of the man or woman who tied that fly ought to be immortalized.

There is a great art in arranging the small strips of feather for the split-winged flies that float on the water as the natural insect does. The material used has sometimes to be dyed in two separate colors to obtain the precise tint required. Perhaps the easiest flies to make are those known as "hackle" flies, which have no wings.—From Woman.

THE SENATOR'S THOUGHT.

Puzzled as to What He Should do With the Remainder of His Salary.

Apropos of the leasing of houses by officials a story is told of one of the new Senators, a man of moderate means. Senator X, it seems, made it known that he was looking for a residence, a furnished residence, and that he wanted to take a lease of it for six years. He was accordingly beset by agents and the owners of houses in different parts of town. One of these, more importunate than the rest, was a woman of wealth who owns and lives in a very handsome house, elegantly furnished and decorated with many fine pictures and rare pieces of bric-a-brac. She followed the Senator from pillar to post, and finally, to get rid of her, he promised to go through the house.

"Now, Senator," said she, when they had thoroughly inspected it, and had stopped in the drawing-room to talk the matter over, "I am going to rent this house to you for a mere song, because I am anxious to have some one in it who will look after my treasures and will keep things up."

"How much, madam," demanded the Senator, "do you propose to ask for your house by the year?"

"Four thousand five hundred dollars," said the lady, "and at that price I think it is the most reasonable house in town."

The Senator walked to a window, and stood with his hands in his pockets, looking out. He remained in this attitude for so long a time that his guide went up to him.

"What are you looking at, Senator?" she asked.

"I am not looking," said the Senator. "I am thinking."

"Well, what are you thinking about?"

"My dear madam, I am thinking," replied the Senator courteously, "if I took this house, what in the world I would do with the remaining $500 of my salary."

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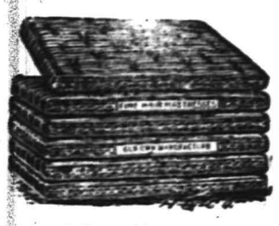

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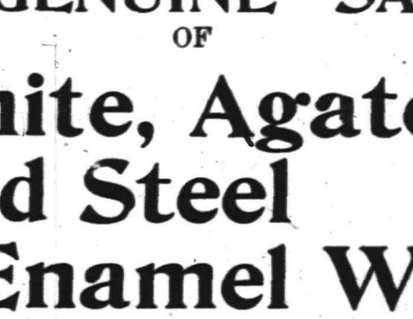
Criminal Extravagance.

Mrs. Higglebaum (excitedly)—Oh, Isaac, Isaac! der cook has plown herselluf oop mit dat fife-gallon can oaf gasoline!

Old Higglebaum—Discharge her! Discharge her instandtly, vor vastefulness. Vun gallon vould haf done her yoost as vell!"—New York Journal.



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BERRIES AND CREAM.

THEY WERE SERVED IN PROFUSION AT TRINITY REFORMED CHURCH.

The Ladies' Christian Work Society Gave a Successful Festival in the Church Parlors, Last Evening—Those Who Assisted.

This is the season of strawberry festivals for the berries seem better than ever before and they are now in their glory. Consequently, festivals are numerous. It is rare that a more enjoyable one has been given than the one held in the parlors of the Trinity Reformed church, last evening, by the members of the Ladies' Christian Work Society. It was well attended, although the threatening weather kept many away.

The tables, on which the strawberries and ice-cream were served, were under the charge of the Misses Grace Smith, Cora Laire, Adelaide Baxter, Grace Emmons, Gertrude Tier and Jennie Dunham. Mrs. Frank Church acted as cashier, while Mrs. P. M. Demarest and Mrs. E. T. Van Winkle were in general charge of the eatables.

Then there was a candy table under the supervision of Miss Emma Gillem and Miss Laura Emmons, a cake table looked after by Mrs. Anna Gillem, and an apron table in charge of Mrs. Robert Clark and Mrs. L. C. Sheppard. The lemonade booth was presided over by Mrs. Harry M. Marshall. "The Strawberry Pie," which was a name for a grab-bag, was looked after by Miss Elizabeth Dunn.

During the evening Bert Harold presided over the piano and entertained the visitors with a number of selections which were well rendered

The festival was a success but it is impossible to state as yet the amount of money that was cleared.

ADMISSION TO THE FETE.

Some Important Information About Tomorrow's Great Event.

Admission tickets of fifty cents entitle one to the freedom of the grounds and full view of the entire spectacle; and a brilliant spectacle it will be, especially at night when electric lighs are twinkling on every side. "Music by the band" will fill the air at frequent intervals; and the May pole frolics are for the entertainment of all who choose to see.

For refreshments—as is customary—a charge will be made, but on a reasonable scale. Ice cream will be sold at ten cents a plate for the regular sort; while French cream (so called) will be priced at twenty cents.

For what may be styled "extras,"—pony-rides, boat-rides, entrance to the Gipsy camp, for example, a nominal charge will be made, namely ten cents for adults, five cents for children.

The question has been raised whether a visitor at the Fete, wishing to leave the grounds for a time, will, on returning thereto, be required to pay a second fee. The reply is—certainly not. But, in order to prevent misunderstanding visitors who wish to pass out, intending to return, should present their entrance badges to the gate-keeper to be punched or otherwise marked for identification when presented for re-admission. For this, of course, no charge will be made.

ED WHITE'S TROLLEY PARTY.

He Has Invited the People of Plainfield to Be His Guests.

Edward White, the enterprising West Front street merchant, is going to give a trolley party to the residents of Plainfield and North Plainfield, tomorrow evening. Of course, they can't all ride ot once but the party is to last from 7 until 10 o'clock and everybody is invited to have a ride.

Mr. White has chartered one of the open cars of the Plainfield street railway and will run it from 7 to 10 o'clock, between Dunellen and Netherwood free to all who care to ride. It will not only be for his customers, but for anybody who cares to go. The car, which will be decorated with flags and bunting for the occasion, will start from the North Avenue station at 7 o'clock and continue on its regular trips.

To Entertain the Firemen.

The Independent Fife and Drum Corps, of this city, will give a supper at the Hotel Tuilleries on Tuesday evening, at which time they will entertain the members of Engine Company, No. 2, of the Plainfield Fire Department, Warren Engine Company, No. 1, of the North Plainfield Fire Department, and the Somerville Hook and Ladder Company. There will be speeches and an entertainment following the supper.

School Year Ended.

Miss Rocap's school for boys closed for the school year today. Irving Day received a beautiful pearl pen knife for perfect attendance. Refreshments were served at 11 o'clock, and each boy carried home a remembrance from his teacher.

CRUSADE AGAINST IVY.

THE POISONOUS VARIETY IS TO BE DRIVEN OUT.

The Plainfield Board of Health Has Been Asked to Take Some Action to Prevent its Spread Around Here.

Those who have suffered from the effects of poisoning, or mercury, as it is sometimes called, can appreciate the feelings of those who have started a campaign against that poisonous vine. Plainfield, or rather the outskirts of this city, are overrun with it. It grows in yards, on trees and beside fences in vacant lots and private lawns. There are many who do not feel its effects, but to others it is a source of constant dread. Complaint has been made to the Board of Health and now the matter has been brought to the attention of the Town Improvement Association, which will take it in hand should the Board of Health refuse to take action in the matter.

Certain people are so constituted that they are very liable to poison from the vine. While with some it is necessary to touch the leaves of the vine, others are poisoned by the moisture it exhales and which is blown by the wind in their direction. It is the latter that suffer most from its effects. There are a number of people in this city who, every year, suffer terribly from ivy poisoning without ever touching the leaves on the plant. It is these people and their friends who are now starting a movement to compel all householders to look about their property and cut out and destroy the dangerous vine that now spreads unchecked in every direction.

While mercury is to be found to some extent all over the city, the districts in which it is the most flourishing are in the vicinity of Plainfield avenue, and around Putnam avenue. Kensington avenue and Carleton avenue. It grows on trees and fences and yearly extends its clinging arms.

The attention of the Board of Health has been drawn to it as a public nuisance and as being dangerous to the health of many of the community, but so far there has been no action taken on the subject. Some of the members of the Town Improvement Association have learned of the trouble and will bring the subject before a meeting of the association and promise that a determined effort will be made to completely rid the city of the weed, so unpleasant in its effects.

SMOKERS FIRED A BARN.

THREE OAKLAND BOYS SMOKED IN A HAYLOFT.

The Result Was Disastrous and the Building Went Up in Smoke—The Barn Was Owned by Frank Rogers.

The desire of three youngster to enjop a smoke in some secluded place, was the cause of a fire in Oakland, a suburb of Westfield, yesterday afternoon, which destroyed the barn of Frank Rogers, of that place. The boys crept into the haymow and after lighting their tobacco, threw the matches carelessly about. One of them set fire to the hay, and the boys barely had time to scramble outside before the building was wrapped in flame. The Westfield firemen responded to the call of the neighbors for protection. The barn was doomed by the time the firemen reached the scene, but they did excellent work in protecting the adjoining property. Some live stock that was in the barn when the fire started was saved. The other contents, including a large quantity of hay and some tools, were destroyed. The loss was about $800.

DISCUSSED THE MARTIN ACT.

The Board of Trade Met Last Evening for Informal Discussion.

A meeting of the Board of Trade was called for last evening and a goodly number of members were present The meeting took the form of an informal discussion of the recent action of the City Council in the enforcement of the Martin Act and many excellent suggestions were made. One valuable idea was brought out and that was that there has never been a lien made on the property upon which the city is now trying to collect taxes prior to 1880, and for this reason the persons present last evening are sure that the taxes cannot be collected under the Martin Act. Several cases were cited where the act had been tested in other places and the contestants had won. Among those present last evening were for former Sheriff Kyte, of Fanwood; School Commissioner Lounsbury, Borough Councilman Woolston, J. B. Coward, Harry Coward, George Hallock, James Pope and George Griffen.

Another meeting will be held next Thursday evening at the same place when it is thought that some action will be taken toward the organization of a body to contest the Martin Act.

MARRIED IN THE CHURCH

TWO COLORED RESIDENTS UNITED IN MATRIMONY.

The Ceremony Was an Elaborate One and Was Witnessed by the Many Friends of the Couple—Bridal Party.

One of the prettiest June weddings in colored circles was celebrated at the Mount Olive Baptist church last evening, when Miss Paulina Coles, daughter of Rev. Haskins Coles, of Virginia, and Eugene Johnson, of this city, were married by Rev. P. S. Gibson, pastor of the church. The edifice was thronged with a large audience a great number of whom were white people. The church was decorated with palms, ferns and cut flowers.

Previous to the hour of the wedding Horatio Randolph entertained the audience with a selection of music on the organ, and when the signal was given at 8:30 the ever-popular Mendelssohn wedding march was played as the bridal party entered the church. The procession was led by the ushers, William Burden and Frank Kelsor, and following them were the groomsmen and bridesmaids, Miss Nora Wolker, Miss Julia Randolph, Miss Nellie Pierson, and Jesse Henry, Isaac Fields, Fred White, of Plainfield, and Richard Oliver, of Newark. The bridemaids were all gowned in white with ribbons and lace trimmings. Next came the maid of honor, Miss Lulu Douglass, gowned in white trimmed with lace and ribbons, while a beautiful chain of roses were draped about her neck and waist. The flower girl, Florence Bowser, was gowned in white and she was also decked with roses of various colors. As she passed up the aisle here and there she droped a rose. Following her came the bride, accompanied by James Myers, of Philadelphia, who gave her away in marriage. The bride wore a rich gown of flowered organdie trimmed with duchesse lace and satin ribbon, while she wore the usual veil and orange blossoms.

The groom and best man, Jesse Henry, entered the main part of the church from the front and met the bridal party and the officiating clergyman at the altar. The ceremony was an impressive one and was performed perfectly by Mr. Gibson.

As the bride and groom left the church followed by the rest of the party the Lohengrin wedding march was played.

A reception followed at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Walter Binn, No. 306 Plainfield avenue, where the bride and groom will reside. There were present at the reception guests from Newark, Philadelphia and Plainfield. A supper was served during the evening and the time was fully taken offering congratulations and enjoying the sociability of the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson received a valuable collection of wedding gifts including silverware, furniture and many other useful things. The groom is in the employ of E. H. Ladd, Jr., of Franklin place, while the bride was a valued employee of Mr. Pinto, of this city. The happy couple were very handsomely remembered by their friends. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold watch. At a late hour they left the city for a short wedding tour and their friends showered them with old shoes and rice as they departed.

KINDERGARTEN CLOSING.

Interesting Exercises at Miss Scribner and Miss Newton's School.

The closing exercises of the kindergarten department of Miss Scribner and Miss Newton's school, at 303 La Grande avenue, were held at 10 o'clock this morning.

About fifty visitors, parents and friends of the pupils, were present and enjoyed the songs and recitations of the little people. The programme included English songs, "Father We Thank Thee," "The Year's at the Spring," "Baby is a Sailor Boy!" and "Five Little Children Climb Up a Tree;" a French song, "The Owl," two French plays, "Caterpillar" and "On the Bridge," an exercise in French conversation, wheelbarrow and cooper games, an English song entitled "Five Little Mice," and a "Good-bye Song."

The children who participated in the exercises were Ogden Rogers, Marjorie Ross, Jack Martin, Margaret Drayton, Marion Marsh, Isabel Taylor, Dorothy Johnson, Alice Ross, Kenneth Brown, Dick Deprue, Helen Cruikshank, Hope Ivins, Caroline Martin, Julie Martin, Frederick Mead, Teddy Booth and Lawrence Mead.

The school's primary department will hold its closing exercises on Monday, and the commencement exercises proper will take place on next Wednesday.

Stephen Cahoone and family, of Watchung avenue, leave today for their summer home in Jamestown, R. I.

SILVER ANNIVERSARY.

WESTFIELD SOCIAL EVENT AT THE HOME OF WILLIAM J. BOGERT.

Held in Honor of the Twenty-Fifth Anniversary of the Marriage of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Bogert—A Brilliant Affair

A brilliant social affair took place in Westfield last evening in the reception given by Mr. and Mrs. William J. Bogert, at their home on Central avenue, in celebration of their twenty-fifth anniversary. The house was beautifully decorated with smilax, palms and roses, and the veranda was hung with American flags and Japanese lanterns. Miss A. C. Hamaker, of Philadelphia, Miss Gisburne, of Washington, D. C., and the Misses Matthews, of Brooklyn, assisted Mrs. Bogert in receiving the guests.

The guests to the number of about 200 thronged the house, presenting a brilliant picture.

Music was furnished by Powers' orchestra, of New York, and Caterer Russ, of Elizabeth, furnished the supper. The presents which were numerous and handsome, were all in silver, in recognition of the silver anniversary.

Among the guests were: Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Codding, Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Knight, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Naething, Mr. and Mrs. Max Cook and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Caspar Hagermayer, Mr. and Mrs. William Gomes, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. McClain, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Philip, Mr. and Mrs A. G. Troup, Mr. and Mrs L. C. Ganzel, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Klase, Mr. and Mrs. George Littell, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bowler, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Howard, W. B. Toucey, Granville Toucey, Mr. and Mrs. George Schucker, Mr. and Mrs. Max Winkleman, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Connoly, Dr. and Mrs. F. A. Kinch, Mrs Adolph Ganzel, Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sergeant, Miss Sergeant, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Rea, Mr. and Mrs. E. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. John Dorvall, Mrs. Albeat Bridges, Miss Bridges, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Delamater, of Westfield, and a number of out of town guests.

CAMP LIFE ON LAKE CHAMPLAIN.

A Talk That Will be Interesting to the Youngsters.

On Friday evening, June 18th, at the Y. M. C. A. hall, C. T. Kilborne, president of the Orange Young Men's Christian Association, will give an illustrated talk on camp life on Lake Champlain. All boys over 12 years of age are invited to be present with their parents and they will be told many interesting things about the boys' camp which is located on Lake Champlain, near Westport, N. Y. This boys' camp which has been held during the past twelve years under the successful leadership of the late Sumner F. Dudley, will be conducted this summer by those who were most intimately associated with him in this work, and along the same lines established by him, the results of which were so satisfactory. It is but fair to state that the new leader, George Gorham Peck, of Newburgh, N. Y., was associated with Mr. Dudley as first assistant for eleven of the twelve years, and also successfully conducted a local camp for five summers, besides having assisted in starting the Maritime Boys' Camp (Canada) which last year numbered 110 boys. The camp will open July 6th, the main camp continuing two weeks, with the privilege of remaining two more weeks if desired. For those going from New York city a rate of $8.00 for the round trip has been secured. The board is $5.25 per week, and includes the use of boats.

A Remarkable Discovery.

W. O. Overbaugh, who is employed in the bicycle hospital of the F. L C Martin Cycle Company, made a queer discovery several days ago. A case of sundries was received and they were removed, leaving the excelsior packing in the box Then the cover was nailed on again and the box put away. A strange peeping noise was heard in the direction of the box and after a long search it was located in the box. The cover was removed and there, under the excelsior, was found a wee chicken. How it got there nobody appeared to know, and Overbaugh adopted it and is now raising it.

Arbitrator Settled This Case.

The suit of Henry H. Apgar, an electrician, against Mrs. Marie Kuenlen, for the amount of a bill for electrical work done upon Mrs. Kuenlen's residence in this city, was called in Justice Mosher's court at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The defendant did not contest the case as she had threatened to, but instead she sent an arbitrator who paid the full amount of the bill, with costs.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

CLASS DAY THEATRICALS

THE JUNIORS OF THE SEMINARY ENTERTAIN THEIR FRIENDS.

The Programme Consisted of a Farce Written for the Occasion by Three of the Juniors—The Cast of the Play.

"A little nonsense now and then" is proverbially known to be "relished by the best of men," and it is certain the bit of fun, in the form of a farce, given last evening at the Seminary was thoroughly enjoyed by an audience composed of the "best of men," and women, the parents and friends of the pupils. It has been the custom of the Seminary for several years to have a play or class day exercises among the festivities of the commencement work, and in former years the seniors have been the chief performers. The farce of last evening was the work of the junior class, for the most part. "The Reign of the Ring" was written by the Misses Margaret Macready, Harriet Efner Strong and Emma Hawley Sterling, and was divided into three scenes. The following is the cast of characters:

Mrs. Audubon.....Ruth Peckham.
Polly Audubon, Dorothea Audubon—Grand Nieces to Mrs. Audubon, Margaret Macready, Emma Sterling.
Felice de Villon—Friend to Dorothea—H. Efner Strong.
Hannah Cook.....Ethel Von Boskerck.
Job Tompkins, butcher.....Edith Boone.
Friends to Dorothea, Edmie Corleis, Agnes Minford, Marjorie Sterling, Helen Talmage.

The story of the play hinged upon a magic ring which once in a hundred years had the power of rendering the bearer fascinating to any one beholding her, and this charm lasted eleven hours. The Cinderella in this modern romance receives the ring and has her share in her older sister's pleasures. Miss Margaret Macready was the younger and neglected sister and played her part with the ease and naturalness of more experienced stars. Miss Ethel Von Boskerck, as Hannah, the cook, was inimitable. She and Miss Edith Boone in the role of Job Tompkins, the butcher, brought down the house with laughter. Miss Peckham, Miss Sterling and Miss Strong acted their characters perfectly. The choice of the young ladies for the several parts had been made with great discernment, for each character proved just the right one for the part.

The farce closed with an artistic May dance, which was graceful and pretty. During the intervals, while the scenes were being shifted, music was rendered by Miss Ayane Macready.

After the play the floor was cleared, and the young people indulged in some merry dancing.

BURGLARSSECURETOOLS

INVADED A SCOTCH PLAINS BLACKSMITH SHOP LAST NIGHT.

They Entered Samuel Tainor's Shop by a Side Door and are Now Equipped For Work—No Clue to the Thieves

Citizens of Scotch Plains awoke this morning to learn that another robbery had been committed by the gang of thieves which has for some time past been carrying on depredations in the town.

Samuel Tainor a blacksmith whose shop is on Park avenne, found on going to the place this morning that thieves had entered the shop some time during the night by forcing open a door at the side of the building. A number of steel drills, hammers and chisels, valued at $25 were carried away by the invaders.

The constables are now thoroughly aroused and will keep a sharp watch on all strangers or suspicious cnaracters seen about the town.

The impression prevails that the tools taken from Tainor's shop are to be used for house breaking purposes by the burglars, and the citizens are buying guns and revolvers to protect their property.

The Great Wallace Shows Coming.

The Press received a call today from Messrs. Donovan and Harvey who are in the city making contracts in the interest of the Great Wallace Shows, known far and wide as the highest class circus in the world, and generally spoken of by the press as the one show that gives more than it promises. The Oakland (Cal.) Times says: "A magnificent exhibition that exceeds its promises to the people." The St. Louis Republic says: "The courtesy of employes, the high tone of everything about it, stamps it superior, and in magnitude it is of the first rank." The New Orleans Picayune and Times both unite in pronouncing the Wallace Show the greatest and best circus ever exhibited in the Crescent City. Thus indorsed the show comes to Plainfield and will exhibit here on Wednesday, July 14th.

A Good Showing.

The Plainfield Water Supply Company yesterday declared a dividend of 2 per cent.

TALKED AGAINST TIME.

SWACKHAMER DELAYED THE CASE UNTIL HIS CLIENT CAME.

The Case Was Tried in Elizabeth Yesterday and Was a Long Delayed Suit Between a Servant and Her Mistress, of Plainfield.

After months of delay and trouble, the case of Gartland against Ellis has at last been decided and the plaintiff given a verdict for the full amount, $14, over which this long and weary fight has been made. The costs have exceeded the amount of the suit many times, and the case has grown into one over a question of principle.

The suit was one brought by Miss Mary Ellen Gartland against her former employer, Mrs. Laura B. Ellis, of Fanwood, to secure wages alleged to be due for services at Mrs. Ellis's home as a domestic, The circumstances of the case briefly are that Miss Ellis employed Mary Gartland as a servant in the household, taking her on trial. After three weeks she was discharged, Mrs. Ellis refused to pay her, declairing that she was incompetent. Then Miss Gartland brought suit to recover the three week's wages. She employed S. S. Swackhamer of the firm of Swachamer and Williams, and the suit was brought in Justice Newcorn's court and tried before a jury. A verdict for the full amount was brought in.

The case was appealed and set down for trial in October. Ex-Judge W. A. Coddington, who represented the defendant, had the date of the trial changed so that it might be tried by jury. Mr. Swackhamer was not notified and a verdict was given for the defendant. Mr. Swackhamer applied for a rule to show cause why a new trial should not be granted. After some delay the new trial was set down for January, but had to be adjourned on account of the illness of the defendant.

Yesterday morning, at 10:35 o'clock, the trial came up, but the plaintiff had not appeared. Thinking that she might arrive on the 11 o'clock train, Mr. Swackhamer opened the case and started to talk against time until his client should arrive. Instead of occupying the usual three minutes, he took up twenty five minutes, and then sat down exhausted as his client came hurrying in the court room.

The case was tried and both counsel made eloquent appeals to the jury. After being out five minutes, the jury brought in a verdict for the plaintiff for the full amount.

A TIN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Van Arsdale Celebrate the Tenth Wedding Anniversary.

Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Morris C. Van Arsdale, of Somerset street, celebrated the tenth anniversary of their marriage and, last evening, Mr. Van-Arsdale arranged a surprise for his wife in honor of the event. He invited just the immediate relatives to his home and when they arrived Mrs. Van Arsdale was so completely surprised that it was several minutes before she could regain her composure. All were made to feel at home and an evening of sociability interspersed with music was enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Van Arsdale were the recipients of a large collection of tinware, crockery, etc., all of which was received with many thanks. The serving of refreshments was a feature and the guests thoroughly enjoyed this part of the programme.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. C. La Boyteaux, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Powlison, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Powlison, J. K. Van Arsdale, Miss Anna Van Arsdale, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brokaw, Mr. and Mrs. George Clark, Mrs. Wilkins, Miss Wilkins, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lutkins, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hummer, John Case, Louis Hummer, of Plainfield; Miss Mary Honeyman, of Somerville; Mrs. B. C. Amerman, of Pluckamin.

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Testimony Being Taken in This City in a Famous English Lawsuit.

Herbert W. Knight who has been appointed by the English courts a special examiner to take evidence abroad, has been present in Craig A. Marsh's law offices today taking evidence in the case of Thomas H. Grove against Herbert W. C. Tweddle, and others, which concerns a large petroleum producing estate in Peru known as the Hacienda LeBrea. The case is now on trial in the English High Court of Justice, Queen's Bench division.

The plaintiff's claim is for $50,000 as compensation for the formation of a joint stock company to operate the petroleum deposits on the estate in Peru. He has already been paid $15,000, and seeks another $35,000. Craig A. Marsh is counsel for the defendants, and Mr. Butler, of New York, represents the plaintiff.

NEW ENGLAND FLOOD

Great Damage Caused by Heavy Rains and Rising Rivers.

SERIOUS BREAKS OF LOG BOOMS.

Business Suspended Because of Overflowed Streets—Dam Swept Away, Causing Damage to Manufactories.

Crops Seriously Injured.

Boston, June 11.—New England has been visited by a storm which, from the amount of damage done, has become one of the worst in many years, although according to official records the actual amount of rain was not unusual. Most of the rain which fell came down with great violence. The railroads suffered most severely, particularly the Boston and Maine and its branches in New Hampshire.

Wrecks occurred at Exeter and Seabrook, while trains were stalled in many other places by serious washouts. On this account traffic between Boston and the north and east was greatly impeded.

The only fatalities reported occurred in the wreck at Exeter, in which three men were killed. From Vermont and New Hampshire comes news of swollen rivers, the height of which approaches that reached in the famous freshets of the spring of 1896. There was a serious break in a log boom at Bellows Falls, Vt., whereby 12,000,000 feet of logs were released.

These rushed down the river to Turners Falls, Mass., where another boom held 80,000,000 feet. The pressure was too great, and the second boom parted, and the combined drive of logs was carried away.

At Dover, N. H., where in 1896 four bridges and a business block were carried away by the floods, the Cocheco mills were compelled to suspend operations, and at Amesbury, Mass., work in the carriage factories was impeded by flooded cellars.

In the western part of Massachusetts the Connecticut river swept away the dam of the Warner Manufacturing company at Greenfield and caused other damage.

Considerable damage to crops is also reported from some sections.

The Flood In Vermont.

Bellows Falls, Vt., June 11.—On Wells street in this village the water from the side hill has been so great that the catch basins could not take care of it, and the cellars of a dozen or more houses are filled with water. On the corner, where stands No. 4 school building, it is impossible to get around, as the water is two feet deep on the street at this point.

The manilla and card mills of the Fall Mountain Paper company are shut down, as the cellars where the driving pulleys that run the machines are located are from six to nine feet under water.

The boom which held the large drive of logs owned by the Connecticut Lumber company gave way yesterday, and the logs were jammed against the piers of the Fitchburg railroad bridge at this place and the team bridge at Walpole. At the latter place they were piled 20 feet high. Great fears were entertained that the bridge would be lifted from its foundations.

The hotels are filled to overflowing, as all traffic on the Rutland railroad is at a standstill, two bridges having been carried away between here and Chester. A young man by the name of Frank Noyes was crossing one of the bridges, little dreaming of the sudden death that was fast approaching, when suddenly the bridge was lifted from its abutments and he was carried with it into the water below.

Rains Cause Much Damage.

Whitehall, N. Y., June 11.—The recent heavy rains have caused very high water at this place. The farms between here and Fort Ann are completely under water. Oats, corn and potatoes have been washed away. The lowest estimate of damage to farmers is over $10,000. The high water has stopped all south bound boats moving in Champlain canal between Whitehall and Fort Ann. There will probably be a detention for four or five days.

Arraigned on a Charge of Murder.

Haverhill, Mass., June 11.—Robert E. Galvin was arraigned in the police court on a charge of willfully murdering Robert Kydd. He pleaded not guilty, waived examination and was held without bail for the action of the grand jury. The prisoner answered the charge boldly, but showed the effect upon him of the day and night passed without sleep. He will be taken to jail at Lawrence today.

Big Libel Suit Begun.

Des Moines, June 11.—The American Book company has begun suit in the federal court against G. A. Gates, president of Iowa college at Grinnell for $100,000 for malicious libel. Gates published some time ago a pamphlet charging the book company with bribery and corrupt methods in getting books adopted by school boards over the country.

No Sunday Baseball In Cleveland.

Cleveland, June 11.—The jury in the case of John Powell, the member of the Cleveland Baseball club charged with playing baseball on Sunday, has returned a verdict of guilty in both counts. This settles the fate of Sunday baseball in Cleveland.

Child May Be Tried.

Albany, June 11.—The attorney general has written an opinion in which he holds that a boy 10 years old who has committed burglary can be tried in a court of special sessions and can be received at the State Industrial school at Rochester.

Aged Woman Killed by a Train.

Oneonta, N. Y., June 11.—Mrs. G. M Dayton, aged 73 years, of Cooperstown Junction, was struck by a Delaware and Hudson train near her home and instantly killed. Her husband died two weeks ago. An investigation will be held.

Prizefighters Set Free.

New York, June 11.—Magistrate Cornell, sitting in the Harlem Police court, discharged Peter Maher and Tom Sharkey, the pugilists. He held that the bout at the Palace Athletic club was not a prizefight.

WHERE IS SHE GOING?

Mysterious Mission of the Big Cruiser New York.

UNDER SEALED ORDERS FROM BOSTON

It Is Intimated That the Flagship of the White Squadron Is Bound For Cuba.

Navy Department at Washington Reticent as to Her Destination.

Boston, June 11.—The crack United States cruiser New York, the flagship of the North Atlantic squadron, with Rear Admiral Montgomery Sicard on board, steamed out of the harbor last evening under sealed orders. It is generally believed that she has turned her nose to the southward and that her twin screws will not stop until she is somewhere in the immediate neighborhood of Cuba, if not in the harbor of Havana itself; for when she started she was fully provisioned and coaled and could if necessary go as far as Gibraltar or Rio Janeiro without laying in more supplies.

The New York arrived here on May 26 to participate in the ceremonies attending the unveiling of the Shaw monument. The battleship Massachusetts came with the flagship, while the battleship Texas had arrived some days previous, so that Boston on Decoration day had three formidable ships of the North Atlantic squadron in the harbor. The Texas left a few days ago, but the other two ships have been swinging at their moorings off the navy yard until yesterday.

Prepared For a Long Cruise.

That Rear Admiral Sicard must have had some inkling of an important cruise seems probable from the fact that for the past few days the entire crew of the New York have been hard at work getting the ship ready for sea, while her coal bunkers have been filled to overflowing.

It was supposed, however, that the cruiser would run around to New York, or perhaps Hampton Roads, and Pilot Colby of the local pilots was notified that the ship would probably proceed to sea in a day or two and that his services would be required to navigate the cruiser through the narrow channel of the harbor.

It was seen that all the steam launches were hoisted aboard and secured as if for a long voyage, while extra precautions appeared to have been taken to make everything snug.

An officer came ashore and notified Pilot Colby to report on board at once, and it became known that mysterious sealed orders, which always give wide room for conjecture, had been received from the navy department by Admiral Sicard.

It did not take long for the news to spread along the water front, and soon it was in every mouth, while that her destination must be Cuba appeared to be an accepted fact.

Navy Officials Reticent.

Washington, June 11.—The navy department officials are singularly reserved about the movements of the New York and show a reluctance to answer any questions. Secretary Long, in answer to a direct interrogation, replied: "The New York is not going to Cuba; she will next be heard from at some point on the Atlantic coast well north of Cuba."

The secretary refused to answer further, standing on the short reply above given. The chief of the navigation bureau, who usually is always ready to tell where a ship is bound, refused to say one word as to the destination of the New York. It is learned, however, that the cruiser is expected to report next at Hampton Roads, Va., and that she will be at sea about two days.

It is surmised that the navy department, which has been charged of late with the whole of the duty of looking after filibusters afloat, has been advised of the intention of some formidable expedition bound for Cuba to put out from some northern port, possibly out of Delaware bay, or perhaps there is to be a repetition of the Horsa expedition, and some steamer is to take on arms for the Cubans off one of the now deserted sand beaches of Jersey or Delaware. In such case the department would send out a smaller cruiser usually, but it is said that at this time it was a case of the choice of the vessel able to get under way first.

Insurance Men Meet.

New Haven, June 11.—About 150 delegates were present when the National Provident union began a series of sessions to continue three days. The union is an insurance order and has a membership of about 10,000. It is governed by a body patterned after the national house of representatives. A number of bills were introduced, the most important being one providing for the election of officers by a congress instead of the members at large.

Italians Take Strikers' Places.

Kingston, N. Y., June 11.—The strike of stonecutters at the Saugerties limestone quarries, which has delayed the delivery of stone to the new East River bridge, has been settled by the employment of other men not members of the stonecutters' union. They are Italians and get 25 cents per hour, 10 hours a day. A large gang arrived there yesterday morning, and work will proceed rapidly.

Congressman Not Guilty.

St. Paul, June 11.—On motion of County Attorney Anderson, Judge Lewis has ordered a verdict in favor of Congressman F. C. Stevens, on trial under an indictment for an alleged overdraft on his accounts with the Minnesota Savings bank, of which he was president. The prosecution had failed to make out a case.

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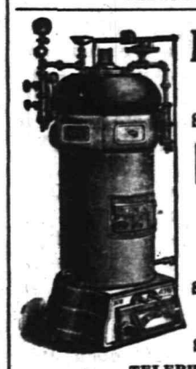

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"There's no use in talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, La Cygne, Kas., "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy does the work. After taking medicines of my own preparation and those of others, I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Alfred Garland, of East Fifth street, will leave the city July 5th for Asbury Park where he will spend the summer with his father.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are to-day its warmest friends. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Motorman Hipp, of the street railway, is off duty owing to illness.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

TO BRING BACK EXPLORERS.

Steamer Leaves London For the Members of a Scientific Party.

London, June 11.—The steamer Windward has started again for Franz Josef Land in order to bring back from the arctic region the members of the Jackson-Harmsworth expedition who have now spent three winters at their little arctic settlement. Elmwood, near Cape Flora, where they erected an observatory 2,000 feet above the sea level.

During the present summer the expedition was to make an attempt to reach the highest point north through an opening in Queen Victoria sea, the open water discovered by Mr. Jackson. The Windward was enthusiastically cheered by a large crowd of people as she made her way down the river Thames.

Included in her freight are four kayakas, made by Dr. Nansen for Mr. Jackson, and a folding bed intended for Professor Andree, who expects to cross the arctic regions this summer in a balloon from Franz Josef Land.

SERIOUS RAILROAD WRECK.

Two Freight Trains Collide In Tennessee With Fatal Results.

Bradford, Tenn., June 11.—A serious railroad wreck occurred at this place. Two Illinois Central freight trains going in opposite directions crashed into each other at a slight curve just at the end of town, about 400 yards from the depot. It is impossible at present to learn the full extent of the damage done.

All of the injured were taken to the hotels, and a special train arrived from Jackson at 8:45 o'clock with medical aid. It is said that at least three and perhaps more are under the now burning ruins of the train. All of the trainmen have been accounted for.

The injured are: Edward Benz, engineer, collar bone and shoulder broken; G. H. Bobley, fireman, ankle sprained and bruised about the head; Edward Powers, slightly bruised; Bob Burk, back and leg hurt; Jim Northcut, both legs and an arm broken. Benz and Northcut are fatally hurt.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At Brooklyn—

Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	—3
Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	—2

Brooklyn—Hits, 5; errors, 2. Pittsburg—Hits, 6; errors, 2.

At Baltimore—

Baltimore	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	*	—4
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—2

Baltimore—Hits, 6; errors, 0. Cleveland—Hits, 9; errors, 0.

At Philadelphia—

Chicago	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	—4
Philadelphia	0	0	1	0	3	1	1	1	*	—7

Chicago—Hits, 5; errors, 4. Philadelphia—Hits, 11; errors, 4.

Second game—

Chicago	3	0	2	1	0	2	2	0	0	—10
Philadelphia	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	—7

Chicago—Hits, 15; errors, 2. Philadelphia—Hits, 9; errors, 5.

At Washington—

Washington	0	3	3	1	1	1	0	0	*	—9
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	—3

Washington—Hits, 12; errors, 2. St. Louis—Hits, 10; errors, 1.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	27	9	.750
Boston	25	12	.676
Cincinnati	24	13	.648
New York	19	15	.558
Brooklyn	20	18	.526
Cleveland	19	18	.513
Pittsburg	19	18	.513
Philadelphia	21	20	.512
Louisville	17	20	.459
Chicago	15	24	.384
Washington	11	25	.308
St. Louis	8	33	.178

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Another daughter was born to the czar and czarina of Russia.

The Catholics have decided to build a $1,500,000 cathedral in Newark, N. J.

A cyclonic storm devastated the valley of Caprino in Italy, ruining the mulberry crop.

Officials of the Indian office believe the disturbance among the Cheyennes at the Tongue River agency, Mon., is over.

It is reported that the sultan of Turkey is yielding to the pressure of the powers to withdraw his army from Thessaly.

Three men were killed in a big freight wreck at Exeter, N. H. Many wrecks in New England caused by washouts are reported.

A cable message was received from the queen regent granting a pardon to Jose Carabre, who was sentenced to be shot at Havana.

Fireman Ryan of Towanda, Pa., was killed in a wreck near Geneva, N. Y. His engine crashed into the rear end of a freight train.

A New Pest Appears.

Lockport, N. Y., June 11.—The horsehair worm, which has been found in different sections of the country, has made its appearance here. It is of a whitish color, about the thickness of a horse hair, and six or seven inches long. No damage to vegetation has been reported.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western quiet, but held higher; city mills patents, $4.70@4.90; winter patents, $4.50@4.85; city mills clears, $4.70@4.80; winter straights, $4.10@4.25.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened steadier and advanced on light northwestern receipts and local covering; July, 74 1-16@74⅝c.; September, 69⅞@70¼c.

RYE—Dull; No. 2 western, 36¾c.

CORN—No. 2 was firmer on the bearish price current crop report; July, 29⅜@29⅝c.; September, 30⅝@31c.

OATS—No. 2 were quiet and firm in sympathy with wheat; track, white, state, 25@31c.; track, white, western, 31c.

PORK—Steady; mess, $8.50@9; family, $9.50@10.50.

LARD—Quiet; prime western steam, $3.77½ nominal.

BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 10@14½c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Steady; state, large, 8¼c.; small, 7¾@8c.

EGGS—Steady; state and Pennsylvania, 11½@12c.; western, 10¼@11c.

SUGAR—Raw strong; fair refining, 3c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 7-16c.; refined firm; crushed, 5⅝c.; powdered, 5c.

TURPENTINE—Firm at 27½@28c.

MOLASSES—Quiet; New Orleans, 22@28c.

RICE—Quiet; domestic, 8¼@6c.; Japan, 4¼@4½c.

TALLOW—Firm; city, 3@3 3-16c.; country, 3¼@3 3-16c.

THE SUGAR SCHEDULE

After a Long Postponement It Is Finally Reached.

MR. VEST DENOUNCES THE TRUST.

Debate Opened by Jones of Arkansas. Morgan Gave Notice of an Amendment—Tillman's Speech on Export Duty on Agricultural Products.

Washington, June 11.—The long deferred debate on the sugar schedule of the tariff bill came on abruptly after the senate had disposed of the cereals in the agricultural schedule. The interest in the sugar schedule had been whetted for weeks, and aside from the fact that more revenue is derived from sugar than from any other article there was the added interest due to the sensational charges made of late within and without the senate concerning irregularities in connection with the progress of the schedule. But the debate failed to develop any dramatic incidents.

Senators and spectators soon lapsed into a state of indifference as the speeches dealt with a labyrinth of technical details of vital interest to the sugar refiner and expert, but not to the general public.

Mr. Jones of Arkansas opened the debate, to some extent answering Mr. Aldrich's statement on the sugar schedule. It was argumentative and lacking in any severe denunciatory features. The senator held that the rates proposed gave the refiners an excessive differential and pointed out how they had thrived on the one-eighth differential of the present law.

Vest Denounces Sugar Trust.

Mr. Vest severely criticised the sugar trust and argued that the rates were a further tribute to its vast resources. Mr. Caffery of Louisiana also opposed the schedule as a whole.

No final action was taken on any feature of the schedule further than the withdrawal of the original senate committee amendments. This leaves the house provisions of the bill, with an amendment increasing the house differential from 875-100 to 95-100 cents per pound. The provisions relating to the Hawaiian islands went over by mutual consent.

Early in the session Mr. Tillman of South Carolina made a lively speech in favor of the amendment giving an export duty on agricultural products. He took occasion in this connection to criticise his Democratic associates who were giving a strict and literal construction to the Democratic doctrine of a tax for revenue only. The bounty amendment was defeated—10 to 59.

Morgan to Offer an Amendment.

Mr. Morgan gave notice of the following amendment to be offered at the proper time:

"A tax of 1 cent per pound is hereby levied and shall be assessed and collected on sugar that is the product of any refinery of sugar in the United States; but the persons or corporations engaged in the business of refining sugar in whose business there is employed less than $100,000 of cash capital and who are not connected in business by agreement with any other person or corporation engaged in refining sugar, are exempt from such tax. The laws for the collection of the tax on tobacco, so far as they are applicable to the subject of this enactment, shall apply to the collection of the tax imposed by this act upon refined sugar. And no person or corporation shall be exempt from the tax on sugar refined at any sugar refinery who shall not clearly establish the right to such exemption under the rules and regulations to be prescribed by the secretary of the treasury for the execution of this law."

An Amendment by Warren.

Mr. Warren of Wyoming introduced amendments to the tariff bill taking raw hides and skins not specially provided for from the free list and imposing duties upon them as follows:

On the skins of hair sheep, or half breeds or angora sheep, raw or uncured, with the hair on, 5 cents per pound; goatskins, kangaroo skins and hides and skins of all other animals not tanned and not specially provided for, 2 cents per pound; uncured sheepskins without wool on them, whether dry, salted or pickled, 50 cents per dozen.

Senator Warren also offered amendments increasing the rate on chamois and bookbinders' calfskins, etc., from 20 to 35 per cent ad valorem. Another amendment introduced by Mr. Warren strikes out the finance committee's amendments to paragraph 427, providing various duties on morocco, piano forte leather and boots and shoes made of leather, and inserts in their stead, after the word morocco, a provision for a rate of 30 per cent ad valorem on all tanned but unfinished skins and hides not specially provided for.

Pettigrew Makes an Inquiry.

The tariff bill was temporarily laid aside, and Mr. Pettigrew of South Dakota made inquiry as to what became of his resolution directing the committee on Pacific railroads to inquire into the issue of land patents to the Pacific roads.

Mr. Gear of Iowa, chairman of the committee, answered curtly that Mr. Pettigrew would hear in due time what action the committee had taken.

Mr. Pettigrew said he had expected the reference to the committee would be the graveyard of the resolution, and he called the attention of the country to the condition of affairs. Explanations were made later that the committee would meet Saturday to consider the subject.

Chinese Illegally Landed.

Washington, June 11.—The treasury department has received information that seven Chinese illegally landed at Dennis Point near Capistran had been captured and landed in jail at Los Angeles and the master and seamen of the boat Nalrid had been arrested for smuggling the Chinese into this country. The boat was also seized. The Chinamen will be deported and the officer and sailors prosecuted.

To Finish an Important Work.

Washington, June 11.—John B. Moore of New York, professor of international law at Columbia university and formerly third assistant secretary of state, has been selected by the state department to undertake the work of making a revision of Wharton's famous international law digest, a task begun by the late Hallett Phillips and cut short by his death.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight and Saturday; Warmer. At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 67 Degrees.

GOOD ROADS.

The proposition to aid in the making of good roads, or to preserve them when made, by encouraging or requiring the use of broad tires on vehicles is not a modern one. Long before the war South Carolina so far recognized the value of such tires as to exempt from all vehicles so equipped when traveling on the old state road, for the especial reason that the broad tires "helped so much to keep the road in order," while a penalty of one dollar was imposed on the users of narrow tires. The regulation was in force as late as 1845, and it is supposed that it expired when the road was given up by the State. The roads were better then, presumably, than they are now, because they had not been in use so long; or were worse because there was more wagon hauling in those anterailroad days.

ENDEAVORERS ELECT.

The Seventh Day Baptist Society Held its Annual Meeting Last Evening.

The annual meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Seventh-Day Baptist church was held in the parlors of the church, last evening. There was a large attendance of members. The reports for the last year were received. They showed that considerable progress had been made in the different lines of work. Twelve new members had been added during the year and a goodly sum devoted to the different missionary interests of the society.

The election of officers was then held and resulted as follows: President, Frank J. Hubbard; vice-president, Luella Clawson; secretary, Ida Spicer; treasurer, Dr. F. T. Clawson; corresponding secretary, Asa Randolph.

The chairmen of committees were selected as follows: Chairman of prayer meeting committee, Clarence Rogers; social, Ernestine Smith; lookout, Mrs. J. E. Kimball; music, Lena Tomlinson; missionary, Joseph Bakker; temperance, Mrs. D. E. Titsworth; flower, Mrs. Charles Dunham; literature, W. R. Mosher.

AN IMPRESSIVE SERVICE

Funeral of the Late Walter Drake was Held in Holy Cross Church, Yesterday.

The funeral of the late Walter Drake was held from Holy Cross church yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock and the attendance of relatives and friends was very large. Many who desired to attend were unable to do so owing to the large number of people present. Rev. T. Logan Murphy, rector of the church, officiated, and the service of the Episcopal church was used. The floral offerings were profuse and beautiful. There were three large pillows, and a harp, all from friends and Somerset Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., of which the deceased was a member. A beautiful cross was offered by the employer of the deceased. The members of the lodge were present in a body and Harry Barton, L. Rosensteil, Charles Layton, Harry Bennet, Geo. Townley and John Sheppard, of the lodge, acted as pall bearers. Interment was in the family plot in Plainfield avenue cemetery. At the grave the lodge conducted the service according to the ritual of the order. It was very impressive and the members who took part did well.

EUCHRE CLUB ENTERTAINED.

The Thursday Night Club Held Its Last Meeting of the Season.

A very successful season came to a very successful end last evening, when the members of the Thursday Night Euchre Club gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Tier, of Bank place, for the last meeting until next fall. Besides the regular club tables, there was a table for the guests who were invited in honor of Miss Core, of New York, who is visiting Mrs. Tier. At the guests' table the prizes were won by Miss Core and Fred Sandford. The first prizes in the club were won by Miss Ada Chandler and Theodore Mantz. The winners of the second prizes were Miss Mabelle Force and David Krymer. After the progressive whist the rest of the evening was taken up with dancing, music and refreshments.

Presiding Elder Smith Honored.

Presiding Elder Rev. G. W. Smith received from New York University at the commencement, last evening, the degree of Doctor of Divinity. Dr. Smith is to preach the missionary sermon at Baldwin University, in Berea, O., next Sunday evening.

—Additional local news on the third page.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

William Leland, of West Third street, is confined to his home by illness.

Prof Garland, of New Brunswick, has returned home after a short stay in this city.

Bert Hinrichs, of Netherwood, leaves on Sunday for Texas, to be absent for some time.

L. L. Manning went to Staten Island, yesterday, to superintend the erection of a monument.

Mrs. White, of Flushing, L. I., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry VanName, of Elmwood place.

Charles Lister, of East Fifth street, has returned home, after spending a few days at Lake Hopatcong.

Miss Ella Frentz, of Scotch Plains, is spending a few days at the home of Frank Putnam, of Elm place.

Miss Nora Rockwell, of East Front street, is home from boarding school at Sing Sing on her summer vacation.

Lester Baldwin, of Willow avenue, has returned from the New York Military Academy on his summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor, of Coddington avenue, returned home yesterday after a two weeks' business absence.

Walter B. Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, is expected home tomorrow from the Stevens Institute on his vacation.

Mrs. G. M. Rittenhouse and children, of East Sixth street, have returned after a visit with friends in Philadelphia.

John V. Beekman, Jr., of West Eighth street, is home from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology on his summer vacation.

Miss Persis Snodgrass, of Central avenue, is home from the Centinary Collegiate Institute at Hackettstown, from which she has just graduated.

Mrs. Anna D. Smith and daughters, of 20 Grandview avenue, will sail Saturday for Genoa on the Kaiser William II. They will be absent three months.

Edgar I. Serrell, of Plainfield avenue, has gone to Bethlehem to attend the commencement exercises at Lehigh University, where his brother is a student.

Lewis Willet and family, of Council Bluff, Ia., arrived in Plainfield Wednesday and will take up their residence here. Mr. Willett formerly lived in this city.

Rev. A. E. Main, of West Fourth street, has been called to Ashaway, R. I., by the death of his daughter-in-law, Mrs. D. C. Main. He is expected back to Plainfield today.

Mrs. C. H. Leland and Miss Ada Nash are expected home from Atlantic City tonight where they have been attending the G. A. R. and Woman's Relief Corps convention.

Miss Martha Vance will sail on the steamer, "Anchoria," of the Anchor Line, tomorrow morning for Belfast, Ireland, after a short but pleasant visit with relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Everett Kimball, of Park avenue, have returned from their wedding tour to Beach Croft, East Gloucester, Mass., and taken up their residence at 829 Park avenue.

Arthur H. Serrell and his college chum spent a few days at Mr. Serrell's home on Plainfield avenue and have now returned to attend the commencement exercises at Lehigh where they both attend.

PASSING COMMENT.

To the Editor of The Press:—Supplementing your report in The Daily Press of Wednesday on the remarkable return of Mr. Scott's garden, on Front street, allow me to add that my gardener presented us, at 830 Central avenue, with new onions on May 25th, new peas on June 2d, and new beets on June 7th, while we have had a full supply of salad, spinach, etc., for weeks. Can this record be excelled? Verily, Plainfield is a great place for early gardening. But then we have first-class gardeners and they get up early. M.

The Elizabeth, Asbury Park and Trenton baseball teams, of the short-lived New Jersey State League, have joined the South Jersey City with Millville, Bridgeton and Salem. A meeting next week will be held to complete the schedule. The season will probably open June 15th.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—A lot of ladies' tan oxfords for $1 a pair on VanArsdale's bargain table.

—Trusts are at a discount, but you can trust in Peck's goods without losing anything.

—The Home Missionary Society of Grace M. E. church held an interesting meeting last evening at the residence of Mrs. Jacob Voehl, on Somerset street.

—At the meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., held last evening, officers for the ensuing year were nominated and the election will be held in two weeks.

—Lancaster & Rogers, the architects, are preparing to fit up their offices in the Babcock building in fine style. A handsome new mantel, which is to form part of the interior decoration, has arrived.

—The Children's Day services will be held at Grace M. E. church next Sunday morning. There will be no Sunday-school session in the afternoon, but the pastor, Rev. H. J. Johnson, will preach in the evening.

—Now is the season for trunks and satchels, and Doane & Edsall, the leading shoe dealers in town, say they have laid in a large assortment of these goods and are selling them at the lowest popular prices. They warrant every trunk they sell to give good satisfaction.

—Washington street, between East Second and East Third streets, is being put in shape. The surplus dirt is being taken from the gutters and placed in the middle of the street, insuring the proper grade so that the water may run off, and eventually a fine roadbed will be formed.

—Flynn Brothers, of 318 West Front street, Schepflin building, have just received a large line of low shoes that are made right, and will fit as snugly as a well made glove, giving the benefit of a cool shoe, with none of the discomforts of a misfit. See their advertisement in another column.

—The police of New Brunswick are looking for Joseph Hoagland, forty years old, who wandered away from his home in the storm of Wednesday night. Up to last night no trace of the man had been found. He is demented, and has attempted to run away from home several times before.

MIZPAH'S FESTIVAL.

It Was Successfully Held Last Evening on East Front Street.

An enjoyable strawberry and ice cream festival was held last evening in the Republican Association rooms on East Front street under the auspices of Mizpah Lodge, No. 1, U. O. of I. O. L. Mrs. Andrew Cox was the efficient chairman, and she was assisted by Mrs. Bushby, Mrs. Pierson, Mrs. Angleman, Mrs. Mattis and Miss Katy Cortwright. The waitresses were Miss Angleman, Miss Sadie Giles and Miss Gulick.

Early in the evening a programme of music and recitations was presented by young women gowned as "White Caps." There were recitations by the Misses Anna Jessup, Clara Weber and Mamie Richards, and vocal solos were rendered by the Misses Emma Angleman, Minnie Gulick, Dora Bennett, Nellie Bird, Sadie Giles, Mamie Devine, Tessie Karhman, while Mrs. Wm. Bohl was the accompanist.

The members of the lodge seemed to have no trouble in selling the ice cream and cake and a goodly sum of money was received thereby. A great deal of interest centred in an Odd Fellows' quilt, for which there was a contest between Mrs. Cox and Mrs. Corwin. The contest was started four weeks ago and it will be continued a little while longer. At the closing time last evening the two contestants were even as to the number of votes received.

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Miss Mabel Gillies, of Central avenue, is spending a week with friends in Brooklyn.

J. H. Leggett, the Front street druggist, is enjoying a visit from his father, John Leggett, of Princeton.

NO CONSUMPTIVE WILL DIE

SO LONG AS HE CAN DIGEST AND ASSIMILATE FOOD.

All physicians admit this. Yet here the difficulty begins. How can we build up the consumptive's body as fast as the disease tears it down? Let us consider.

Cough mixture must be avoided because they frequently contain opiates which arrest the digestion. There only effect on the cough is by stupefying the nerves. Let them alone

All foods that are hard to digest must be avoided, especially fats and oils. Only those foods that are easily digested and assimilated should be eaten Foods not thus accepted by nature do no good; they do harm. Not what is merely eaten but what is digested and assimilated gives flesh and strength.

Consumption is starvation, slow or rapid, as may be. The first symptom is not necessarily a cough, but a tendency to lose flesh, to grow thin. Stop this tendency now. Don't wait for obvious lung trouble. That's only a later development—only a minor point.

Stop the wasting and you master the disease,—even though it may have made some slight inroads already. Increase the flesh and the danger is past.

What is needed is an especially-prepared food,—a nutriment in itself and a digester of other foods.

Such an article is the Shaker Digestive Cordial, made by the Shaker Community, of Mt. Lebanon, N. Y. It creates a natural appetite and insures the digestion of what is eaten with it. It overcomes the wasting which is fatal in the consumptive process.

A man may lose money and not die a bankrupt. One may have consumption and not die of it. This is science and sense. The success of this new remedy proves it.

Leggett's Sarsaparilla

is made like

The Old Fashioned Blood Purifiers

SIMPLE, YET EFFICIENT.

Contains such herbs as Sarsaparilla, Burdock, Prickly Ash, Yellow Dock, &c., &c.

Large Bottles 50 Cents

Leggett's Pharmacy,

Y. M. C. A. Building. Telephone No. 4.

Executor's Sale OF Valuable Real Estate.

In order to settle up the estate of James Jackson, deceased, the undersigned executor will sell at public auction on the

17th Day of June, A. D. 1897,

AT 3 P. M., AT

Carey's Auction Rooms, 324 West Front Street,

the following valuable pieces of real estate.

First Tract. Known as 409 East Sixth street, being 74 feet front and rear by 98 feet deep, containing dwelling house with ten rooms, modern improvements and in good repair, also barn in good repair.

Second Tract. On Lee place 100 feet southerly from South avenue, being 50 feet front and rear by 100 feet deep, containing two dwelling houses, No. 211 and 213. Will be sold jointly or separately to suit purchasers. Dwellings contain seven rooms each and are in good repair.

Also three houses on East Second street near Berkman street, 33½ feet front and rear each by 240 feet deep. These properties are in good repair and nicely located Dwellings contain seven rooms each, and are known as No. 717, 719 and 721 East Second street.

Also the following vacant lot located on the corner of Lee place and South avenue and is 100 feet front by 100 feet deep. Is a corner lot and a valuable piece of property.

The above premises will positively be sold to the highest bidder and will afford a grand opportunity for investors as well as parties desiring a home.

Parties desiring to inspect premises may do so at any time before sale.

Parties desiring particular information regarding any of the above premises may call upon the undersigned executor at any time before sale.

Do not miss the opportunity. Be on hand and secure a bargain. Terms easy and made known on day of sale.

RICHARD J. JACKSON, EXECUTOR.

T. J. CAREY, AUCTIONEER.

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VALUABLE PROPERTY CHANGE.

William C. Kelly Has Sold His Park Avenue Block to Sigmund Frucht.

One of the largest real estate deals which has been consummated in this city for some time, was completed in the law offices of City Judge DeMeza, yesterday, when the valuable business block on Park avenue, between North avenue and West Second street, changed owners. Sigmund Frucht, of Park avenue and West Second street, was the purchaser, and bought the valuable tract from William C. Kelly, of Park avenue.

The property which is included in the deal are the stores now occupied by Miss A. E. Lincoln's florist establishment, James Dunn's grocery and L. A. Hummer's meat market.

The consideration was $20,000. It is understood that there will be no change in the tenants at present and that Mr. Frucht will make no attempt to rebuild any of the stores.

Protect yourself against sickness and suffering by keeping your blood rich and pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Weak, thin, impure blood is sure to result in disease.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure indigestion, biliousness. 25c.

DO THEY WEAR OUT?

Yes The HOSIERY sold at PECK'S will wear out, but not till they have given you good service.

Clothing and Furnishing Goods Sale.

This store will be closed on Monday, June 14th, to take stock and mark down goods, and will be opened Tuesday, June 15th, at 8 a. m., and this sale will continue until all the stock is sold.

HARRY M. JAQUETT,

129 East Front Street.

The New Model Town

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Seven miles West of Plainfield, on C. R. R. of N. J. and Lehigh Valley R. R. Electric Lights, Telephone, Two Depots, Sewers, Sidewalks, Shade Trees, City Water, all on streets of this town. When you buy a lot here you will be free from future assessments. We don't ask you to buy a lot; we ask you to take a look at the model town Lincoln. Titles guaranteed by Trust Co. Hon. Wm. R. Coddington. Counsel for N. J. Mutual Realty Co. SILAS D. DRAKE, President. Maps and all particulars, L. L. Drake, selling agent, office Moffet & Mundy, U. S. Ex. Co. Building, North avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

OUR BASEMENT.

For Friday and Saturday.

Special Inducements.

Refrigerators, hardwood, charcoal filled, $4.98.
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Chairs—Just received a shipment of large, roomy Porch Chairs—6 styles, at $1.98.
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Fruits, Ice Cream, Cakes and other refreshments; Flowers, Music, Boating, Pony Carriages and amusements of many kinds.

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Ladies' Gauntlet Gloves at 29c.

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Absolutely Pure.

Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness. Assures the food against alum and all forms of adulteration common to the cheap brands. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mrs. Cole still continues to improve from a long and tedious illness.

Isaac Stites has fully recovered from his severe illness and is now able to resume work.

William Dodwell, a clerk in Griffin's hardware store at Plainfield, is enjoying a short vacation.

Mrs. William Newman and daughter, of Plainfield, spent yesterday with friends in the borough.

Mrs. Ransom and daughter, Miss Kittie Ransom, of Plainfield, are visiting friends in New Market.

Dr. W. F. Gaston, formerly of Dunellen, but now of Asbury Park, was the guest of friends in town yesterday.

Mrs. T. C. Bodine has returned from Newark where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hamilton.

Miss Jennie Thompson left yesterday for New Haven, Conn., where she will visit her aunt, Mrs. Ella Slape.

The school children are anxiously awaiting commencement, after which they can enjoy their summer vacation.

Mrs. Alice Bertells, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., has returned home after a pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sisty.

During the existence of William G. Holton Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., there has only been two deaths. This record is an excellent one, although the council has the reputation of paying more sick benefits than any other council in the State in proportion to its size.

Two young women of the borough started for the trolley car yesterday afternoon and, judging by their actions, they were not inclined to hurry, in fact one of them remarked: "I shall not run a step." They were about fifty feet from the car when the conductor asked them if they wanted to ride. The same young woman who had previously spoken, made an attempt to say yes, but the collector of wampum did not hear her plaintive cry and the car moved away, leaving the two young women sadder, but much wiser.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Miss Jennie Frentz is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Putnam, in Plainfield.

Mrs. J. T. Breaker with her children left yesterday for a three weeks' visit in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. May returned Wednesday evening from their honeymoon, spent in Atlantic City.

Thomas Rogers, whose hotel in Paterson was destroyed by fire Monday night, has many friends in this place.

Roy Day, of Plainfield, yesterday gave up the charge of the Union News Company's stand at the Fanwood station.

Mrs. John R. Marsh, of this place, and her daughter, of Plainfield, are visiting relatives at Greenwood Lake, N. Y.

The patrons of the stage line are becoming so numerous that it will soon be necessary to add another vehicle for their accommodation.

In the absence of Rev. Dr. Main, Rev. Cornelius schenck, Ph.D., of the Trinity Reformed church, will preach in the Seventh-Day Baptist church tomorrow morning.

Rev. George Washington Smith, of the borough, left this morning for Berea, Ohio, where he will preach the Baccalaureate sermon at the college located in that city.

Miss Josephine Kissam entertained her Sunday school class of little tots in the primary department of Trinity Reformed church Sunday-school, yesterday afternoon, at her home, 85 Duer street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Taylor, of Hackensack, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred MacDonald, of East Front street. Mr. Taylor is in the real estate business at his home and has amassed a fortune during his short but successful career.

WESTFIELD

LAW COMPELS BONDS.

WESTFIELD'S TOWN COMMITTEE GETS LIGHT ON THE MATTER.

Justice Collins Explodes a Legal Bomb in Last Night's Meeting—Suggestion to Float Notes Is Plausible, but Conflicting.

Justice E. R. Collins exploded a bomb in the meeting of the Westfield Township Committee last evening. The meeting was called to allow property owners to express their opinions to the committee on the proposed issue of sewer bonds. Committeemen Endicott and Harden and Township Treasurer Morehouse were present.

The occurrence which called forth the ire of Justice Collins was the suggestion made by Martin Wells that of the $58,000 which the township must raise at once for sewer purposes, only $30,000 should be in the form of a bonded debt, and the remainder left in notes to be discounted at the banks and renewed until the collection of assessments on property should enable the township treasurer to pay off said notes. These notes, Mr. Welles said, could be discounted at five per cent, while the assessments on property owners drew six per cent to the township until paid. Several citizens present coincided with Mr. Welles' views.

Judge Collins arose and inquired if the sewer system had not been constructed under the laws of 1894. Chairman Endicott replied that it had. The Justice then aligned his gold eyeglasses and read the following extract from the law relating to sewer construction:

"All notes issued by the Township Committee shall be made payable within two years from and after the beginning of the work, and the Township Committee shall issue either registered or coupon bonds of the township for so much of the cost of such sewer or drainage system as shall not at that time have been collected by means of assessments for special benefits."

The Justice called the attention of the committee to the language of the law which leaves them no choice in the matter of issuing bonds for the total amount of indebtedness not paid off within two years from the beginning of the work. The committee's attention was called to the fact that the two years in question had already elapsed, the work of construction having commenced May 15th, 1895.

Mr. Cohen suggested the idea of an issue of $30,000 in bonds payable within thirty years and after ten years. Upon this a vote was taken and the meeting declared unanimously in its favor. Treasurer Morehouse then proposed that an issue of $28,000 in bonds, drawing 4½ per cent interest, be made, with $4,000 coming payable each year by which all would be paid in seven years. He suggested that arrangements be made to have the bonds guaranteed by a trust company. This he thought would facilitate their sale, and would prevent a fraudulent over issue of bonds, thus protecting the township as well as the purchasers.

Mrs. John Gluck is ill at her home on South avenue.

Town Committeeman George Embree is ill with tonsilitis.

Mrs. Wm. Hodge is seriously ill at her home on Clark street.

Thomas Kenney, who was injured in the runaway of James French's team, last week, is now improving.

Miss Annie McDeed has returned to her home in Jersey City, after a week's visit with her parents on Cumberland street.

The century run from New York to Philadelphia is expected to pass through Westfield on the Springfield road about 7:20 a. m. tomorrow.

Flag Day will be commemorated by the Jr. O. U. A. M., in Westfield on Monday by the raising of an American flag on the pole at Broad and Prospect streets.

Mrs. James Hannon returned yesterday from the Elizabeth General Hospital, where she underwent a successful operation for the removal of a tumor.

The case of Barton against Weider, on contract, which was set for trial in Justice Toucey's court, yesterday, was dismissed because of a defect in the summons.

The Westfield Township Committee have sent a request to Sheriff Kirk that he appoint five members of Bucket and Engine Company special deputy sheriffs for July 4th to keep order in the town.

The pupils of Miss Ella Ferris will give a complimentary piano recital in the Methodist church this evening. The programme will include a number of vocal selections. Admission will be by ticket only.

The case of Ledley against Crickenberger which was set for trial before Justice Collins this afternoon, was settled before trial by the payment of the plaintiff's claim and the costs, amounting in all to $11 50.

Miss Sophie Condit, Miss Jane Morrow, Miss Minnie Lynde, Miss Jennie Starr, Miss Lucy Starr, Miss Anna Warncke, John Morrow and Carle Whitehead attended the commencement exercises of the New York Law School in Carnegie Music Hall, last evening.

The Westfield Athletic Club baseball team will play the Stelton A. C. team on the North Broad street grounds tomorrow afternoon. The Steltons are a very strong team, being mostly old Rutgers College players, and they may be depended upon to furnish an exciting game.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—Your correspondent in the issue of the 10th inst., in speaking of the school question at Garwood, and referring to the Boards of Education of Westfield and Cranford townships, says: "Complications have arisen from time to time, however, and as a result Garwood has been without a school this winter." This is an error. There has been, and is now, an excellent school, kindergarten and primary, free to all at Garwood under the direction of Mrs. Carrie G. Anderson, an experienced teacher, from New York. The school has been supported wholly by the Garwood Land and Improvement Company. By giving this space in your columns you will correct an error, give credit where it is due and greatly oblige. Respectfully, Frank W. Morse.

Observation Sleeping Cars on B. and O.

Commencing Sunday, June 13, the B. & O. R. R. will place in service, between Baltimore and Chicago, Pullman Observation Sleeping Cars. The cars have a saloon parlor in the rear, furnished with easy arm chairs, upholstered revolving chairs and sofas. This will enable passengers to view with better advantage the scenic wonders that have made the B. & O. famous. 6 11 3

—A strawberry and ice cream sociable under the auspices of Paughcaughnaughsinque Council, No. 34, D. of P., will be given in Washington Hall, West Second street, on Tuesday evening next.

Our Way.

We do things differently. You may trade here a while without detecting where the difference lies, but you will finally observe it. You will find that we always look to your advantage—help you to make your money go farthest and buy best.

Many are inclined to ask: "Can a merchant really afford to put his customers' interests before his own?" We know that he can. We do not believe he can afford to do anything else. Let us supply your drugs.

Frank Rowley,
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ESTABLISHED 1891.

NEWMAN'S STAGE LINE TIME TABLE

Between Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

Leave Plainfield..... 7.00; 9.30; 12.45 a. m. 4.00; 6.00; 9.00 p. m.
Sunday—9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00, 6.00 p. m.

Leave Scotch Plains. 6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m. 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2.00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

Randolph Runyon,
Funeral Director
and Embalmer.
Residence, Over Office. Office 43 Somerset St., Plainfield, N. J.

MARRIED.

HUBBARD-TITSWORTH — On Wednesday, June 9th, 1897, at the residence of the bride's father, Plainfield, New Jersey, by the Rev. A. H. Lewis, D. D. Bessie Evelyn, daughter of Joseph M. Titsworth, to Frank James Hubbard.

DIED.

McCUE—In this city, June 10, 1897, Thomas J. McCue, aged 21 years and 28 days. Funeral from his father's residence, 674 West Fourth street Saturday morning, June 12, 1897, at 9 o'clock, and from St. Mary's church at 9:30 a. m. Friends and Relatives are respectfully invited to attend, also T. A. B. Society. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

LOST—Last night, silver watch and chatelaine pin. Finder please return to this office and receive reward.

WANTED—Good woman dish washer. Apply McVey's restaurant.

WANTED—Responsible woman to board and care for baby. Must be reasonable. Apply L. P., care Press.

SMART young girl wants situation as waitress or nurse. Some experience. Apply A. S. care Press.

WANTED—Reliable men to travel, salary or commission. Centennial, 152 North avenue. 6 11 5

YOUNG girl, lately landed, wants situation as chambermaid and waitress, or general housework. 130 West Second street.

VERY desirable property for sale at great sacrifice. For particulars call or address 121 Duer street. 6 11 2

TO LET—Large alcove room with board, modern improvements, 3 minutes walk from station; shady verandas; terms moderate. Address V. X., care Press. 6 11 6

PLATFORM scale wanted. P. O. Box 750. 6 10 2

FURNISHED rooms to let, with or without board. 9 Grove street. 6 10 3

WOULD like a few more table boarders. Also a large airy front room with board. 145 West Second St. 6 9 4

YOUNG MAN wishes steady employment; understanns care of horses and driving; temperate and reliable; reference. Address T. H., care Press. 6 10 2

LARGE handsome front room to let with superior board; moderate terms. 132 Crescent avenue. 6 9 6

STRAYED—On June 2d, liver and white Pointer Dog, answers to the name of "Alex." Reward. F. C. Phoebus, City. 6 5 tf

BARGAIN—9 room house; three thousand; central location. LaRue, Marsh building. 6 5 6

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished, house, No. 92 Duer street. Enquire on premises. 6 3 tf

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

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you have urgent business with someone in another town or city, remember that your telephone is adapted for Long Distance talking, and that there are hundreds of towns and cities connected by the Long Distance lines, and thousands of people in them having metallic circuit service, with whom you can talk as easily as with a subscriber of your own exchange.

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THE CELEBRATED WHITMAN'S CANDIES

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L. W. RANDOLPH, Prescription Druggist,
143 WEST FRONT STREET. TELEPHONE CALL 109.

Seeley Edsall, of Sandford avenue, has returned from his western trip and is in Plainfield once more.

Miss Clarence Maxson, of Westerley, R. I., is visiting her sister, Miss Jessie Utter, of Central avenue.

Mrs. Charles H. Leland and Miss Ada Nash, of Prospect avenue, are spending a few days in Atlantic City.

SPECIAL SALE
-OF-
LAYER CAKES

tomorrow (Saturday) at the Golden Rule Bakery, 110 Somerset street. Delicious bread, cakes and pies of all kinds made fresh daily.

E. F. TITUS,
Proprietor.
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Nothing but a local remedy or change of climate will cure it. Get a well-known pharmaceutical remedy.

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It is quickly Absorbed. Gives Relief at once. Opens and cleanses the Nasal Passages. Allays Inflammation. Heals and Protects the Membrane. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. No Cocain, No Mercury, No Injurious drug. Full Size 50c.; Trial Size 10c. at Druggists or by mail.
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CATARRH

COLD IN HEAD

Plainfield's Busiest Store.

We sell goods cheaper than any Plainfield store.

It is Well to Remember

That the production of merchandise far outstrips its consumption. This will go far towards explaining the apparent modesty of prices on many seasonable goods. Hardly a day passes but what we have shown to us some special things that the manufacturer is overstocked—he needs money and the goods are offered to us in many cases at less than the cost of production. It's a wise loss for the maker, a good purchase for us, and a big bargain benefit for you.

TAKE WASH GOODS

There never was a season known when the wholesale market has been so glutted with thin, cool, dainty summer fabrics. The result is a price break.

Yard-wide Percales..... 5c
Fine Dimities..... 6c
Fine dress Ginghams..... 6c
French Jackonets..... 10c
Pretty Challies..... 10c
Lace stripe Gingham..... 12c
Fine Organdies..... 12c
Mixed Bicycle Suiting..... 10c

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR.

The continued cool weather makes it imperative that makers should sell now, and to unload quick they sell at a loss. Values will surprise you here.

Ribbed Vests..... 7c
Lisle finish vests..... 10c
Silk trimmed vests..... 15c
Fine lisle vests..... 25c
Silk vests..... 50c

DRESS GOODS.

Much of the loss caused by these reductions we take ourselves—its clearing time in this department, and we must have shelf room. If its dress goods you save money by buying here.

40-in black and blue Etima cloth..... 25c
54-in all-wool Cloth..... 39c
40-in all-wool Cashmere..... 33c
54-in silk and wool Mixture..... 49c
54-in all wool Bicycle Suiting..... 49c

HOSIERY.

Business bringing items these, all bought for a quick sale. Fix your hosiery thoughts on this store—we sell nothing but what will wear and give satisfaction.

Ladies' hose, extra fine quality..... 14c
Ladies' lisle hose, very fine..... 25c
Children's plain hose, fine quality..... 15c
Boy's bicycle hose, double sole knee..... 15c
Men's fine black half hose..... 13c
Men's fancy colored hose, value 35c a pair, our price..... 18c.

BIG WEEK AMONG THE MATTINGS.

Not a word of argument, simply the cold facts in the shape of description and prices—by yard or roll, it matters not which—there will be a lot of cool matting sold in this store during the next few days.

20-yd rolls of fine Jap Matting..... $2.48 the roll
Extra fine linen warp matting..... 20c. yd
Extra heavy China Matting, worth 25c., goes for..... 15c
Special low prices in all-wool Art Squares.

MEN'S OUTING SHIRTS.

Another prominent manufacturer over estimated his output or underestimated the uncertainty of the climate. Result, the consumer gets a buying benefit such as is seldom met with.

Fine Outing Shirts made of fine cheviot, full size..... 32c
Fine Cambric Shirts made of best percale, laundried..... 48c
Silk Stripe Madras Cloth Shirts, worth $1..... 59c
Boys' Laundried Cambric Shirts..... 39c

MANY LITTLE THINGS.

At a little price, but the saved pennies here and there count.

Summer corsets..... 39c
All linen doylies..... 41c. doz
Extra large Turkish towels..... 10c
4 button chamois gloves..... 67c
Best quality percaline lining..... 10c
Pretty figured denims..... 13c yd
New Japanese drapery..... 10c
Curtain nets for sash curtains..... 11c
Fine embroideries..... 5c
Hot water bags..... 49c

EDWARD WHITE.

MUST BE SOLD

In Three Weeks.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF MEN'S, BOYS' and CHILDREN'S CLOTHING,

and Men's furnishing goods must positively be sold by July 1st; not a dollar's worth do we want on our hands, and in order to dispose of so large a stock we will cut the prices down so low that you can come to our large store and buy a whole suit for what other stores will ask you for a single pair of pants. Don't buy a dollar's worth of clothing until you see our stock and prices. Every garment will be marked down in plain figures, and there should be no mistake of your getting the right price and the right goods. Remember that we sold over 45,000 dollars worth of clothing in Plainfield in one year. Ask anyone and everybody who ever bought of us and they will tell you that we give 3 times as many goods for the same amount that any other store in Plainfield will give you, in order to prove what we say. We will give you

A FEW PRICES

Men's all-wool royal blue serge suits, worth $12, at selling out price, $4.50; men's best all wool blue serge suit, worth $16, at selling out price, $5 90; men's fine gray clay serge, all-wool suit, worth $13.50, at selling out price, $5; fine men's gray or dark brown clay diagonal suit, worth $16, selling out price $6.25. No other store in Plainfield will sell the same suit for less than $18. A very fine business suit in all-wool worsted or cassimeres, worth $10, at $4.25; fine men's working suit, worth $8, at $2.50. This suit is all wool and warranted not to fade. Extra fine all-wool silk or satin lined clay diagonal all-wool suit in frocks, worth $20, at $8.25; a very fine English silk-mixed suit, worth not less than $22, at $6.90; over 500 suits in fancy cheviots and overplaids, dark or light colors, that we are selling at $2, $3, $3.50 and $4.50. Every one of them are worth from $8 to $15 of any man's money. Don't wait one minute, but come at once, as you never will have the chance again. Youths' suits in all-wool clay diagonal sacks, worth $10, at $4.50; young men's plaid suits, all wool, worth $8, at $2.90; boy's long pants suit at $2; children's suits, latest style plaids in brown and light colors at $1, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75, worth from $2 to $5; men's fine summer underwear at 15c; men's bicycle suits, $1.75, $2, $2.50 and $3.50, worth from $ 4 to $10; men's bicycle pants from 35c up. Be on hand early and avoid the rush. Over 2,000 suits to choose from. Durable men's pants at 75c; fine Sunday pants at 95c, $1.25, $1.50 and $1 75; every pair of them all wool and they are worth from $2.50 to $6. This closing out sale commences Saturday, June 12, at 7:30 a. m.

Car Fare Paid to All Buyers of Clothing.

NEW YORK CLOTHING CO.,
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M. WEINBERGER
Next door to Music Hall.

A WHOLE STATE RUN BY WOMEN.

Farm the Land, Repair the Roads, and Send the Men to Work in the City.

The woman question has been on trial for years in a country the conditions and tendencies of which seems more outspokenly opposed to progress in that particular direction than those of any other land. It may sound strange, yet Russia is the empire referred to.

In Central Russia is the township of Besjukovschtschina. There, in 1861, after an epidemic that reduced the peasants to starvation, the women, led by Saschka, ordered the men to leave and go to the city to find work. The women remained alone and began to till the farms. The men were allowed to return only for the holidays.

The woman state comprises a territory of ten square miles, and is divided into seven villages. Saschka and seven other women, the wives of the exiled elders, administer to all public affairs, such as the levying of taxes, the allotment of acres to the various families, the keeping up of the churches, the paying of the shepherds, etc., etc. They also assume the recruiting officer's duties by sending those men who attained the proper age to town in order to submit to medical examination.

In the Summer the fields of the district afford a peculiar aspect. One may ride over the Besjukovschatschina domain from morning till night without encountering a single male being. All the work, the hardest as well as the lighter manipulations, is executed by women and girls of different ages. With naked feet and arms they trot behind the plough, throw out seeds and gather fruit. Here we observe a dozen or more sturdy members of the weaker sex engaged in lifting a mighty rock; again, we see others cutting down trees or subduing a bucking horse or a wild bull. Toward evening all hands assemble in the church squares of the seven villages to hear reports of common interest, the women acting Mayors being the speechmakers, who discuss public questions in decisive and businesslike manner. This done, the women go home to attend to their own affairs.

Besides cultivating the fields, they keep the roads in order, and occasionally set up a new cottage or stable.—New York Journal.

DIAMOND JIM BRADY.

The Fad of a Man Who Travels with Precious Stones Worth $60,000.

Accompanying a party of Southern Pacific officials returning from a conference at Monterey, Cal., that passed through Denver the other day was James R. Brady, who is engaged in the business of railway supplies. Mr. Brady is known as "Diamond Jim by his associates. When he dresses for a pleasure excursion, it is said, he goes about with $60,000 worth of diamonds hidden about his person.

He displays ordinarily a diamond scarf pin, a pair of diamond cuff buttons, and a ring or two. His watch is studded with diamonds, and cost $3,000. The diamonds that are not displayed conspicuously are said to be the costliest. He wears diamonds upon his garter buckles, the buttons of his silk underwear have small diamonds set in them, and his suspender buckles are incrusted with gems. The chains of his suspenders are of gold. He carries with him a collection of umbrellas and canes, all of which have golden handles set with diamonds. He also carries matches in a diamond ornamented match case, and his cigars are offered to his companions from an elaborately enamelled and diamond incrusted cigar case. He lets his fad run unchecked in the matter of cuff buttons. He has twelve sets of cuff buttons, nearly as many sets of shirt buttons, and scarf pins innumerable, with the ornaments always diamonds. Of his many diamond rings of curious designs there is one that bears a solitaire torquoise set within a cluster of diamonds. This he calls his mascot, and he never lets it leave his possession.—New York Sun.

The Spider Growing Industry.

When mine host in the ideal country inn, which all of us seek but none of us find, brings up a bottle of crusted wine covered with cobwebs and dust, this outward and visible sign is taken as convincing evidence of age. We grieve to have to record that the trust may now be misplaced. A bulletin (No. 7) of the division of entomology of the United States Department of Agriculture says that in France and Pennsylvania an industry has recently sprung up, which consists of the farming of spiders for the purpose of stocking wine cellars, and thus securing almost immediate coating of cobwebs to new wine bottles, giving them the appearance of great age. This industry is carried on in a little French village in the Department of Loire, and near Philadelphia, where "Epeira vulgaris" and "Nephila plumipes" are raised in large quantities and sold to wine merchants at the rate of $10 per hundred. This application of entomology to industry is one which will not be highly commended.—From Nature.

The Smallest Picture in the World.

Probably the smallest piece of painting in the world is that executed by a Flemish artist. It is painted on the smooth side of a grain of common white corn, and pictures a mill, and a miller mounting a stair with a sack of grain on his back. The mill is represented as standng on a terrace, and near it is a horse and cart, while a group of several peasants is shown in the road near by. The picture is beautifully distinct, every object being finished with microscopic fidelity, yet by careful measurement it is shown that the whole painting does not cover a surface of half an inch square.

LEGION OF HONOR DECORATIONS.

A Law Passed Limiting the Number of Members to 12,000.

Of all the French institutions, perhaps only one of any national importance is a monument to the consulate. That one is the Legion of Honor, which Napoleon organized while that most transitional of governments was in existence. It appealed strongly to French instincts, has survived all the changes through which France has passed since that time, and its bit of red ribbon is still considered a sufficient reward for most important services to the state. Napoleon III bestowed the decoration so widely and with so little regard for the character of the men whom he made chevaliers that for a while the order fell into some disrepute. Toward the close of that unfortunate monarch's reign there were about 25,000 civil members, besides all those who had been decorated as soldiers. To restore the prestige of the order an act was passed in 1872 providing that only one new chevalier should be nominated for every two vacancies caused by death. The effect has been to reduce the number of civil knights to 10,000, but recent ministries have found the awarding of the few favors of this sort at their disposition created for them vastly more enemies than friends. The Meline cabinet has solved the difficulty for itself, at least, by introducing and securing the passage of an act repealing the law of 1872, and substituting for it one fixing the number of civil knights permanently at 12,000. There was a long debate in the chamber of deputies on this bill, and the socialists opposed it fiercely, but the measure finally passed by a vote of 344 to 124.—New York Times.

GREELEY'S WRITING.

Two Roosters Imitated His Chirography and the Old Compositor Set It.

There was only on printer who could read Greeley's writing well euough to put it in type. He used to boast that he could read the great editor's wondrous scrawl a mile away.

One night the boys in the New York Tribune composing room "put up a job" on the old man. They took two roosters, made them walk around on a newly inked form, and then run all over ten sheets of copy paper.

The foreman wrote over it, in Greeley's well-known scrawl, "The Plain Duty of Congress," and put it on old man Lawton's hook. I think his name was Lawton, but if it was not it does not matter much.

The old printer picked it up, swore a little, remarked that they had to shove the stuff on the old man as usual, adjusted his spectacles and began sticking type.

The other printers watched him for a few minutes, but beyond a muttered oath or two he gave no sign. Lawton went on setting type until about half way through the "copy."

Then he was stuck.

He took the copy over to the foreman and asked:

"Jack, what is that word?"

"I don't know," replied the foreman. "You know I could never read that stuff."

Lawton took the sheet down to Greeley and pointed out to him a particularly awful scrawl of the rooster's foot, asking what that word was.

Greeley looked at it a moment, and replied with a frown:

"'Unconstitutional.' of course."

Lawton went back to the composing room and finished his task with the utmost sangfroid.

The old man never knew how the "copy" was produced.—Journal of Education.

Refurbishing the Fez.

A business in Constantinople, monopolized by the Greeks or Armenians, is the renovation of the fez. This headgear, which is worn almost universally by the male population, is manufactured in France. It very soon, however, loses its pristine jauntiness, and becomes a limp and dejected affair, that gives to its owner a rakish air of imbecility not to be borne. In this condition it becomes necessary to resort to the fez restorer, who promptly adjusts the offending headgear over a heated brass pot, shaped like a flower pot. Over this goes a second conical pot, which is made to revolve briskly around the lower one by means of two handles. When this is removed the fez is found to have regained its youthful appearance and vigor, and is returned to its rightful owner, who stands patiently by.—Leslie's Magazine.

Co-operative Applause.

Sarah Bernhardt was playing Fedora to a crowded house. The poison scene, as usual, elicited a tempest of applause from the audience, but ere the clapping of hands and the stamping of feet had completely died away loud peals of laughter burst forth from the upper part of the theatre. The sober-minded people in the boxes and stalls gazed reproachfully at the boisterous "gods," but in a moment, they, too, began to laugh, for in the front row of the balcony and in full view of all stood two one-armed men, who, unconscious of the amusement which they caused, were energetically co-operating to prolong the applause by clapping their remaining hands together.—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Point not Well Taken.

She—"John, you are a perfect bear about the house."

He—"Maria, that assertion won't stand the test of science a single moment. A bear sleeps all winter. He doesn't have to get out of bed before daylight every morning to stir up the fire and call the hired girl. Try some other metaphor, Maria."—Chicago Tribune.

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Leave Plainfield 3 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 28, 7 30, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 38, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 13, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28, p. m. Sunday, 3 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 17, p m.

Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, (5 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p. m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 57, 6 29, 6 59, 7 60, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, am; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17 3 30, 5 41, 7 01 8 13 8 32 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 15, 7 55, 8 35, 9 03, 10 05, 11 35, a. m; (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 05, 5 25, 6 42, 7 19, 7 45, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 3 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 05, 5 15, 5 34, 6 05, 6 09, 6 19, 7 38, 7 15, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 56, a m; 2 03, 3 39 5 09, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 45, 8 19 9 02, 9 45, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 55, 8 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 3 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 28, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p, m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a m; 6 30, 10 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 8 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 10 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D, L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

3 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 28 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton. Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m. 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m. 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 03, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 32 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 4 55, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a.m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 00*, 6 35* p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m., 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 10 44 a. m., 5 00*, 6 45, p. m., 1 17 night.

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ORIGINAL PACKAGE STORE.

Opened For Business In Charleston—Others to Be Started Soon.

Charleston, June 11.—The first original package store for selling liquor in this state under the provisions of the recent decision of Judge Simonton of the United States court was opened here. An agent of a New York firm imported 1,000 cases of liquor. The goods were hauled through the streets and without being molested by the state constables were lodged in a storeroom.

The establishment was opened at once and began selling liquor in original packages. It continued business all day without trouble. Within the next few days several other similar establishments will be opened here. All the stuff sold was in gallon packages, but in a short time packages containing pints and half pints of liquor will be placed on sale. Exactly what action is to be taken by the dispensary authorities is not yet known.

CYCLONE IN MINNESOTA.

Six People Killed, Many Injured and Much Property Destroyed.

Mason City, Ia., June 11.—At 6:50 o'clock last night a cyclone struck northwest of Lyle, Minn., taking a southeasterly course. Six people are reported killed and many injured. The cyclone tore up houses and other buildings in its course, and the territory is now bare. The path of the storm was about half a mile in width. All telegraph lines north are down, and box cars on sidings were smashed into kindling.

A cyclone passing over the town of Kandiohi, Wilmar county, Minn., entirely demolished the buildings on the farm of John Berquist.

A CURIOUS CASE.

Trial In Dublin of a Suit For Criminal Conversation.

Dublin, June 11.—Considerable interest has been excited by the trial of an action brought by the Rev. William Vanston against Dr. Launcelot Whitecroft for £1,000 damages for criminal conversation with the plaintiff's wife.

The defendant set up a general denial and pleaded as a second defense that the marriage of the Vanstons had been annulled by a judgment of a Dakota court in November, 1896, Whitecroft and Mrs. Vanston having subsequently married in New York city.

The jury gave the plaintiff a farthing damages.

Desperate Fight With Tramps.

Whiting, Ind., June 11.—A desperate battle took place between eight tramps who had taken possession of a Lake Shore and Michigan Southern freight house and two officers, during which two of the tramps were wounded. The tramps refused to vacate the building when requested to do so by the yard watchman, and when the officers arrived a fight ensued. The officers were finally forced to use their revolvers and succeeded in capturing all of the tramps. The presence of a Lake Shore train gave rise to rumors that a hold up had been attempted.

Big Distillery Deal Probable.

Owensboro, Ky., June 11.—H. C. Wathen and Henry Wilkins, agents of a syndicate, are here to take an inventory of distillery property on which owners have fixed a price. The deal embraces Sour Mash, Eagle, Glenmore, Fields, Daviess County, John Hanning and M. P. Mattingly distilleries. Whiskey men say the deal is sure to be carried out, and that in 60 days the syndicate will own seven-tenths of the distillery property in Kentucky and 50,000,000 gallons of whiskey in bond.

Vessels Imprisoned In Ice.

Gloucester, Mass., June 11.—Advices received from Newfoundland are to the effect that the schooner Concord of this port, together with about 25 other Gloucester vessels, including halibut catchers and cod fishers, are imprisoned in the ice on the Newfoundland coast. The vessels are reported on the eastern coast of the island, in the vicinity of Bay Bulls and St. John, which section is practically barricaded by immense fields of ice.

Yale College Purchases Property.

New Haven, June 11.—Yale university has purchased a piece of property on the corner of Library and York streets having a frontage of 133 feet on York and 181 feet on Library. The price paid was $60,000. Yale nows owns nearly all the property on the square inclosed by York, Elm, Library and High streets. No buildings will be erected on the newly purchased lot this year, but probably a new dormitory will go up there soon.

Found Guilty of Murder.

Bridgeport, Conn., June 11.—Guiseppe Fuda, charged with the murder of his wife, has been found guilty of murder in the first degree. The murder took place in a lonely spot in East Norwalk on the night of February 17. The jury were out but 54 minutes. Three ballots were taken, the first being 10 for murder in the first degree and two for murder in the second degree.

Held For Homicide.

Newburg, N. Y., June 10.—The coroner's jury in the case of the Fishkill Landing affray, in which John Mannix was fatally injured, found that death was due to fracture of the skull, caused by Charles Donoghue. Patrick Feeley and John Fleming are held as accessories. The three were lodged in Poughkeepsie jail to await the action of the grand jury.

Gold Bricks Seized.

Ogdensburg, N. Y., June 11.—The customs inspector has reported to the treasury department the seizure of two spurious gold bricks found in a trunk which arrived there five days ago from Morristown, N. Y. The owner of the trunk and bricks is supposed to have been on the same train, but made his escape.

Sentenced For Postoffice Robbery.

Montpelier, Vt., June 11.—James F. Atwood has been convicted in the United States district court here of robbing the postoffices in Hartford and White River Junction two years ago and sentenced by Judge Wheeler to four years at hard labor.

Woman Cuts Her Throat.

Saratoga, June 11.—Mrs. William Saxby, wife of a prominent citizen of Ballston Spa, cut her throat at that place and will probably die. Ill health was the cause.

THE QUEEN'S JUBILEE

The Official Programme of England's Great Event.

COLONIAL TROOPS IN THE PARADE.

They Will Form Her Majesty's Escort. Canada Will Cut a Conspicuous Figure. Cordial Welcome For Premier Laurier—The Procession.

London, June 11.—The Times gives this morning the official programme of the procession for June 22, the diamond jubilee day.

An imposing array of regulars, with bands and seven batteries of artillery, will form the vanguard. Then will come the royal aids-de-camp, the field marshals and their equerries, the foreign attaches and deputations, the queen's Prussian dragoons, the lord mayor, 36 English and foreign princes, the Indian escort and Lord Wolseley, the commander in chief, immediately preceding the queen, who will have the Duke of Cambridge on her right hand and the Prince of Wales and the Duke of Connaught on her left.

Then will follow the gold sticks in waiting, the masters of horse and the masters of buckhounds with their equerries and the royal grooms.

A large body of home and colonial troops will come next, the colonial troops forming the queen's escort. In the separate colonial procession it will be noticeable that the Canadian troops are followed immediately by Mr. Wilfrid Laurier, the premier, who will be first after the advance guard of the Royal Horse guards, while a portion of the Canadian troops will bring up the rear.

All the papers publish editorials welcoming the colonial premiers and delegates, especially Mr. Laurier.

The Times in an editorial upon the evident design displayed in the arrangement of the procession says that the presence of the colonial premiers, headed by Mr. Laurier, a Frenchman and a Catholic, testified to the breadth and solidity of the constitutional freedom the British colonies enjoy.

One of the Irish newspapers publishes a letter from Mr. Gladstone, in which he refers to the "insolence and audacity of the sultan's imperious request to be permitted to sends envoys to the jubilee." Mr. Gladstone expresses the hope that prudence and decency will induce the government to stifle the request, adding:

"The envoys of the great assassin would meet with a disagreeable reception in England."

The Porter's Fast Time.

New York, June 11.—The United States torpedo boat Porter made the circuit of Long Island in faster time than it has ever been made before and successfully proved that she is the best boat of her class. She left her anchorage in the East river at 6:10 a. m., and in spite of a heavy swell went around the island and returned to the place of anchorage at 6:45 p. m., exactly 12 hours and 35 minutes from the time of starting, having covered nearly the 300 miles in time never approximated before. No mishaps occurred, except the breaking of a small pipe, necessitating the use of salt water for a time in the boiler.

Guilty of Forgery.

Cleveland, June 11.—Charles N. Cunningham has been found guilty in criminal court for forging the name of Judge E. T. Hamilton to a check for $75,000. Strenuous efforts were made to prove that he was insane at the time he committed the crime. The claim was made that years ago an indentation was made in his skull by a fall from a horse. His attorneys sent him to a hospital and had part of the skull removed during the pendency of the present case, but it availed nothing with the jury. Cunningham was sent to the penitentiary a number of years ago for a swindle perpetrated at Yonkers, N. Y.

A Steamboat Fireman In Luck.

Newburg, N. Y., June 11.—Clifford Williams of this city has just been notified by his lawyer in San Francisco that by the death of his uncle, Dr. James Williams, in San Francisco, he and his mother and brother, Mrs. Arville Williams and Frederick Williams of New Haven, have inherited a fortune of $75,000. Cliff Williams is a fireman on the propeller Newburg, but will leave his employment on Saturday. He and his brother and mother will start for California next week to claim their fortune. The late Dr. Williams was engaged in silver mining in Nevada.

Fatally Stabbed by an Italian.

Newburg, N. Y., June 11.—William Kerrigan, a brickyarder, died near Fishkill from the effects of a stab wound in the abdomen inflicted a few days ago by an Italian, who escaped. Kerrigan received the wound while trying to separate the Italian and the former's friend, Patrick McNamara, who were fighting with knives. The Italian's name and whereabouts are unknown to the Fishkill authorities.

Death of a Famous Indian Character.

Norwich, Conn., June 11.—Moses Fielding, a famous Indian character and a member of the tribe of Mohican Indians, is dead at Mohican village, between here and New London. He was 64 years of age and a direct descendant of Chief Uncas. In his day he was the greatest hunter in the state. Only three members of this family now survive.

Waylaid by Masked Men.

Richmond, June 11.—News has reached here that three masked men waylaid Dr. W. A. Smith of Madison near his home and after robbing him beat him into insensibility. Dr. Smith may die. If his assailants are caught, there may be a lynching.

Killed While Unloading Logs.

Galeton, Pa., June 11.—W. J. Dillon, aged 32, was killed while superintending the unloading of a log train on the Buffalo and Susquehanna road. Mr. Dillon was prominent in lumber circles.

Brewing Company's Plant Seized.

Buffalo, June 11.—The plant of the Lancaster Brewing company has been seized by the sheriff on a chattel mortgage for $19,500.

Weather Predictions.

Fair, slightly warmer; northwesterly winds, becoming variable and diminishing.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 4:28 a. m.
Sun Sets: 7:31 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 8:31 p. m.

GOSSIP OF THE CYCLERS.

TEMS INTERESTING TO DEVOTEES OF THE STEEL STEEDS.

The Popular Exercise Provides Incidents and Expressions That are of Especial Moment When Wheeling is the Rage.

Mrs. Frank Manchester, of Lafayette place, has purchased a new wheel and enjoys riding very much.

Benjamin Martin, of South Second street, has purchased an Iver Johnson wheel of George V. Batchelor, agent.

A series of races will be held on the Linden race track, near Elizabeth, tomorrow. They will be open to Union county riders only.

E. Frank Vail, the agent for the Pierce bicycle, is expecting a Pierce tandem in a few days. He will use the tandem for his own use part of the time and place it on the rental list

Lindley M. Hillman and Harry Cuming, of the Plainfield High School bicycle squad, are entered in the bicycle race at the National interscholastic games in New York, Saturday afternoon.

The New Jersey Division of the L. A. W. has placed danger signs at the tops of the several hills in the neighborhood of Summit, warning wheelmen not to coast. The work of placing warning signs on dangerous hills was begun last year under the chief consulship of Mr Gentle, and his successor, Chief Consul Kireker, is appararently fully determined to keep up the good work.

The first race meet of the Linden Wheelmen will be held on their one-mile bicycle track at Linden on Saturday afternoon. The events, which are open to riders from Union county only, are as follows: One mile novice, one mile open, two mile open, one half-mile open, five mile open. The professional events will be a one mile open and a five mile open. Entry blanks can be obtained at this office.

The Atalanta Wheelmen, of Newark, will hold a half-holiday race meet on the Waverly track, Saturday afternoon June 19th. The events will be a half mile novice, one mile handicap, one mile open, one and a half-mile tandem handicap, one half-mile handicap, and one mile triplet. The events are all amateur ones. The Atalanta Wheelmen are also planning a Fourth of July meet, including events open to amateurs and professionals.

The Union County Roadsters, of Rahway, intend to try the experiment of running a twenty-five-mile tandem race over the Irvington-Milburn course, on July 3d. The event will be open to all riders. Valuable prizes will be offered. In addition to the tandem race a fifteen-mile run will be held, open to riders of single wheels. The tandem race should prove interesting and result in some fast times. Entries will close with A. H. Chamberlain, Rahway.

The Associated Cycling Clubs of New Jersey propose to conduct a century run from Newark to Philadelphia during the week of the National meet, which embraces August 2d to 7th. Several thousand riders, it is expected, will participate in the run. The excellent roads leading to Philadelphia will induce a large number of cyclists hereabouts to ride to the National meet. Club parties are now being made up among the road riders of the leading clubs, and it is likely that club "century" parties will ride down to Philadelphia during the week of the meet. The National championships will be held on August 6th and 7th, and it is more than likely that upon these two days the Quaker City will be filled to overflowing with bicycle riders, All the metropolitan clubs intend to be represented at the meet.

All preparations for the great Inter-Club Century Run, from Newark to Philadelphia, tomorrow, are completed. Headquarters will be at the largest hotel in Newark, The Continental, where all can be accommodated, and from in front of which, after a 4 o'clock breakfast, the run starts at 5 o'clock a. m. A large staff of experienced road officers and pacemakers, chosen from the prominent clubs of Philadelphia and adjoining cities, will lead the van, while large arrow route cards all along the route, will enable every one to follow the route at all times, accurately. Dinner will be served at Trenton. At 3 o'clock p m., the great run leaves Trenton for its home run, and at 6:45, precisely, it will come down Broad street from Rising Sun lane, and dismiss at Girard avenue, Philadelphia. The Associated Cycling Clubs of Philadelphia make no profit out of the run. Every dollar paid in first pays off the expenses of printing, etc., and all the surplus is put in the handsome prizes and survivors medals.

The Continental Hotel in Newark has been selected as the headquarters of the Inter-Club Century run, and from in front of that hostelry the run will start at 5 a. m., tomorrow. There will be no road racing on the Inter-Club run, no scorching ahead of schedule time, and no point will be left until the proper time arrives. The following is the schedule:

	Points.	Time.	Miles.
Leave	Newark	5:00 a. m.	00
Leave	Elizabeth	6:45 "	15
Leave	Westfield	7:20 "	22
Leave	Plainfield	7:45 "	27
Leave	New Brunswick	9:15 "	30
Leave	Kingston	11:00 "	52
Leave	Princeton	11:30 "	56
Leave	Lawrenceville	12:15 p. m.	62
Arrive	Trenton	1:00	69
		Dinner.	
Leave	Trenton	3:00	00
Leave	Bristol	4:15 "	79
Arrive	Philadelphia	6:45 "	101

The committee has just gone over the roads, every route card is posted up, every repair shop ready to give aid if needed, and every detail perfected. The roads are superb, and the scenery through the Oranges, over the famous Plainfield-Princeton turnpikes and along the banks of the Delaware, unsurpassed. All the weather charts promise fine weather, and as the recent rains have compacted the roads and washed away all the dust, the riding could not be easier. It will be an ideal century, and the run of the year for novices to make their first century on.

AROUND THE BASES.

The Elizabeth Athletic Club have organized a strong amateur team for the coming season and will play its first game Saturday with the Plainfield A. C., at Elizabeth, on the Chestnut street grounds. The Plainfield team will line up as follows: Erickson, catcher; Winn, pitcher; Frentz, first base; Macbeth, second base; Cooney, third base; Sprowl, right field; Moran, short stop; Guinee, centre field; Fleming, left field; Barton, extra.

—A special sale of 1,000 quarts of strawberries at special prices will take place tomorrow at Neuman Brothers.

Louis Mack, of Somerville, was the guest of Plainfield friends, last evening.

A DOG ASSISTANT.

Wakes the Boarders in the Morning and Announces Breakfast.

An Asbury Park landlady has a dog that calls the boarders to breakfast. At 7:30 in the morning she says: 'Here, Jeff! Go wake up the boarders."

Jeff mounts the stairs and seats himself in the hall and bowls. He "bays the moon" on every landing in the house, and finally makes a tour of the hallways, howling all the time. This is the rising bell.

At 8 o'clock the landlady says: "Jeff, call them to breakfast."

This time Jeff emits joyful barks as he makes his tour of the house. He has a short, sharp bark that is his breakfast call, and the boarders recognize it. Jeff only barks that way once a day. The rest of the twenty-four hours he is a quiet house dog, but in the morning is uneasy and suspicious until he is sent on his morning rounds.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

Every One was Resigned.

"I heard your minister resigned from his charge."

"Well, no, not edzac'ly."

"How was it then?"

"Why, you see, we'd been resigned ter him as long as we could stand it, and we thought it wus time for him to recippercate. He didn't resign. We resigned him.—Boston Post.

It Frightened Her.

"Your father has an idea that you are going to marry a worthless, good-for-nothing fellow, but aha! I will fool him!"

"Gracious! You are not going to break off the engagement, are you."—Washington Star.

A WISE CROW IS DICK.

The Bird Seemed to Understand His Mistress' Remark.

Mrs. James D. Martin of North Bennington, Vt., has a crow that is a born humorist. It is continually playing pranks on the different members of the Martin household. The bird's name is "Dick."

"Dick" has a strong love for jewelry, and never allows an opportunity to steal a ring or other ornament to pass. Recently Mrs. Martin missed a plain gold ring. She at once suspected the crow of being the thief.

"'Dick,'" she said, "where is the ring you stole?"

"Dick" cocked his head pertly to one side, and then looked at his mistress from the corner of his little beady eyes. He shook his black head violently, and then flew out of the open window to the limb of a nearby tree.

"There's no use trying to do anything with that crow," said Mrs. Martin. "The rascal has hidden it somewhere, and we will never find it again. I know what I'll do. I'll just have the men kill that crow."

"Dick" evidently had overheard every word, for he peered into the room anxiously, even in a manner betokening fright. When Mrs. Martin entered the room an hour or so later she found the ring lying on a table. "Dick" was demurely perched on the back of a chair.

"So you did bring the ring back, did you?" said Mrs. Martin, sharply eyeing the bird.

"Dick" looked at her for a moment, and then hopping from the chair to the floor, tried in a manner that was extremely ludicrous to beg her pardon.—Cor. New York Press.

A BATTLE IN THE SEA.

The Menhaden More Afraid of the Blue Fish than the Shark.

Did you ever see bluefish charge a school of menhaden at sea? That is something worth seeing. The bluefish throw their lines forward until they almost surround the menhaden, and then attack them flank and rear. The menhaden fairly make the water boil in their efforts to escape, while all around the enemy is at them tearing relentlessly.

Into all this commotion comes a great shark. It's a picnic for the shark, a school of menhaden all herded up for its benefit. It swims leisure into the midst of them, opens its mouth, and takes in half a dozen menhaden at a gulp. It swims around and bites out half a dozen more from the school. It gorges itself without effort.

But the menhaden are not nearly as much disturbed by the presence of the monster swimming about among them as they are by the charging bluefish. The shark takes half a dozen fish or more at a bite, while the bluefish only bites a piece out of a single fish, but there is only one shark, while there may be thousands of bluefish, plunging and tearing incessantly and maiming at every stroke.

The shark's a brute, but under such circumstances the menhaden has less of fear than it has of contempt for him.

SOLDIERS' BEDS.

The French Soldiers Bed the Best of Any in Foreign Countries.

The soldier's bed varies notably in the different European armies. According to Dr. Viry, the following are the principal varieties, in which, perhaps, we may see the reflection of national characteristics. In England the bed is hard; the soldier lies on a thin mattress that rests on canvas stretched over a frame. In Spain the soldier has only a straw bed, but he is allowed besides this a pillow, two sheets, two blankets and a covered quilt, sometimes even a cover for the feet. It is almost sybaritic. In Germany and Austria he has a simple straw bed with one or two covers, neither sheet nor mattress. In Russia, until recently, the soldier slept with his clothes on, on a camp bed; but now ordinary beds begin to be used—the result of contact with more civilized countries. After this, it cannot be doubted that the French soldier's bed is the best of all, with its wooden or iron bedstead, a straw bed, a good mattress, sheets, a brown woolen coverlet and an extra quilt for cold weather. Thus the bed of the French soldier is the softest of all soldiers' beds, as that of the French peasant is acknowledged also to be the best of all European countries.—British Medical Record.

Typewriting Injurious.

Now that type-writers are found in homes almost as commonly as the writing desk, it is perhaps, pertinent to remind women that the use of the machine is very hurtful to a piano player. The sharp staccato movements of the writing machine stiffen the fingers and tend to lessen the suppleness necessary for the piano keys.—Philadelphia Ledger.

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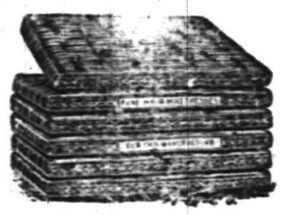

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American Sardines, packed in oil,	3c	Lean Salt Pork, per lb.	8c
Imperial Evap. Cream, per can	3c	Best Round Steak, per lb.	14c
Postum Cereal, per package	12c	Corned Beef, Plate piece, per lb. 4c, Rump pieces 10c.	4c
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RELIGION ON BICYCLES.

DETAILS OF EPWORTH AND ENDEAVOR CYCLE INNOVATIONS.

The Former to Turn Out Awheel Simply for Sociability While the Latter Will Combine Devotion With the Exercise.

The Christian Endeavorers and Epworth Leaguers of this city will next week inaugurate their long talked-of plan of introducing the bicycle into the plans of their work. The Christian Endeavorers are planning to combine bicycling and worship by visiting one of the outlying societies on their wheels and attending one of their prayer meetings. The members of the Epworth League intend to keep up with the times by taking a sociable on wheels and enjoying a moonlight spin on the delightful roads of this section. Both organizations have taken advatage of the full moon of next week and will hold their runs while "fair Luna" illuminates the scene in all her pale glory.

On Monday evening, Chapter No. 1, of the Epworth League, which is located at the First M. E. church, will hold a bicycle sociable. The reason for the holding of the affair on bicycles, the members state, is not as some newspapers remark. It is not because the cycling habit has so thinned the ranks of tne League that an attempt is being made to win them back by the use of the wheel but because a great majory of the members ride wheels and enjov a summer evening on their bicycles much better than in a warm room.

The members and their friends will assemble in front of the Vincent chapel at 7:30 o'clock prepared to start It is expected that there will be a large turnout on that occasion. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Joy will chaperone the party while James A. Stafford will be in command. He will pace the run and appoint his lieutenants to assist him in the direction of the column of cyclers. Of course, there will be no scorching but a moderate pace will be set that will be easily within the bounds of the wheelmen and wheelwomen who belong to the League.

The run will be to Pumptown, going by the way of the main road and returning by Oak Tree. There will be no stops unless found necessary for repairs or rest and the party will return to Plainfield and disband.

The next evening, Tuesday, the Christian Endeavor bicycle squad will gather and ride to Mount Pleasant where they will attend the weekly prayer meeting at the Mount Pleasant chapel Early in the winter, the plan was first suggested that the different societies should visit each other on their wheels. The weather was not exactly suited to such kind of visitations at that time and all talk was given up until the summer came. At the meeting of the executive committee of the Local Union, some time ago, Miss Ernestine Smith was placed in charge of the runs as was told in the Press at the time. Mr. DeForrest, of Mount Pleasant, invited the Union to make his society the destination of the first run and the invitation was accepted.

The run, Tuesday evening, is something of an experiment and so the cycling squad has not been organized as yet. If the run finds favor with the Christian Endeavorers of the city and they turn out in sufficient numbers to warrant it, the runs will be continued through the summer.

Miss Smith, who is chairman of the committee in charge, has sent a request to each of the societies to choose one rider from among their number to serve regularly on the committee to take charge of the runs. The other members of the committee will be the members of Miss Smith's staff. She has not yet chosen her staff, but will wait to see who the interested ones are. Her staff will consist of two lieutenants, a color sergeant, a bugler, a repair corps sergeant, or bicycle surgeon, and such other officers as she may deem necessary.

Miss Smith has announced her orders for the first run. Christian Endeavorers living east of Park avenue will assemble in front of the Park Avenue Baptist church promptly at 7:45 o'clock. Endeavorers living west of Park avenue are requested to assemble in front of the Seventh Day Baptist church at the same hour. The two detachments will meet and proceed out Park avenue. At Avon Park, the road to Mount Plasant turns to the left. After riding some distance, a fork in the road is reached and the party will turn to the right. The wheels will be stacked in front of the chapel and left under a guard, while the Endeavorers will adjourn to the chapel where a short prayer, praise and testimony service will be held. Then the column will start homeward returning by the same route.

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BULLETS FOR BURGLARS

BUT THEY MISSED THEIR MARK AND THE HOUSEBREAKERS ESCAPED.

A Daring Attempt Made to Loot a Westfield Residence—Thieves' Plans Frustrated by Arrival of the Man of the House.

A daring burglary, in which one of the cracksmen narrowly escaped the bullets of a pursuer, occurred in Westfield at an early hour this morning.

James C. Walden, who resides on Westfield avenue, was awakened about 2:30 o'clock by the barking of a large dog that is kept upon the premises of Fred Meserole, next door.

Some suspicious sounds were also heard proceeding from the front parlor, and Mr. Walden armed himself with a revolver and crept quietly down stairs.

He reached the parlor door, from which place he caught sight of two men, one standing upon the piazza and the other with one foot in the house, half way in the open window.

At this man Walden pointed his revolver and fired. The shot probably missed its mark as the man quickly left the window and with his companion ran down Westfield avenue.

Walden followed the fleeing burglars for half a block, once more firing at them unsuccessfully. He then gave up the chase, and returned to see what the invaders had accomplished at his residence.

The parlor was found in a state of great disorder, showing that the men had been inside the house. Nothing of value was secured, however, and Walden now has a soft place in his heart for his canine friend next door, whose barking probably saved him from a serious loss at the hands of the burglars.

The Gambler's Pathway.

J. W. Pierce, of Montclair, will give a grand stereopticon lecture in Salvation Army Hall, West Second street, tonight. Subject, "The Gambler's Pathway." There will also be a number of beautiful views illustrating the Salvation Army's work in the slums and Rescue Homes, and on Sunday night the subject will be "Sowing and Reaping," beautifully illustrating the life scenes of Jesus from the manger to the cross. There will be good singing and a hearty welcome to all. Admission free.

Missionary Workers Celebrated.

The first anniversary of the Missionary Society and Society of Willing workers of the Fillmore Avenue Baptist church was celebrated Thursday evening in Reform Hall. Reports were presented by Mrs. Louis Scott, president of the Missionary Society, and Mrs. Mary Thomas, president of the Society of Willing Workers. Each report gave evidence of steady growth and interest.

Risberg Convicted.

The trial of John Risberg, of this city, who was indicted for misdemeanor in helping to procure the death of Mrs. Mary Noble by a crimnal operation, came to an end in the Newark court, Thursday. The jury was charged and Thursday afternoon brought in a verdict of guilty. Mrs. Amelia Francisco, who pleaded non vult to the same charge, is now awaiting sentence.

A House for Himself.

A. W. TenEyck, manager of the carpet department of Woodhull & Martin's west Front street store, is building a new $2,800 residence for himself on Westervelt avenue. It is a two story frame house with attic, equipped with all the modern improvements. The plans for the house were drawn by Lancaster & Rogers, of the Babcock building.

Another New Residence.

Another new residence is being added to the pretty group at West End Park. Arthur A. Stryker, of West Front street, is having a new $3,500 home built next door to his present residence. The house was designed by Lancaster & Rogers, and is a two story and attic frame dwelling of rather novel design. The first floor is clap boarded and the second and third shingled.

Received a College Degree.

Rev. W. C. O'Donnell, pastor of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, returned yesterday from Syracuse after successfully passing his examinations at the University of Syracuse and receiving the degree of Ph.D., which was conferred upon him by the university from which he graduated, after a five years' course.

A Homeless Child.

Overseer of the Poor Marx is looking for a home for a little boy, three months old, who has been left in his charge. If there is anyone who can take the child they can communicate with Mr. Marx at once.

—The tent to be used by the American Volunteers has been erected on Somerset street, in the borough.

ROMANTIC REALISM AT THE FETE CHAMPETRE.

The Progressive Women's Great Event Now Ready For Visitation.

The Country Grounds of Mrs. Pierre Mali the Scene of Splendor in Modern and Ancient Arrangements and Attractions—Decorations Are Indicative of a Modern Fairyland—Some of the Things That Are Waiting to Entertain Those Who Wend Their Way Thence This Afternoon and Evening.

The day of the Fete Champetre has arrived and the week's postponement has not hurt it in the slightest. In fact, it has been improved in many ways over the Fete that was to be held last week. The effects of the recent storm are not to be seen, the grass is green and cool, and the foliage is in its beauty. Yes, the Fete is now a reality, ready to be enjoyed by all. The broad stretches of Johnston Park, as the palatial residence of the late John Taylor Johnston and its surrounding lawns are called, are alive with a gay throng decked in holiday attire. The familar strains of some inspiring march float out from the scene of the Fete while the busy hum of voices makes a steady accompaniment to the music. And once inside, what a wonderful panorama is opened to the view of the visitor. Bright gowns, glad faces, are to be seen, picturesque Gypsies flit among the crowd, while here and there a uniformed sentiment, rifle on shoulder, marches steadily along on his beat, his bayonet flashing in the sun shine.

There in the shade of yonder mighty elms the children merrily wind the May pole while their elders watch them and wish that the Fete Champetre had been an event in their early life. Little pony carriages pass along the gravel paths that lead about this modern "fairyland" and their youthful occupants shout with glee as each new pleasure presents itself to their view. Altogether the Fete Champetre is a delightful reality accessable to all the good people of Plainfield.

What a world of work has been done and all through the efforts of a party of determined women. During the winter, cold and bleak, Mrs. Pierre Mali, daughter of the late John Taylor Johnston, offered the use of her magnificent summer home on East Front street for a Fete, to be held there some bright June day, for the benefit of the Town Improvement Association, of which Mrs. Malli is the president. The idea was elaborated upon and gradually the plans grew until the Fete Champetre in all its detail was spread before the eyes of those interested in the scheme. Since then, the work has gone steadily forward until now, the Fete, destined to raise sufficient funds to permit the Association to place the City Park in a condition to be an honor instead of a disgrace to the city, has become an event which will be long remembered in the households of Plainfield and the neighboring towns.

It is not a fete intended only for Plainfielders, other places are well represented. Of course, nearly everybody in this city is either at the fete, has been there or are going this evening, but then there are parties of wheelmen and wheelwomen who rode over during the afternoon and intend to take their evening meal under the shelter of the spreading limbs.

Everybody has either read or heard something about the Fete Champetre, but to many the ideas of the fete are shadowy at best. Few realize the full extent of this wonderful event which has been planned and executed here right among them. The fete has begun and one can say with all truthfulness that it is well worth a visit. It is the event of a lifetime and every citizen should turn out with his family to do honor to the occasion. It is not limited to a certain class, it is open to all. The gathering is distinctively a democratic one. The cyclist in knickerbockers and negligee attire walk side by side with the fair lady in silks and satins. There are no ironclad rules to frighten one away ere he enters the gates. The object is to furnish enjoyment for all in countless different ways and everybody is there to help in its accomplishment.

The attractions are manifold at the Fate Champetre, but there are certain of them that are not to be missed under any circumstances.

The visitor is given his choice of two entrances, one at the corner of East Front street and Farragut avenue, where an arch and tower tell of something out of the ordinary within, and at the lodge near Netherwood avenue. The visitors who come in carriages, on wheels, or on foot, from Plainfield will naturally choose the first entrance. A road winds in among the trees to the residence, around which is grouped many of the attractions. The road is smooth and well graded, and the small round pebbles with which it is covered are not to be feared in the slightest by the bicycle riders.

A word of advice to the wheelmen. The "bicycle stable" has been established in the commodious stables on the place, which are located in the rear. By circling around the drives, following the boundary hedge on the right, the rider is thus given a delightful little spin through a beautiful place and may then find his way easily to the stables, check his wheel, and go forth in search of adventure.

One of the principal attractions of the afternoon will be the winding of the May pole on the broad green in the rear of the house. Here a large pole has been placed and at the hours of 4 and 5 o'clock, bright, merry children will gather and wind the Maypole as their ancestors did years ago on the shores of "Merrie England."

Leading to the left from the main drive by which the visitor enters, there is a shady path that goes toward the stream that flows placidly along between green banks, now dotted with many a laughing couple. Lawn seats are placed at intervals for the accommodation of the guests who care to stop a minute and listen to the music. Booths have been built beside the path and in them the choicest of candies and flowers are to be found. A lemonade well furnishes that with which to quench the thirst of the tired one. Passing the booths, the path leads to a rustic bridge, where the guest is told that he has now reached the borders of the Gypsy encampment, and must pay the required fee of ten cents, which answers as the "open se ame" to this domain. Over the rustic bridge is the island on which the Gypsy palmist reigns supreme. There, in an Oriental tent, the palmist awaits her visitors. She is no common reader of the palm, but comes here especially for the Fete to read the characters of the visitors from their outstretched hand. She studied with Chiero and was his favorite pupil.

Another rustic bridge leads to the camp of the rest of the Gypsies. Tents and an old fashioned wagon are their abode and they sing their wierd songs and dance wild whirling dances while the fire burns brightly about the crane and old-fashioned flapjacks are served up to the hungry guests.

The Gypsy dances will be held at 4:30 and 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon and 8 and 9 o'clock in the evening, and those who have been favored to the extent of being allowed to attend the rehearsal say that it will be well worth a visit. Tea will be served during the afternoon.

Behind the Gypsy encampment are the "bicycle stables," where countless racks have been installed to support the wheels of the many visitors who care to wander about the grounds on foot and leave their silent steeds in a place of safe keeping.

Green brook, which divides Johnston Park in two parts, has its attractions for the visitors, too. A rustic boat house nestles away under the trees, close by the entrance to the domain of the "Queen of the Palm," and here are a fleet of rowboats, propelled by sturdy oarsmen, which carry those who care to go out for a row up the brook to the boundary bridge and back on the other side of the island, a row of ten minutes, and all for ten cents.

As the supper hour approaches, the Mecca for the great throng of pilgrims will be the supper department, which has its headquarters on the green sward close by the house and on the broad verandas. A wonderful supper will be served at moderate prices and in bountiful quantities.

Wonderful, isn't it? But wait until the rosy sun has disappeared behind the hills in the west and the time time comes for the illumination of the grounds. If it was "fairyland" before, what will it be then? Expert hands have twined the wires among the branches of the great trees on every side and scores of little electric lights sparkle out among the leaves and shed a soft radiance on all beneath. The paths leading to and from the house are strung with Japanese lanterns. There are hundreds of them swaying in the gentle breeze. The boat house too has blossomed forth with countless lanterns. The effect is simply grand.

And the music? There will be plenty of it. A band stand has been erected on the left of the broad lawn in the rear of the house, and here the Plainfield Cornet Band will play all

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BATTLE BY THE BROOK.

SIX UNKNOWN MEN SETTLE THEIR DISPUTES WITH A SCRAP.

They Had Attended a Dance on Orchard Place and Quarrelled—They Went to the Brook to Have It Out By Fists and Clubs

A air of mystery surrounds a disturbance that took place in the neighborhood of West Front and Sycamore avenue at an early hour this morning. One of the participants has given himself up to the police, but the others are still missing. Who they were the police refuse to say, and it can only be learned that there were six Swedes implicated in the trouble. Two were badly hurt and the others somewhat rueflid in appearance.

There was a dance or party in the neighborhood of Orchard place, last evening. A quarrel arose between several of the guests and after it was over at an early hour this morning, they went outside to settle their troubles. Blows were exchanged in front of the house and then the party went down the street to continue the fight. Deciding that the corner was too public a place they went over to Sycamore avenue, which has just been cut through, and finished the fracas by the side of the home of Mrs. Swartz, of West Front street.

What took place then is not exactly known. Mrs. Swartz was aroused by the noise and found that there had been trouble. One man was knocked unconscious by a blow delivered by someone, while another was stunned by a blow on the side of the head with a club that caused him to bleed freely Both men were covered with blood and their comrades carried them down to Green brook where the water was bailed up from the brook and most of the gore washed off. One of the participants walked downtown and notified the police.

There are all sorts of exciting rumors about the fight current about town, but it is impossible to verify them, as the police are very reticent on the subject.

THE OMINOUS YELLOW CARD.

It Silently Tells of the Presence of a Contagious Disease.

Residents of Orchard place, between Liberty and New streets, are complaining over the importation yesterday of a case of scarlet fever in their neighborhood.

For several weeks past a Hebrew peddler has been boarding with Kalman Rochberg, a fellow-countryman, who has a grocery store on West Third street. About a week ago, the peddler rented the premises at 452 Orchard place from Thomas Clacy, his tenancy to begin on the 15th inst

On Thursday the peddler asked his landlord for the key of the house, saying that he wished to show his wife over the premises. A wagon drove up to the house yesterday afternoon and left some clothing and bedding. A woman and a sick child were shortly afterward brought and placed in the house.

Then Health Inspector Addis came and tacked up a yellow placard giving warning of a contagious disease. Investigation by some interested neighbors and a Press reporter showed that the woman and child were the wife and daughter of Rochberg, the West Third street storekeeper with whom the peddler had boarded while in this city. The child is suffering with scarlet fever, and it was on this account that the Rochbergs secured its removal from their premises.

The owner of the house has been informed that he cannot now compel the removal of the sick child, and it is likely that the neighbors in Orchard place will have to endure the sight of the hateful yellow placard in spite of their protests and indignation.

BRIDGE CONTRACTS.

William T Kirk Will Build the New Structure.

The Bridge Committee of the Union County Board of Freeholders, together with the members of the Somerset County Board of Freeholders, met yesterday afternoon for the purpose of giving out the contracts for the erection of the Watchung avenue and Sycamore avenue bridges. There were about twenty-eight bids present, but William T. Kirk secured the contracts for building both bridges, and F. Farrio was awarded the contracts to do the mason and stone work. On the Watchung avenue bridge Mr. Kirk's bid was $8,200 and on the Sycamore avenue bridge it was $3 500. Mr. Farrio bid $5 per cubic foot on the Watchung avenue bridge and the same on the Sycamore avenue bridge.

Both bridges must be completed on or before September 15th, and papers were signed to that effect by the successful bidders.

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PYTHIANS CELEBRATE.

TWENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF PERSEVERANCE LODGE.

The Event Attended by a Large Concourse of the Lodge's Friend—Addresses by Several Officers of High Degree.

Never before in the history of Pythianism in this city has there been such an assemblage of people as that of last evening when Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., celebrated its twenty-fifth anniversary in Washington Hall, on West Second street for there was not standing room in the large hall and many were unable to get inside.

For months past the members of the lodge had been preparing for the event, and when the time arrived to celebrate, everything was in readiness and the whole affair passed off without a hitch of any kind to mar the pleasures of those who had planned the affair and those who attended. The hall around the platform presented an attractive sight, gaily decorated with flowers, ferns and flags, while in the centre, suspended from the ceiling, was the familiar shield of the order. On the platform rested two large portraits. One was that of Justus H Rathbone, the founder of the order, and the other was that of John Ulrich, the only past Grand Chancellor Perseverance Lodge has on her roster.

The guests as they arrived were met at the door by Jacob Blimm, Jr., J. E. Flannery, Louis Mowhring and W. E. Martin, who served as ushers. The master of ceremonies was J. B. Higgins, who was chairman of the committee having in charge the anniversary exercises. He was assisted by J. C. Blimm as secretary, W. J. Ford as treasurer, S. J. Robinson, A. D. Pope, Lewis De Camp and James Stewart. The entertainment was in charge of Chairman Higgins and W. J. Ford. They presented a most admirable programme, which opened with an address by Grand Chancellor Daniel S. Rockafellar, of Somerville. The speaker, who is an interesting one, complimented the members of Perseverance Lodge on the celebration of their silver anniversary, and then made a few remarks concerning the grand principles of Pythianism. His concluding remarks were in the form of a historical sketch of the Plainfield lodge, and it proved to be of great interest. The lodge was organized June 13, 1872, with 11 charter members, three of whom are now living, Julius Centrowitz, of Philadelphia; John McCall, of Dunellen, and J. C. Van Dyke, of Plainfield. All three men were present. Since the organization the lodge has never missed a meeting. During the twenty five years there has been received $24,238.86 and $13,671.49 has been expended. Of the above amount $2,838.77 is secured by investment. The members have expended for relief $5,892 35 and for the burial of deceased members and their wives $2,619.35 has been paid. The number of deaths recorded are nineteen. At present there are 188 members.

The remarks of Grand Chancellor Rockafellar were heartily applauded. The second number on the programme was a soprano solo by Miss Jomni, accompanied on the piano by Clifford Braider. Her singing was thoroughly enjoyed by all. The appearance of the "Western Sisters' was a source of pleasure to everyone. These juvenile performers gave musical selections on the banjo, violin, cornet and concertina, while they convulsed the audience with their witty remarks. Following the above number there were two selections by a quartette composed of E. E Runyon, Wm. N. Runyon, George O. Stevens and Fred Walz. These popular vocalists were cordially received and loudly applauded for their singing. One of the best numbers on the programme was the alto solo by Miss Charlotte Messerschmith, accompanied by Miss Mabelle Force.

At this point an unlooked for surprise was given the audience when Secretary McGinley, of the lodge, read a congratulatory letter from Past Grand Chancellor John Ulrich. The letter was composed in true Pythian style and the members of the lodge present greatly enjoyed it. Part first of the programme concluded with a selection by Roger's orchestra, and this was followed with a stirring patriotic address by Rev. DeWitt C. Cobb, Grand Vice Chancellor, of Trenton. This speaker's remarks were founded on the Scriptures and from them he drew many strong and forcible lessons. The next number was a tenor solo by E. E. Runyon, accompanied by Wm. N. Runyon. Mr. Runyon's selection was a pleasing one and its rendition was perfect. This was followed with an instrumental duet, S. J. Highm on the

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RICHARDSON'S WILL.

How the Eccentric Millionaire Disposed of His Money.

WEALTH GREATER THAN SUPPOSED.

His Estate Amounts to About $30,000,000. Pallbearers at His Funeral Represent $300,000,000—Buried In a Coffin Built Thirty Years Ago.

New York, June 12.—According to Mayo W. Hazeltine, the editorial writer and book reviewer of The Evening Sun and a lifelong friend of Joseph Richardson, who was buried yesterday, the wealth of the dead man is greater by many millions than was at first supposed. His riches were estimated by general consent at $20,000,000. Now Mr. Hazeltine says they will go much nearer and he thinks over $30,000,000.

His possessions were all in personal property, paying large interests and large dividends, all of which were constantly allowed to accumulate, as the personal expenses of Mr. Richardson and his family did not exceed $1,500 a year. Mr. Richardson's will was drawn under the direction of Mr. Hazeltine, who is a lawyer, and this will was read last night in the presence of the heirs.

Aside from the family only two bequests are made.

The Rev. H. M. Warren, pastor of the Central Park Baptist church, of which Mr. Richardson was an attendant, receives $50,000 absolutely. The other bequest is $17,500, to lift the mortgage on the Central Park Baptist church.

Family Get Bulk of His Fortune.

All the rest is divided into three equal portions, one of which goes to the widow, another to the son George and a third to the daughter, Della Richardson. These children are the fruits of Mr. Richardson's first marriage.

The son George and the widow are made co-executors, and neither is required to give a bond. The widow will continue to live in the house that has become famous as the "spite house."

George Richardson, son of the dead man, is about 45 years old and is a prominent citizen of Bridgeport, Conn.

The Rev. Mr. H. M. Warren, to whom $50,000 was left, was born in Hudson, N. H., and is the son of Congressman William Warren and a descendant of General Warren of Bunker Hill fame.

Acts of Generosity Recounted.

After the funeral the pallbearers told of many acts of generosity by Mr. Richardson. One of them said that during the panic of 1893 a corporation in which he was interested fell into difficulties from lack of $500,000. He went to Mr. Richardson as a last resort, and the latter loaned the corporation the $500,000 without a word and without any bonus. Other similar stories were told of Mr. Richardson's generosity.

The pallbearers at Mr. Richardson's funeral were John W. Ambrose, Mayo W. Hazeltine, Joseph Hellen, A. C. Hawley, Edward Hawley, Collis P. Huntington, H. W. Nichols, Sam Sloan, Arthur W. Sober, James Talcott, Joseph Walker, J. H. Jenkins and J. M. Toucey. They represent in the aggregate fully $300,000,000.

Richardson was buried in the coffin which he had made at Bridgeport over 30 years ago and which he had kept for years in the five foot house at Eighty-second street and Lexington avenue. After his death, however, it was found to be too small, so it was taken apart and the boards of it screwed inside a larger coffin, so that Richardson's expressed wish might be fulfilled.

Maher and Sharkey May Fight In the West.

New York, June 12.—It is announced that W. A. Brady, who unsuccessfully attempted to pull off the Maher and Sharkey fight on Wednesday night, is making arrangements to have the same fighters meet in the west. Although Brady does not care to give out any of the details of his plans, it is stated on good authority that he has offered a purse of $14,000 for a fight to a finish between Maher and Sharkey somewhere in the vicinity of Carson City. The date of meeting will probably be late in August or September. Sharkey will leave on Wednesday next for a trip to Ireland, where he expects to remain for about three weeks.

Death of an Old Guard Member.

New York, June 12.—Captain Joseph Nalor of the Old Guard died yesterday. He was an old Knickerbocker and one of the oldest and most highly esteemed members of the Old Guard. Captain Nalor in his younger days became a member of the Pulaski cadets, which were afterward merged into the old New York city guard and eventually became the Old Guard of the city of New York of today. On his eightieth birthday, February, 1897, the Old Guard gave for him a dinner, which was one of the largest military affairs of the kind that has ever taken place in New York.

Took Poison by Mistake.

Harrisburg, June 12.—Herman J. Wolz, a well known Democratic politician, took strychnine by mistake and died several hours later in great agony. He was 40 years old and until recently held a position in the internal revenue service. Mr. Wolz was at one time publisher of the Harrisburg Sunday Capital and afterward one of the proprietors of The Evening Star. He was also for several years chairman of the city Democratic committee. A wife and one child survive him.

Lost In a Fog.

Halifax, June 12.—The steamer Ravensdale, which has arrived from St. Johns, N. F., brought as passengers four fishermen, George Chin, Lloyd Henderson, Charles Brown and David Henderson of the Gloucester halibut catcher Josie M. Calderwood, Captain Crowbridge. They went astray on New Seattle bank during a fog Friday, June 5, and rowed to Bacalieu light, where the lightkeeper came to their aid.

Cyclist Fatally Injured.

Hudson, N. Y., June 12.—While returning here from a trip in the country on his wheel William Kisselbrack collided with a horse and wagon. He was thrown to the ground and badly injured about the head. His injuries are likely to prove fatal.

Counterfeiter Fined.

Syracuse, June 12.—Dr. Harold Marcisee of Utica has pleaded guilty in the county court to counterfeiting. He was fined $200 by Judge Dunmore.

AN UPRISING IN INDIA

Attack on a Force of British Soldiers on the Frontier.

SEVERAL OFFICERS WERE KILLED.

The Government Will Immediately Send Out an Expedition to Subdue the Natives and Prevent Further Outrages.

Simla, June 12.—News has been received here of a serious disaster to British troops in the Tochi valley, on the Afghan frontier.

A body of 300 Sikhs of the Punjab infantry, with two guns of the Bombay mountain battery, were resting in the afternoon when they were surprised and attacked by a large party of Mullicks.

A colonel, a captain and a lieutenant were killed and all of the other officers severely wounded.

Twenty-five men of the native regiments were killed and an equal number wounded. A large number of horses and mules were also killed.

The British troops were pursued for miles by an overwhelming force of the enemy.

Mr. Gee, a political officer, is going with an escort of Shiranis to inquire into the recent outrages in the Gomal and Tochi valleys. The attack upon the British troops in the Tochi valley occurred at Maiza.

Running Fight With Natives.

London, June 12.—The Times correspondent at Simla says: "Mr. Gee was sent to fix the site of a new outpost at Sherani and to recover the fine imposed on local tribesmen for past misconduct.

"The troops, after the attack, retired toward Dattakhel, sustaining a running fight for four miles. As the Waziris were in such strength it was impossible to do more than act on the defensive.

"Two companies of native infantry sent from Dattakhel re-enforced the party, which brought in its guns safely. No reason is yet given for this sudden outbreak, but the garrison in the Tochi valley will be re-enforced pending a decision as to punitive operations.

"The present garrison consists of two regiments of native infantry, one mountain battery and a squadron of cavalry."

An Expedition to Be Fitted Out.

London, June 12.—The Bombay correspondent of The Daily Mail says: "A punitive expedition will be fitted out from Rawalpindi. It is expected that severe fighting will follow and that another chitral will be enacted. Unfortunately the great frontier general, Sir William Lockhart, is now on leave in Germany, while Sir Power Palmer, the general commanding the British forces on the African frontier, is on leave in England."

Receivers Agree.

Little Rock, June 12.—The clash between the receivers appointed by the Arkansas courts to settle up the affairs of the Southern Building and Loan association, which threatened to involve a large amount of the property of the insolvent association in Arkansas, has been amicably settled in the United States circuit court. Judge Williams of the Tennessee receivers was appointed to act as co-receiver with the receiver appointed by the state courts of Arkansas. The Tennessee receivers sought to oust the Arkansas receiver, but the action of Judge Williams settled the matter satisfactorily to both sides in the litigation.

Accessory to Murder Convicted.

Fonda, N. Y., June 12.—Peter Gonyea has been convicted as accessory to the murder of Lewis Erkenbrack, a Johnstown farmer, on Dec. 22, 1896. He will be sentenced on Monday. Tubby Glynn, convicted of the murder, was some time ago sent to prison for life. Gonyea conducted a hotel east of the village where, it is alleged, Erkenbrack was killed. His body was found on the bank of the Mohawk river. The trials of Seneca Hastings and Frank Horner, who were indicted as accessories to the murder have been put over until next term.

Women's Narrow Escape From a Fire.

Hudson, N. Y., June 12.—Frank Devoe's grocery store at Kinderhook was gutted by fire. The stock, which was valued at $3,000, is a total loss; insurance, $1,200. Miss Frances Van Alstyne and Mr. and Mrs. I. Vener occupied rooms over the store and barely escaped with their lives. Miss Van Alstyne was carried out of the building by a fireman. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

Brown's Class Day.

Providence, June 12.—The annual class day exercises at Brown university were held at Sayles Memorial hall. Gregory Dexter Walcott of Warren delivered the class oration on "The Nature of Culture," and Charles Ernest White of Bellows Falls, Vt., read a poem on "The Sound of Light."

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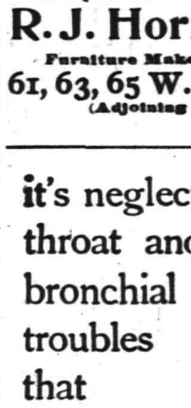

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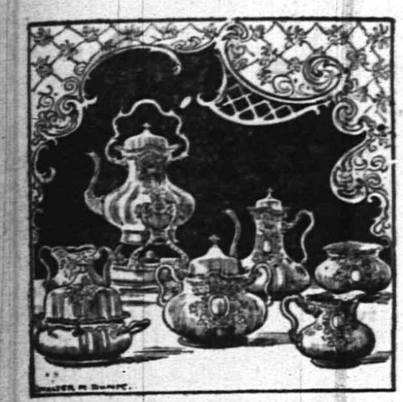

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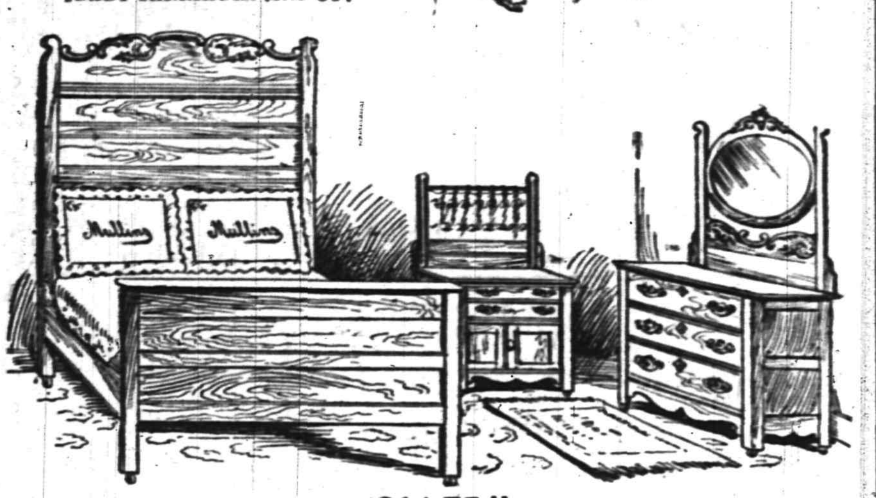

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—Mayor Wilson, of the borough, takes a lively interest in the laying of crosswalks in the borough. In many cases he personally visits the different places where they are needed and generally looks after the work which is now progressing finely.

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—Harmony street in the borough is being macadamized under the direction of Street Commissioner Conover.

Stands at the Head.

Aug. J. Bogel, the leading druggist of Shreveport, La., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is the only thing that cures my cough, and it is the best seller I have." J. F. Campbell, merchant of Safford, Ariz., writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery is all that is claimed for it; it never fails, and is a sure cure for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I cannot say enough for its merits.' Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is not an experiment. It has been tried for a quarter of a century, and to-day stands at the head. It never disappoints. Free trial bottles at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Laing and grandson, Percy Sandford, of Washington avenue, are visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Electric Bitters

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more generally needed when the languid, exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt. A prompt use of this medicine has often averted long and perhaps fatal bilious fevers. No medicine will act more surely in counteracting and freeing the system from the malarial poison. Headache, Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness yield to Electric Bitters. 50c. and $1.00 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sandford, of East Front street, will leave the city next month for their summer vacation. They will return to Plainfield next fall.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman fo the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Horace Martin, Jr., of West Front street, is entertaining company from out of town.

"There's no use in talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, La Cygne, Kas., "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy does the work. After taking medicines of my own preparation and those of others, I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Mrs. W. V. White, of Brooklyn, is the guest of Plainfield friends.

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Miss M. A Kuntz, of Grove street, has returned after a visit with friends at Albany, N. Y.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

THE CIGARETTE TRUST.

Jury Selected to Try the Officers of the American Tobacco Company.

New York, June 12.—The trial of the officers of the American Tobacco company, commonly called the Cigarette trust, which has been going on for several days in the court of general sessions before Judge Fitzgerald, has reached as far as the selection of the jury, which is composed of the following gentlemen:

William W. Dixon, clerk, 227 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street.

Henry M. Dewart, clerk, 124 West Ninety-fourth street.

Hobart C. Fash, insurance agent, 34 Pine street.

Foster Milliken, iron, 34 Cortlandt street.

Solomon Strauss, silk salesman, 128 East Eightieth street.

Edward Goett, wood flour manufacturer, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Pleasant avenue.

William J. Bryon, retired real estate agent, 354 West Forty-ninth street.

Charles A. Hill, milk, Ferris place, Williamsbridge.

Louis J. Binsse, retired real estate, 91 Second avenue.

Paul Bernhardt, grocer, 2031 Third avenue.

Fred G. Brewster, candy manufacturer, 236 West Fourteenth street.

Adolph Gluck, dry goods, 163 East Seventy-fourth street.

After they had been sworn in the court adjourned until 10:30 o'clock next Monday morning.

A NEW SURBURBAN RAILROAD.

Articles of Incorporation For the New York and Orange Railway.

Trenton, June 12.—Articles of incorporation of the New York and New Orange railroad have been forwarded to the secretary of state. Following is a list of the officers: Robert Grimes of Elmira, N. Y., president; Dennis Long, Union, N. J., vice president; W. S. McCord, Elmira, N. Y., treasurer; C. W. Manahan, East Orange, N. J., secretary. The directors consist of the above named executive officers and Theodore C. English, Elizabeth, N. J.; Nicholas C. J. English, Elizabeth, N. J., and George B. Frost, Newark, N. J.

The capital stock given in the articles of incorporation is $100,000. The railroad will run from Roselle, N. J., through the town of New Orange, forming a new suburban belt line railroad and connecting the five trunk lines, the Jersey Central, Lehigh Valley, Philadelphia and Reading, Baltimore and Ohio and Delaware, Lackawanna and Western a dozen miles to the westward of New York city and in the suburbs of Jersey City, Newark and Elizabeth.

Work will be commenced on the new railroad next week, and it will be pushed forward to completion this summer.

SHOT BY HIS FRIEND.

Playfully Pointed a Pistol Which, Being a Self Cocking One, Exploded.

Newark, N. J., June 12.—Frederick Miller, aged 18 years, died in the City hospital from a wound caused by a pistol bullet fired into his head in a joke. Charles Zebulka, 28 years of age, fired the shot and is now locked up.

The shooting took place in Charles Steigler's saloon, on Morris avenue. The two men went there together, and shortly afterward Zebulka picked up a revolver which was lying on a shelf for the purpose of examining it. He pointed it at his friend, and in the customary approved manner pressed the trigger, his friend remarking about the same time that he was not afraid.

An explosion followed, and a bullet entered the right side of Miller's head. He fell without a word and died soon after being taken to the hospital.

After Zebulka was arrested he made an explanation that as the trigger was down, he did not think the revolver would go off. The weapon, however, happened to be a self cocking one.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At New York—

New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—2

New York—Hits, 3; errors, 2. Cincinnati—Hits, 6; errors, 1.

At Brooklyn—

Brooklyn	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	*	—4
Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	—3

Brooklyn—Hits, 7; errors, 2. Pittsburg—Hits, 7; errors, 2.

At Baltimore—

Baltimore	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	—5
Cleveland	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	—4

Baltimore—Hits, 14; errors, 3. Cleveland—Hits, 8; errors, 0.

At Philadelphia—

Chicago	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	—7
Philadelphia	2	4	0	0	0	2	0	2	*	—10

Philadelphia—Hits, 16; errors, 3. Chicago—Hits, 8; errors, 5.

At Boston—

Boston	0	0	0	2	2	3	1	0	*	—8
Louisville	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	—4

Boston—Hits, 9; errors, 3. Louisville—Hits, 7; errors, 3.

Second game—

Boston	1	2	1	2	0	0	3	3	*	—12
Louisville	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	—4

Boston—Hits, 18; errors, 6. Louisville—Hits, 6; errors, 1.

At Washington—

Washington	0	2	0	0	4	0	0	0	*	—6
St. Louis	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	—3

Washington—Hits, 9; errors, 1. St. Louis—Hits, 8; errors, 3.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	28	9	.757
Boston	27	12	.692
Cincinnati	25	13	.658
New York	19	16	.543
Philadelphia	22	20	.524
Cleveland	19	19	.500
Pittsburg	19	19	.500
Louisville	17	22	.436
Chicago	15	25	.375
Washington	12	25	.324
St. Louis	8	34	.193

Professor Brown Improving.

New York, June 12.—Professor Francis Brown of the Union Theological seminary, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Presbyterian hospital, was reported to be improving. The operation was performed by Dr. Andrew J. McCosh and was entirely successful. No complications were present and all the circumstances in the case were entirely favorable.

Suicide by Drowning.

Boston, June 12.—Patrick Hennessey, 35 years old, committed suicide by jumping into the Charles river here. A few days ago his wife, Margaret, attempted suicide by taking paris green, and she is still at the hospital.

SHORT TERM CABINET

The Spanish Queen Will No Doubt Remove Her Ministers.

WEYLER'S RETIREMENT IS DENIED.

The Captain General Goes Right Along Making Suggestions—An Understanding Between Canovas and Sagasta Regarding Their Positions.

London, June 12.—The Madrid correspondent of The Pall Mall Gazette says: "It is thought that the cabinet as at present constituted will continue only during the summer sojourn of the court at San Sebastian and that on the queen regent's return to the capital it will be radically changed.

"Senor Canovas del Castillo denies the report of the retirement of Captain General Weyler, but although for the moment he remains at his post there is the best reason for believing that his resignation has been received by the premier, to be accepted or not as the latter deems best according to the circumstances of the moment.

"In the meantime Captain General Weyler has sent a telegram to the premier recommending that municipal elections be held immediately in Cuba. This may be the precursor of other conciliatory measures on his part, but Captain General's Weyler's antecedents are not such as to inspire confidence among the people of the island with regard to his bona fide direction of liberal reforms, nor is the present rehabilitated government in a position to keep him long at his post in view of the path that will have to be followed for a general pacification of Cuba.

"Reports are current that an understanding exists between Senor Canovas and Senor Sagasta, by the terms of which the latter is to succeed the former at the proper moment, but not at the present critical juncture, so that the succession to power shall always be kept between the two chief parties, to the exclusion of minor factions, including the Carlists and the Republicans."

Cuban Insurgents Hopeful.

Tampa, Fla., June 12.—Colonel Nunez is here in company with Senor F. Garcia, a resident of Havana, who was forced to flee from that city.

Colonel Nunez said that the concentrados, who are gathered in large numbers in all the fortified cities and towns under Spanish rule are suffering terribly for want of food, medicine, clothing and attention and that they are dying like sheep from yellow fever, smallpox and other contagious diseases.

Senor Garcia especially referred to San Antonio de los Banos, in Havana province, where concentrados are in greatest numbers and where consequently the greatest suffering exists from General Weyler's inhuman edicts, which seem to have been issued and rigidly enforced for no other purpose than to assist in the extermination of pacificos.

He says that the patriots are steadily gaining ground and that they are all well armed, well clothed and well fed and have no fears as to the final result. They are confident that the United States will soon take definite action in relation to granting Cuban patriots belligerent rights.

Camp Meeting of Adventists.

Worcester, Mass., June 12.—The two weeks' camp meeting of the New England Seventh Day Adventist association has been opened on the old ball grounds. The annual address of the president, Elder H. W. Cottrell, showed the conference to be in a good condition spiritually as well as financially. The treasury has a surplus of over $3,000. The membership is over 1,000. The First church of Lowell was admitted to the conference. The sermon was preached by Elder F. W. Moe of Amherst.

Stabbed With a Cheese Knife.

Newburg, N. Y., June 12.—George Geary has been arrested here charged with stabbing Peter McMunn in the town of Rosendale, Ulster county, Tuesday night in an altercation over a game of cards. He was taken to Rosendale for an examination. He used a cheese knife and gave McMunn five severe cuts in the arm and back. John McMunn, a brother of the injured man, was slightly wounded in the struggle with Geary.

To Succeed Judge Conrad.

Washington, June 12.—On July 1 Judge J. K. Richards, ex-attorney general of Ohio, will succeed Judge Holmes Conrad as solicitor general in the department of justice. Judge Conrad placed his resignation at the president's disposal early in March, but was induced to remain in office until certain important cases in the supreme court, with which he had been prominently identified, had been argued.

Killed by a Live Wire.

Baltimore, June 12.—James Minningham, a lineman employed by a local telephone company, was instantly killed by electricity here. Minningham was on a high pole stringing wires when he received a shock from an electric light wire and fell to the ground. It is thought that he was dead before he struck the pavement. This is the second death in this city from similar causes within a week.

Reinstated to a Clerkship.

Washington, June 12.—Jacob Springsteen of Indianapolis, the youngest enlisted man in the Union army, has been reinstated to a government clerkship. He was a drummer boy in an Indiana regiment, entering the service at the age of 9 years and six months, and served 4½ years.

Shot the Girl and Himself.

Pipestone, Minn., June 12.—F. N. Bliven of Pipestone has killed himself after fatally wounding a daughter of Frank Weigel, a German farmer living in Moody county, S. D. Bliven asked the girl to elope with him. Upon her refusal he pulled his revolver and began shooting.

Death of an Old Engineer.

Schenectady, N. Y., June 12.—Thomas Cox, a retired veteran and a New York Central engineer, died at his home in this city, aged 79 years. Mr. Cox had been an engineer with the Central for 39 years, and during his service was one of the best known men on the road.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Decreasing Cloudiness Tonight; Sunday Fair; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 81 Degrees.

DANGEROUS CYCLE PRACTICE.

The Plainfield Medical Association, composed of the practicing physicians of that city, have made a vigorous and proper effort to protect the children from peril to life and limb through the recklessness and folly of parents owning bicycles. At a meeting of the Common Council on Tuesday night last the doctors asked that the Council take some action looking to the prevention of bicycle riders from carrying children on the front of their wheels. They insisted that this is a very dangerous practice, and that eventually some severe accident or death will result from its continuance. Unfortunately the Council could not see that they had any authority in this matter, but the very fact that the physicians have thus publicly condemned the practice will in itself tend to induce some parents to abandon it. And yet, there ought to be a law against such practices, just as their is a law against dangerous acrobatic performances in which children are made to take part. Undoubtedly more children would be killed or maimed by carrying them on bicycles, if the practice became common, than through all the acrobatic performances put together; because the peril is scarcely less and the number of children carried on wheels would be much the greater. A man who has no more sense than to carry his helpless child with him on his bicycle ought to be subject to arrest and a heavy fine, if not a much heavier penalty—Elizabeth Journal.

CENTURY IRIDERS PASS.

They Arrived in This City on Schedule Time Looking Fresh, But Dusty.

The long talked of Inter-state century run passed through here this morning, a few minutes before eight o'clock, on the way to Philadelphia. The run left Newark promptly at five o'clock and followed the route printed in yesterday's Press. The run was paced by F. L. C. Martin, of this city, who will lead the column from Newark to Trenton.

The run entered Plainfield by East Front street and turned into Park avenue, stopping at the salesrooms of the F. L. C. Martin Cycle Company for light refreshments. A tub of ice water was set in front of the store for the accomodation of all the wheelmen. The riders were checked by William Sweeney and Roy Radford. There were four hundred and seventy riders, of which over a score were women. Everybody looked fresh but a little dusty. A Philadelphia club, numbering a hundred, lost their way and went by way of South avenue, missing the checkers.

Besides Mr. Martin, the Plainfield riders were Albert Woltmann and Allan Taylor. They will remain in Philadelphia over Sunday with Mr. Martin and visit the famous Fairmont Park.

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To Fight the Devil.

The Volunteers of America in this city will open their summer campaign under canvas this evening at 8 o'clock. A tent is to be placed near the corner of Somerset street and Lincoln place and the battle will begin in North Plainfield at the start. The first guns will be fired by A. D. C. Tippets and the Australian cornetist. The meetings in the tent will be continued Sunday at 11 o'clock in the morning and 3 and 8 o'clock in the evening.

War With Spain.

It looks very much as if our war with Spain was to be fought as the pugilists fight their battles—with words. This, however, has nothing to do with your battle with the question as to what you should select for vacation gifts. This question you can easily settle by a visit to Colliers. You will find there just the thing for mother, father, sister, brother, sweetheart or the bairns.

—Additional local news on the third page.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Mrs. John D. Runyon, of Park avenue, is confined to her home by illness.

William Bulkley, of Howell's grocery, is ill at his home in Scotch Plains.

Mrs. Resensteil, of the borough, has returned from a visit with friends in New York.

George Haurand has sailed for Rouenburg, Germany, by steamship Verndam.

Mrs. Robert Dryden, of this city, left this morning for Baltimore to visit relatives.

The Misses Clark, of Central avenue, are the guests of relatives in Hartford, Conn.

Mrs. S. T. Guerry, of Atlanta, Ga., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. E Bushnell, of Park avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hoffman, of Lebanon, Hunterdon county, are visiting friends in Plainfield.

J. Cantorwitz, of Philadelphia, formerly of this city, returned home to day after visiting friends here.

Miss Cora Haviland, daughter of A W. Haviland, of Rockview avenue, has been to Orange visiting friends.

Mrs. L. E. Lindeman left last night for Brocton, N. Y., where she was called by the serious illness of a sister.

Misses Helen and Bertha Clark, daughters of E. B. Clark, of Crescent avenue, have gone to Hartford to visit friends.

Walter Linbarger, of Somerset street, is studying law and he expects to become a member of the bar of New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs Harry Manning are today celebrating their wedding anniversary by taking a trip up the Hudson river.

Mrs. W. E. MacClymont and daughter, of Washington avenue, left yesterday for a visit with her parents in Germantown, Pa.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. George Harvey, of 822 Richmond street, was made bright yesterday by the arrival of a young daughter.

Miss Cora Van Sickle, of Lebanon, Hunterdon county, has returned home after spending a pleasant vacation with Plainfield friends.

Mrs. Willard, of Watchung avenue, was discharged from the hospital yesterday, having fully recovered from her recent serious accident.

Dr. B. VanD. Hedges and former Councilman F. E Marsh, of this city, are in attendance at the Princeton-Yale baseball game at Princeton, to day.

John Daiziel, of this city, has contributed an interesting article in the last issue of the Popular Science News on the subject of "The Buffalo-Beetle."

Miss Maud Middledith, daughter of James Middledith, of Mercer avenue, went to West Point Thursday to be present at the annual festivities of that place.

Ira Beaumont, of West Fourth street, who injured his leg about three weeks ago, was able to be out yesterday for the first. He will be obliged to use crutches for sometime.

Miss Marguerite Schuck and Miss Della Voehl, accompanied by the members of their Sunday-school classes, are spending the day on the mountains back of North Plainfield.

Grand Keeper of Records and Seal George E. Pierson, of Woodbury, this State, was among the guests at the anniversary exercises of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., held last evening.

Manager George H. Willey is expected to return to this city from the west early next week and will prepare Stillman Music Hall for the opening of the coming season, which will take place August 19th.

Mrs. A. C. Pope, of West Fourth street, has been entertaining her sister, Mrs. F. Clark, of Newark, who sang at the Knights of Pythias entertainment last evening. Mrs. Clark left this morning for home.

Miss Anna Walbridge Miller, of Watchung avenue, expects to start for Niagara Falls on Monday next to be absent one month. During that time she will attend the wedding of her cousin, Miss Walbridge, of Buffalo.

The marriage of J. F. W. Bamberger, of West Front street, and Miss Annie Lieber, of Newark, was solemnized Thursday evening at the home of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Bamberger left afterward for a trip to Washington and on their return they will reside in this city.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—The straw hats for the employees of the fire department have been ordered and will arrive next week.

—Peterson, the Watchung avenue florist, furnished the flowers that were used at the K. of P. anniversary exercises held last evening.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—The final examinations began in the Plainfield High School yesterday

—A crosswalk is being laid across North avenue from McVey's restaurant to his annex.

—The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church are enjoying an outing today.

—It is reported that Mr. Needham will give a Bible reading at Reform Hall, Sunday afternoon, at 4.

—Scheuer, the West Front street grocer, received a fine lot of berries and vegetables this morning from the farm of Abram Giddes, Harris Lane.

—A majority of the local G. A. R returned from Atlantic City last evening, while the balance came home this morning. They report having had a grand time.

—Geo. W. Remer, of Plainfield, has taken the furniture repair shop of Geo. Schuester, on Irving street, and will conduct the business in the future.—Rahway Democrat.

—Owing to other engagements, Dr Needham will be obliged to close his Bible class early in July. He will meet them as usual Monday next, 13th, at 7:45, at Y. M. C. A. Hall.

—If you haven't got any of MacDonald's sixteen cent creamery butter you had better do so at once, as you are the only one I know of that has not read his adv. for other goods.

—Harry Potter, of Mount Pleasant, has purchased the entire coal business formerly conducted by Kellogg & Potter, and will continue to serve his customers with the best product of the mines.

—The regular and special police of the city who have donated their services to the Town Improvement Association for the Fete Champetre, are deserving of much praise. They will do duty afternoon and evening at Johnston's were the garden festival is to be held.

—Special good values will be offered at White's tonight. They are cutting prices on all seasonable goods that you want, such as hosiery, summer underwear, waists and skirts. They will run a free car from Dunellen and Netherwood tonight from 7 to 10 o'clock. All take a ride.

—Miss Kate J. Cotter, aged 24 years, died at her home last night, a few minutes before 12 o'clock, after a long illness with consumption. She was the daughter of the late Michael Cotter. The funeral services will be held Monday morning at 9 o'clock from the house 507 Plainfield avenue, and at 9:30 from St. Mary's church.

—A horse owned by William Hand which was used to No. 2 engine of the fire department, died Thursday. The horse, together with a mate was used for trucking purposes and Thursday the team had a long journey. When they returned the horses were given a hearty meal, and as a result the animal died from over feeding.

—The Sunday-school of the Crescent Avenue church will hold its Children's service on Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock in the church. There will be a special sermon by the pastor, Rev. Dr. W. R. Richards, and hymns and responsive readings by the congregation. There will be an offering for Sabbath-school missionary work.

—Jacquett, the Front street men's furnisher, will close his store next Monday, and on Tuesday he will commence a closing out sale. Mr. Jacquett intends to dispose of everything in his store and will leave town to engage in some other business. The goods at his store are all seasonable and up-to-date. They will be sold at prices to suit all.

—The members of the Ambulance Corps of the New Jersey Naval Reserve, who have their headquarters in this city, will go to New York, this afternoon, for a whaleboat drill on New York bay under the command of Dr. M. S. Simpson. It has been decided to add two more men to the corps and Dr. Simpson is now looking about for suitable candidates for the two positions.

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In order to settle up the estate of James Jackson, deceased, the undersigned executor will sell at public auction on the

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the following valuable pieces of real estate.

First Tract. Known as 409 East Sixth street, being 74 feet front and rear by 98 feet deep, containing dwelling house with ten rooms, modern improvements and in good repair, also barn in good repair.

Second Tract. On Lee place 100 feet southerly from South avenue, being 50 feet front and rear by 100 feet deep, containing two dwelling houses, No. 211 and 213. Will be sold jointly or separately to suit purchasers. Dwellings contain seven rooms each and are in good repair.

Also three houses on East Second street near Berkman street, 33½ feet front and rear each by 240 feet deep. These properties are in good repair and nicely located. Dwellings contain seven rooms each, and are known as No. 717, 719 and 721 East Second street.

Also the following vacant lot located on the corner of Lee place and South avenue and is 100 feet front by 100 feet deep. Is a corner lot and a valuable piece of property.

The above premises will positively be sold to the highest bidder and will afford a grand opportunity for investors as well as parties desiring a home.

Parties desiring to inspect premises may do so at any time before sale.

Parties desiring particular information regarding any of the above premises may call upon the undersigned executor at any time before sale.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Joseph Sandford, of Plainfield, was in the borough yesterday and called on friends.

Mrs. Ransom and daughter, of Plainfield, are visiting Mrs. Larrabee, of New Market.

J. C. Probasco, of Pittstown, this State, was the guest of Postmaster P. C. Staats yesterday.

Mrs. Evens G. Lake, of Somerville, spent yesterday with Mrs. A. N. Randolph in the borough.

Miss Henrietta Cuming, of Plainfield, rode her wheel to Dunellen yesterday and called on friends.

The fire department engine was out for a wash Thursday evening and everything was found to be all right.

The commencement exercises of the Dunellen Public School will be held Thursday evening, June 17th, in the M. E. church.

A number of Dunellen people went to Plainfield last evening and attended the silver anniversary of Perseverance Lodge, K. of P.

Mrs. Charles Conover and her sister-in-law, Miss Ella Conover, of Elmwood place, Plainfield, were the guests yesterday of Mrs. George Van Nest, of the borough.

A test of the borough fire alarm was made yesterday afternoon for the purpose of getting the machinery in good working order. The noise attracted considerable attention and many people appeared on the streets thinking that there was a fire. It is so seldom that the alarm is sounded that people are frightened when they hear it. It sounded yesterday as though it had several kinds of throat trouble.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Norman Dunn is recovering from a severe illness.

Landlord John Blimm has hung out a handsome new sign in front of his hotel.

Miss Susie Edwards, of Long Branch, is visiting her niece, Mrs. Geo. Clark.

Rev. James S. Braker is staying in Netherwood during the absence of his family.

Miss Jeanette Carter yesterday lost her pocketbook, containing a small sum of money.

Mrs. John R. Marsh, of this place, and her daughter, of Plainfield, have returned from Greenwood Lake, N. Y.

Justice Joseph Clark, Robert Walpole and Edward Verity went on a fishing excursion to Willow Lake, yesterday.

A horse attached to Sheelen's grocery wagon ran away on Park avenue, Scotch Plains, yesterday afternoon. The animal started from the post-office, where it had been left standing, and ran in the direction of Fanwood. Samuel McCaully gave chase upon his bicycle and made a gallant capture of the horse after it had gone about a mile. No damage resulted to the wagon or harness.

Observation Sleeping Cars on B. and O.

Commencing Sunday, June 13, the B. & O. R. R. will place in service, between Baltimore and Chicago, Pullman Observation Sleeping Cars. The cars have a saloon parlor in the rear, furnished with easy arm chairs, upholstered revolving chairs and sofas. This will enable passengers to view with better advantage the scenic wonders that have made the B. & O. famous. 6 11 3

—The Children's Day exercises at the First Baptist church will be held tomorrow morning, at which time a special programme will be rendered.

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THE JURY DISCHARGED.

OVER OWNERSHIP OF A WESTFIELD CARRIAGE FACTORY.

In the Case of Cora Weidner Against Barton, Defense Claimed the Debt Was Owing to Weidner—Brilliant Musicale.

The court of Justice Hart was the scene yesterday of an interesting trial, the result of which depended upon the question whether H. L. Weidner is the proprietor of the carriage and wagon business carried on under his name, or whether the establishment really belongs to Cora Weider, his wife. The suit was brought in Mrs. Weidner's name against William H. Barton, a liveryman, to collect a bill of $25 for repairing carriages. The defense set up by Barton's counsel, Paul Q. Oliver, was that the bill was owing to Weider, and not to his wife. Barton in his testimony stated that he had never before received any intimation that Mrs. Weidner owned the business. All the bills that he had received had been made out in the name of Weider, proprietor; not Weidner, manager. Mr. and Mrs. Weidner both testified to the effect that the business belongs to the wife and that in the transaction with Barton, Weidner acted merely as agent. Some interesting tilts on the admission of certain evidence occurred between Lawyer Oliver for the defence and Charles H. Angleman for the prosecution. At 4:30 o'clock the case was given to a jury consisting of John M. Ledley, A. H. Barnett, John Knapp, Charless E. Burtis, Samuel Packer and Charles Michel. At 6 o'clock they reported a disagreement, and were discharged. New papers will now be drawn and the case will be tried again.

The pupils of Miss Ella Ferris gave their annual piano recital in the Westfield Methodist church, last evening. The building was filled by a large and very friendly audience, and the really excellent work of the performance called forth frequent favorable comment. Those who took part were: Misses Brainerd, Pearsall, Miss Mabel Hurst, Miss Lucy Baker, Lester Ris, Miss O'Blemis, Miss Mary Fink, Master Chester Pearsall, Miss Hattie Pearsall, Miss Natalie Brainerd, Herbert Knight, Miss Huffman, Miss Lucy Fitch, Miss Dorothy Knight, Miss Nela Huffman, Miss May Clark, Miss Kunkle, Miss Lillian Davis and Miss Ethel Pearsall. The vocalists were: Mrs. C. E. Pearsall, soprano, and Miss May Moffett, contralto.

Miss Eva Wright has recovered from an attack of measles.

Justice Collins yesterday awarded judgement for $21.35 to the plaintiff in the case of Orchetti against Denechi.

William Hensell, formerly of this place, has purchased a hotel at Garwood and will shortly take possession as its landlord.

Children's Day services will be held in the Methodist church, tomorrow, at 10:30 and 4 o'clock. Offering will be taken for the cause of education.

The Westfield Junior baseball team was reorganized last night at a meeting held at the residence of E. H. Taylor. Chas. LeMatty was elected captain and E. H. Taylor, manager and a schedule of games will shortly be arranged.

Two other lawsuits have preceded that of yesterday in the quarrel between Weidner and Barton. Some weeks ago Weidner in his own name sued Barton for the bill which figured in yesterday's trial. The summons was defective, however, and the case never came to trial. Later on Barton sued Weidner for a bill of $37 for carriage hire. In this suit, also, the summons proved defective, and the case was dismissed by Justice Toucey, on Thursday.

Children's Day will be observed at the Congregational church tomorrow. At the morning service there will be a presentation of Bibles and baptism of children. The pastor, Rev. Henry Ketcham, will preach a special sermon to the children, who are invited to be present and occupy the front seats. The offering at this service will be for the Sunday-school. The evening service will be held at 7 o'clock and will be in charge of the Sunday-school. Interesting recitations and songs by the children and a short talk by the pastor will be some of the features of this service.

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Leave Scotch Plains. { 6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m. 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m. Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2.00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

PYTHIANS CELEBRATE.

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piano and Ernest Highm on the violin. There efforts were accorded due appreciation, as was also the vocal duet by Mrs. A. D. Pope and Mrs. Clark. The last speaker of the evening was Past Grand Chancellor W. E. Hitchcock, of Newark. He related several amusing stories and kept the audience in good spirits. This address was followed with a cornet solo by Mr. All. of the orchestra, and then came the last but not least number on the programme, the appearance of Wm. Runyon. This popular Councilman was given a cordial reception. He rendered a number of his best vocal selections and his audience was not inclined to let him stop. He was called for, and, as Mr. Runyon is always obliging, he responded in his usual happy manner.

After the rendition of the above programme the floor was cleared and all who desired remained and enjoyed the dancing, music for which was furnished by Rogers' orchestra. During the evening the orchestra played some of their best selections, and this part was one of the most enjoyable. The dancing was continued until the very small hours of the morning, and when the guests departed they all wished Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., many happy returns of the day.

S. J. Robinson and A. D. Pope composed the committee in charge of the dancing.

RELIGION ON BICYCLES.

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The road is fine as far as Avon Park, after which it will be necessary to ride single file, as there is only a side path to the chapel. Several of the Endeavorers rode over it yesterday, however, and report that it is in good condition for riding and there will be no trouble for the riders in reaching the chapel without accident. The scenery is very beautiful and well worth a trip through the road.

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Fined $10 For Not Tying His Horse.

C. R. Rogers, of Bound Brook, was arrested this morning by Chief Marshal Wilson, of the borough, for allowing his horse to remain untied in front of Boyce's Hotel. Rogers did the same thing yesterday afternoon in another part of the borough and he was warned by the Chief not to leave his horse in that way. When the man appeared before Recorder Thomas he admitted having left his horse untied. For that offence he was fined $10. Immediately afterward Chief Wilson entered a complaint against the man for using profane language and for that he was fined $5. Both fines were paid and the man departed in peace.

Coles' Gift to the State.

The painting, "The Good Samaritan," painted by Daniel Huntington and presented to the State by J. Ackerman Coles, of Scotch Plains, was hung in the State House opposite the front stairway yesterday. Daniel Huntington is now more than 80 years old. "The Good Samaritan" was painted in Paris in 1853. Paul De Laroche, the famous historical painter of France, made many suggestions as to color and detail of which Mr. Huntington gratefully made use.

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DIED.

COTTER—In this city, June 11th, 1897, Katie J. Cotter, daughter of the late Micheal Cotter, aged 24 years, 1 month and 29 days. Funeral from her late residence, 507 Plainfield avenue, Monday, June 14, 1897, at 9 o'clock, and from St. Mary's church at 9:30 a. m. Friends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

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FOR SALE—A baby carriage in excellent condition; price $3. Apply to Mrs. Clarke, Netherwood, corner Woodland and LaGrande avenues.

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FOR SALE or to let, 437 East Fifth street; price $3,000, rent $25. Mulford, broker. 6 5 tf s

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STRAYED—On June 2d, liver and white Pointer Dog, answers to the name of "Alex." Reward. F. C. Phoebus, City. 6 5 tf

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The continued cool weather makes it imperative that makers should sell now, and to unload quick they sell at a loss. Values will surprise you here.

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Much of the loss caused by these reductions we take ourselves—its clearing time in this department, and we must have shelf room. If its dress goods you save money by buying here.

40 in black and blue Etima cloth..... 25c
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54 in silk and wool Mixture..... 49c
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Ladies' hose, extra fine quality..... 14c
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Men's fine black half hose..... 13c
Men's fancy colored hose, value 35c a pair, our price..... 18c.

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Extra large Turkish towels..... 10c
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Already his sermons are attracting wide attention. Recently he preached upon the theme, "Is it true that the world is really getting worse?" The preacher said, in part:

"There are a great many persons who say that, no matter how bad former times were, the present times are out of joint. They are reformers of a certain sort. They really wish to do humanity a service. They believe that if they can convert the world to their notions the millennium will shortly come. There are temperance orators who insist that there was never so much drunkenness in the world as there is to-day. Then, and this is most remarkable, there are leaders of religious thought in churches who can see nothing good in the present and little to hope for in the future.

"There is a certain type of men who can see everything better in the past than in the present, and this type has always existed. But, in spite of them and in spite of the patriarchs of old, there never was a time when the average length of life was longer than it is now, nor when man's nature was so large. We have heard that 'there were giants in those days,' but nobody has ever seen them. I know, from my own experience, that the mighty-statured men of ancient England, whose armor is now in the Tower of London, were smaller men than I am. I know because I know that I could not wear their armor, and I'm not a large man. And so we must conclude that these statements about the past are only fond delusions held by those who forget all the evils of the time, and remember only its romance and its glories.

"There are some leaders in church thought just now busy in prophesying all sorts of evil days to come. They tell us that the 'poor are growing poorer and the rich are growing richer,' and that, unless the barriers that guard accumulated wealth are broken down, evil days will be in store for us. Just what these men propose to do in order to make things better I can't make out. They can fill our eyes with the gloomiest of pictures, but they offer us no satisfactory shelter from the storm that they say is certain to descend. They talk about the misery of the laboring man and the heartlessness of the rich. I don't know just what they mean by the laboring man. I speak as a laboring man, because I work for a living, and would consider myself fortunate if my day's work were done after ten or even eighteen hours' labor. It is an unfortunate set of terms we have to designate the laboring man. Let me remark, though, here, that the man who is an enemy to accumulated wealth is an enemy to civilization; and he who is an enemy to civilization is an enemy to society. This is true, because accumulated wealth is the first condition of civilization. If all the men and women were obliged to work as hard as they could for the mere necessaries of life there would be no civilization. Man would be a mere animal. It would be death to civilization, in a technical sense, if everybody had to work for a living. If we are to have any books, any music, any statues, any paintings, some men must be set free.

"There is no use in being envious of those who are richer than you are. The finest things in the world cannot be monopolized. A rich man may be able to buy a rare work of art, but there will be a loan exhibition, and you and I can go and look at the rich man's possession. A rich man may be able to drive a coach and four, but you and I are healthier, because we can only afford to walk. And love, friendship, and the service of God and humanity—the richest of all blessings—are the heritage of the world.

"The percentage of profit to labor today is greater than it used to be. The percentage of profit to capital is less. The condition of the wage earner today is better than it ever was, because he gets what he needs cheaper. I don't know anything about the workings of the trusts that some men inveigh against. I do know, however, that, because of those trusts, you and I can get better and cheaper oil and better and cheaper sugar. Many small dealers may have been crowded out of business, but the great public, the laboring men, you and I, have been benefited.

"You owe your very existence to the toil of your fellow men. What we hold is only in trust. Let not the rich man flaunt in the face of the poor, and let not you and I, the laborers, the poor men, destroy that wealth with dynamite or croak at others' prosperity. Let us show to the world that we place our manhood first, and let us work together to make the world better. Let us not delude ourselves that we can get a patent for the improvement of freedom. The idea that we'll all get what we want and the world will stop for us to get it is a lotus-eater's dream. Humanity is on the march. We must keep up with the procession by our own exertions, or the chariot wheels of progress will roll over us and we shall be left behind."

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 38, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 37, 11 10 a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 57, 4 48, 5 22, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28, p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16, a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 9 28, 10 17, p m.

Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45 (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p.m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 57, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 37, 11 10, a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 22, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 9 28, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 08, 10 05, 11 25, a m; (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30, 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 3 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 05, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 05, 3 39 5 09, 6 35, 10 35, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 45, 8 12 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 43, 2 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 55, 8 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 2 11, 4 56, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 28, a m; 2 05, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 33, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a m; 6 30, 10 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m.—way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

3 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 56 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 30 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

9 11 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

9 2 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

1 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 25 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m. 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 8 52 a. m.; 3 20 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 03, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 20 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 32 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 4 36, 5 34*, 6 39*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a.m., 2 23, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m., 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 10 44 a. m., 5 09*, 6 45, p. m., 1 17 night.

For Buffalo, Chicago and all points West, week-days at 9 54 a. m., 8 21 p. m. Sunday 6 35 p. m.

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11 54 a. m. Daily except Sunday. Local for Mauch Chunk.

12 52 p. m. daily except Sunday, "BLACK DIAMOND EXPRESS" for Rochester and Buffalo.

1 44 p. m. daily except Sunday. Local for Mauch Chunk.

2 34 and 4 58 p. m. daily except Sunday, express for Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Pottsville, Hazleton, Shamokin, and principal intermediate stations.

6 25 p. m. daily. Local for Easton.

7 10 p m., daily except Sunday, for Slatington and principal intermediate stations.

7 52 and 9 58 p. m. daily, solid vestibule express for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Chicago, and principal intermediate stations.

9 32 p. m. daily except Sunday. Fast line for Buffalo.

2 15 p. m. Sundays, local for Shamokin.

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For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 6 48, 7 50, 10 05 a. m. 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. m Sunday 8 00, 9 10 a. m. 2 20 and 6 25 p. m.

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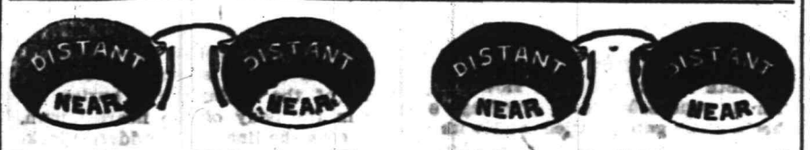

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THE BUSINESS SITUATION.

Dun's Review Says That the Gain Continues Moderately but Distinct.

New York, June 12.—Dun's Review for the week says:

The gain in business continues, not without fluctuations and at the best moderate, but yet distinct. It is still in quantities rather than prices, although in some branches an advance in prices appears, but on the whole the number of hands employed, the volume of new orders and the amount of work done are slowly increasing. Prospect of good crops of wheat and cotton help, growing demand from dealers whose stocks a gradually gaining consumption deplete also helps, and in the money and exchange market large buying of American securities has an influence. Foreign purchases of stocks exceeded sales for the week by about 50,000 shares, and meanwhile commercial bills against products to be moved hereafter are larger than the market will take.

The outgo of gold means only that a price sufficient to cover loss by shipment is paid, and the slackened call for commercial loans this week is but evidence that preparations to carry extraordinary stock of raw material against future operations have been completed by many large manufacturers. Money coming hither from the west even as late as June 10, with great crops near at hand, indicates a healthy condition at the west.

Indications of the volume of business are seen in clearing house exchanges, which for the week exceed last year's 8.7 per cent, and in railroad earnings which amount, in the United States alone, to $34,708,987 on roads reported by Dunn's Review for May, 3.3 per cent larger than last year and .3 per cent larger than in 1892.

Wheat looks well, and the best trade authority now estimates the yield at 515,000,000 bushels, with many state and railroad returns to support it.

Iron furnaces in blast June 1 reported a weekly output of 168,380 tons against 170,528 May 1, and in unsold stocks, exclusive of the great steel companies, an increase of 11,613 tons for the month, to 1,050,252 tons.

The dispatches from cities in all parts of the country are especially worthy of notice, because they show a continuing though gradual increase in the volume of actual business in spite of the weather, which has extensively retarded dealings. A dull season approaches for most wholesale trades, but safe indication for the future is to be sought in accounts of retail distribution. Failures for the week ending June 3 showed liabilities of $1,974,742, manufacturing $767,643 and trading $1,174,769. Failures for the week have been 262 in the United States against 246 last year and 30 in Canada against 27 last year.

THE TORPEDO BOAT PORTER.

The More Experiments Tried With Her the Better She Appears.

New York, June 12.—The United States torpedo boat Porter has been put through her maneuvering paces and came up to all expectations.

The board of inspectors were taken down to the lower bay. The little black flier cut her way through the waters, and, although no attempt was made to obtain phenomenal speed, all other craft were quickly passed and left behind. Once out of the channel the work of testing the torpedo guns was begun.

Three torpedoes were fired. Two worked excellently, but the third was not successful, as the locking device refused to work. Then the little flier's ability to twist and turn was exhibited. Her turning circle was found to be about 1,100 feet.

In reversing from full speed ahead to full speed astern and vice versa she proved a wonder, taking only 25 seconds, and moving less than her own length before she gained momentum in the desired direction. After various other tests of her maneuvering qualities the Porter brought the board of inspection back to the city, and its members expressed great satisfaction over the results of the trip.

INTERESTING LAND CASE.

Decision Rendered by the Comptroller In a Tax Sale.

Rome, N. Y., June 12.—Comptroller Roberts has just decided an interesting case, setting aside the cancellation and sale of over 1,000 acres of land in the town of Williamstown, N. Y. Seven hundred acres of the land are owned by Hon. Edward Comstock of Rome and John Murray of Williamstown.

In 1859 the land was bought at tax sale by the late Hon. Calvert Comstock of Rome. In 1866 the courts held that the sale was invalid and could be set aside on application of the purchaser or former owner. In case it was the purchaser he could have the money paid for the property refunded.

In 1876 Calvert Comstock died, and in 1886, on an application to which was forged Mr. Comstock's name, some person received $518, the amount that had been paid for the property. In the hearing which resulted in setting aside the cancellation and sale the fraud was unearthed. Since the hearing closed the comptroller has traced the matter back, and although the name of the guilty party has not been revealed the $518 have been recovered, with interest from 1886.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

James M. Gordy, the wife murderer, was hanged at Georgetown, Del.

Half a dozen mad dogs ran amuck and were killed by a policeman in New York.

J. W. Stocks rode 32¼ miles in an hour on a bicycle at the Crystal palace, London.

The house of Governor Smith of the National Soldiers' Home at Leavenworth, Kan., was blown up by dynamite.

Henry Hanson was killed by a tornado at Lyle, Minn. There were 10 injured, some of them so badly that further deaths are possible.

The postoffice at Collingswood, a few miles from Camden, N. J., was entered by burglars, the safe blown open and $200 in cash and $300 in stamps stolen.

Professor Fresenius, the wall known chemist, is dead at Wiesbaden, Germany. His demise was due to an apoplectic stroke. He was born in 1818 at Frankfurt-am-Main.

William H. Korn of Buffalo, aged 31 years, a passenger on the steamer Advance from Colon, died on board after the steamer anchored in quarantine, New York. Death was caused by yellow fever.

THE FIRST TEST VOTE

On the Sugar Schedule Results In Adoption of Amendment.

DAY WAS SPENT IN SPEECHMAKING

The Main Speeches by Mr. Allison For and Mr. Gorman Against the Bill. Full Text of the Sugar Clause as Submitted.

Washington, June 12.—The first test vote on the sugar schedule has been taken in the senate, resulting in the adoption of the Republican caucus amendment changing the house rate to 1.95 per pound by the close vote of 32 yeas to 30 nays. The affirmative vote was made up of 29 Republicans, 1 Democrat, McEnery of Louisiana, 1 silver Republican, Jones of Nevada, and 1 Populist, Stewart of Nevada. The negative vote was made up of 25 Democrats, 3 Populists and 2 silver Republicans. It was the closest vote thus far taken on an issue of importance and was accepted as showing that any amendment having the sanction of the caucus was assured of adoption.

The vote was taken after a day spent in speeches on the effect of the sugar schedule. The main speech of the day came from Mr. Allison, in charge of the bill, and was in the nature of an answer to the charges made against the sugar schedule as a whole and a defense of it. Mr. Gorman of Maryland spoke against the schedule and the entire bill, pointing out that its effect was to burden the people without opening up to us new foreign markets.

Mr. White reviewed the records of Republican senators on the sugar schedule during the debate on the Wilson bill, arraigning them for inconsistency. Mr. Caffery of Louisiana and Mr. Stewart of Nevada also spoke, the former against and the latter for the pending schedule, after which the vote was taken. The first paragraph of the sugar schedule was not finally disposed of up to the time of the adjournment.

Text of Sugar Schedule Amendment.

The following is the full text of the amendment to the sugar schedule of the tariff bill offered by Senator Hoar:

"Provided, That the president of the United States shall appoint a commission to consist of five persons who shall report to congress at its next regular session concerning the condition of the industry of producing and refining sugar in the United States, and what policy is best adapted to procuring a sufficient supply of sugar for the people of the United States at the least cost, and to encourage and promote the raising in the United States of a sufficient supply of sugar for domestic consumption, and what amount of duty on imports of sugar is necessary to enable the business of refining sugar in the United States to be conducted at a reasonable and moderate profit, and also what amount of duty upon such imports is expedient, having reference to raising a sufficient revenue to provide for the public expenditure, and to report such facts in regard to the business of producing and refining sugar, and whether the same is so conducted as to enable persons interested therein to exercise an improper control over the market, and such other facts as they consider important pertinent to the subject matter of their inquiry, no more than three members of said commission to belong to the same political party."

Senator Carter gave notice of an amendment readmitting free of duty stock which may have strayed across the boundary line of another country or been sent across for pasturage.

Senator Mantle gave notice of an amendment to the lead schedule as follows:

"That in respect to lead ores imported under the provisions of this section the refined metal set aside shall either be re-exported or the regular duties paid thereon within 60 days from the date of the receipt of the ore."

Nominations Confirmed.

Washington, June 12.—The senate has confirmed the following nominations: Harold S. Vanburen of New Jersey to be consul at Nice, France; Frank A. Leach to be superintendent of the mint at San Francisco, Robert S. Person of South Dakota to be deputy auditor for the interior department, William M. Lynch to be assayer of the mint at New Orleans, Herbert W. Lewis to be superintendent of charities for the District of Columbia, Fred P. Vincent and Michael J. Brown of Pennsylvania to be assistant appraisers of merchandise for the district of Philadelphia.

Terrible Accident In a Colliery.

London, June 12.—In consequence of overwinding, a terrible accident has occurred in the Garth colliery at Maesteg, Glamorganshire, Wales. The cage was precipitated to the bottom of the shaft, 360 feet deep. Ten men were killed.

Bequest For a Statue.

Boston, June 12.—Mayor Quincy has received notice that the will of the late John Foster gives $30,000 to the city for a statue of the Rev. William Ellery Channing, the famous Unitarian divine, to be erected in the public garden.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western easy; city mills, patents, $4.70@4.95; winter patents, $4.50@4.85; city mills clears, $4.65@4.75; winter straights, $4.10@4.25.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened stronger on higher cables, light northwestern receipts and the bullish crop report, but collapsed under offerings of long wheat; July, 74⅝@75⅝c.; September, 70¼@71c.

RYE—Quiet; No. 2 western, 36¾c.

CORN—No. 2 sold off under fine weather conditions; July, 29 9-16@29⅝c.; August, 30¼c.

OATS—No. 2 dull and nominal; track, white, state, 25@31c.; track, white, western, 25@31c.

PORK—Dull; mess, $8.50@9; family, $9.50@10.50.

LARD—Quiet; prime western steam, $3.82½, nominal.

BUTTER—Quiet; state dairy, 10@14½c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Quiet; state, large, 8¼c.; small, 7¾@8c.

EGGS—Quiet; state and Pennsylvania, 11½@12c.; western, 10¼@11c.

SUGAR—Strong; fair refining, 3c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c.; refined firm; crushed, 5⅜c.; powdered, 5¼c.

TURPENTINE—Steady at 27½@28c.

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THE FETE CHAMPETRE.

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the afternoon and evening, under the direction of Prof. Guttman. Every fifteen minutes the band will strike up some inspiring selection. A special committee has selected a musical programme, which has already been published in these columns.

There are other attractions, some small, some large, but all pleasing to the senses. There will be plenty to see and plenty to eat, and everything will be arranged to give pleasure to the people of Plainfield and their guests.

But now, the strains of sweet music float in from Johnson Park. The Fete is in progress and everybody is wanted there to help the women of the Town Improvement Association in their worthy object of placing the City Park so that it will once more be an honor to the city and its inhabitants.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

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St. Joseph's (R. C.) Church—Rev. William. H. Miller, pastor. Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.: Sunday-school, 2:30; evening devotions, 8.

St. Mary's (R. C.) Church—Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor. Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; evening devotions at 8. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, William Winans Moore, lay reader—Morning service at 11 o'clock. Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m. Evening prayer at 4 o'clock with an address by Francis G. Moore.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Evening subject, "Keeping the Foot When Going to the House of God." Services appropriate to Children's Day will be held in the morning.

All Souls' Church, Park avenue, (Unitarian,) Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—Preaching service at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "The Religion of Litlte Children." This service will be appropriate to Children's Day and a number of children will be pre-ented for baptism. Sunday-school, 12 m. The Flower service for Children's Day, will be used in the school.

W. C. T. U. Rooms, 4 p. m.—This service will be conducted by Dr. Polhemus, of South Orange.

First Baptist church, Rev. D. J. Yerkes, D. D., pastor—Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m.

Reform Hall—4:15 meeting will be led by Mrs George C. Needham, who will give a Bible reading.

First M. E. Church, Rev. Winfield C. Snodgrass, pastor—Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:54 p. m. Chilren's service with baptism of children at 2:30 p. m. Epworth League vesper service at 7 p. m. In the morning the pastor will preach a sermon to parents.

East Third Street Mission—George F. Brown will lead.

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. Chas. E. Herring, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Evening subject, "Life of St. Paul." Tais sermon will be illustrated.

The Christian Church, Grove street, near Front, Rev. W. O. Thomas, pastor. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday-school at 3 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. Morning subject, "How Far Should the Church Go in Amusements?" evening, "Mansions." The prelude for the evening service will be, "Riots."

Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. H. J. Johnston, pastor—Services, 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. No Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Epworth League service at 7 p. m. Evening subject, "Fatal Ignorance." Services appropriate to Children's Day will be observed at the morning service.

Monroe Avenue M. E. Church, Rev. William C. O'Donnell, pastor—Services at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. Children's Day exercises at 3 p. m. Epworth League, 7:15 p. m. Morning subject, "God's Family;" evening, "The Boy of It."

Park Avenue Baptist Church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor—Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Evening subject, "Thistle Seed, Thistles: Wheat, and Wheat." Services appropriate to Children's Day will be conducted by the Sunday-school in the morning. All sittings free.

Grace Church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector—Early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.; litany, Holy Communion and sermon at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3 p. m.; evening service at 7:45 p. m.

Y. M. C. A., 4:15 p. m.—Young men's rally will be conducted by J. W. Pierce, of Montclair, and Prof. W. V. Gilday, of Brooklyn, will give sacred songs and testimonies by means of a very large phonograph. All men welcome.

Church of the Redeemer, Rev. Robert V. K. Harris, minister in charge—Litany, Holy Communion and sermon at 11:15 a. m., subject, "The Name of God;" evening prayer and address at 4:30, subject, "Mystery Not Necessarily Incredible."

Congregational Church, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor Morning service at 10:30; Sunday-school at 11:45; Christian Endeavor service at 7:30 p. m. Children's Day services will be conducted at the morning service including christening, graduation from the primary class, presentation of Bibles and a sermon to the boys and girls, subject, "Spiders."

In City Court.

In the City Court this morning the case against Bridget Neuman was adjourned for a week. Sentence was suspended on the six little boys who were charged with breaking the windows of the Fillmore Avenue Baptist church. Howard Doty was arraigned on the charge of assaulting Richard Higgins in the street railway carhouse. He pleaded self defence and his trial was set down for next Saturday morning. Samuel Cramer, a peddler, was ordered to get a license at once, and was allowed to go on the harge of selling without one.

To Boom the S. of V.

A series of union meetings will be held by the Sons of Veterans of this State to awaken renewed interest in the order. The first meet will be held at Elizabeth June 21th.

Plainfield Capital Interested.

The certificate of incorporation for the Hall Needle Company was drawn up in Rutherford, Friday, by Lawyer P. D. Kirch, of this city, one of the incorporators. The new company is to manufacture a patent sewing machine needle that is said to possess peculiar strength and is equipped with a special method of threading that appears to be very advantageous. The company is capitalized at $50,000. The following officers were then elected: President, William Locke Rockwell, of Plainfield: vice-president, J. P. D. Kirch, of Plainfield; secretary and treasurer, Edwin C. Abbott, of Rutherford.

The Funeral of Thomas McCue.

The funeral of the late Thomas McCue, son of Patrolman Thomas McCue, was held from the St. Mary's church this morning. The attendance was very large. The services was conducted by Rev. Father Murphy. The pall bearers were members of the T. A. B. Society and many of the other members turned out in a body. The floral tributes were magnificent. Among them was a handsome floral cross from the policemen of the city. The interment was at St Mary's Cemetery.

Owney, the Postal Dog Shot.

After years of wandering as the guest of postal clerks "Owney," the dog tramp, ended his days at Toledo yesterday. He has lately grown savage, and soon after entering the Toledo office bit Clerk Blankertz. Postmaster Brand ordered a policeman to shoot him, and that was done yesterday afternoon.

Good Bass Fishing

William L. Brown, accompanied by Bert Holly, of Netherwood Heights, have just returned from a day's fishing at New Market lake with fifty pounds of bass, several of the largest fish weighing 3½ pounds. The fishing is good this season, but it takes good fishermen to catch the fish.

Inspected the Asylum.

The Union County Freeholders' Committee on Lunacy made their annual visit Thursday to the Morris Plains Asylum. They found 223 in the asylum who have been committed from Union County. Of this number 116 are females.

—Miss Josephine Cotter, aged twenty-four years, one month and twenty-nine days, died at her home on Plainfield avenue, this morning. She has been ill for some time with consumption, which finally caused her death.

—A number of needed repairs are being made in Warren Engine house on Somerset street.

Miss Elizabeth P. Fuller, of Watchung avenue, will leave town tomorrow to spend the summer at her home at Plattsburgh, N. Y.

LIABLE TO CAUSE BLINDNESS.

It is Possible for Certain Kinds of Food to Endanger the Eyesight.

Few people know that some foods are very injurious to the eyesight, and, indeed, may cause total blindness. Medical men agree that defects of vision are often attributable to this cause, and warn their patients against eating certain foods.

Stale sausages, sour cream and tainted rabbit pie are injurious to the eyesight. In one instance a case was brought under the notice of an eye specialist in which the eyes of a whole family were affected by eating rabbit pie. In each instance the patient had become afflicted with a peculiar defect of vison that is technically known as "failure of accommodation."

The eating of chocolate was recently proved to be the cause in a case of weakening of the sight known as amblopia. Blindness resulting from eating tainted fish has been found almost impossible to cure, and quinine is also responsible for some persons half-blind condition. This drug affects the optic nerve in a manner that sometimes ends in blindness.—Golden Days.

A Pair of Them.

Borrowit—Say, Jack, can't you lend me a five?

Hardup—Sorry; I'm busted myself. I just had to borrow a ten.

Borrowit—Well, my eyes! You're a fine kind of hog to refuse after such luck as that!—Truth.

Mean Thing.

Miss Newwoman—Yes, our unprejudiced opinion is that man is a total failure.

Dick Rounder—Taking that view of the case, I am willing to admit that woman is his equal.—New York Journal.

GRANT'S DIFFERENT HATS.

Not Aware that His Japanese Servant gave Him so Many Changes.

In that trip after his return from abroad he had a little Japanese servant, who took charge of him as though the General was a bit of machinery and he was the engineer. Some of the newspapers noticed that in the course of one trip Grant had on six different hats, and they laughingly asked him what was the signinficance of the change. Grant said, "Why, I do not know; I supposed I had on the same hat all the time." Investigation brought out the fact that the little Jap, through the suggestion of some of the ladies of the party or some of the committee, had received ideas as to what kind of a hat the General ought to wear at certain towns. If it was a college town, just before he arrived the little Jap would tip-toe to the General, remove the slouch hat, place a silk hat carefully on the Generals head, and trip out, the General never losing a word of any conversation. At the next stop, if it was explained to the little Jap that it was a soldier town, off would come the silk hat and on went the General's military hat. He made it a rule for the General never to appear at two places in the same hat, and the joke of it was Grant himself did not know anything of the scheme.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

A BICYCLE UNDER WATER.

Used by a Diver When Searching the Bottom of the Sea.

Another use has been found for the bicycle. Having conquered the land, the all-pervading wheel has invaded the water and has proved that it can be of use to a diver while searching the bottom of the sea. In diving operations of the future a part of the outfit of the man who dons a diving suit and explores the bottom of the sea in search of lost treasure, parted cables, anchors or wrecks frequently will be a bicycle.

David M. Tulloch, a practical diver of a dozen years' experience, who has been employed by the United States Government in many operations along the Atlantic coast and who has also worked in South American waters, was the first man to use a bicycle in submarine work.—New York World.

She Raised the Boys.

Nine men sat in an unbroken row on one side of an Alley "L" car the other morning. Near the door sat one lone woman. Five women were standing, swinging on to straps, as the train pulled out of Congress street terminus.

At 12th street two more women came in, standing before a row of men who couldn't see over their newspapers.

There was a mischievous twinkle in the eyes of the solitary young woman sitting near the door.

At 18th street the train slowed up with a squeaking and grinding of wheels. The gates rattled, and with a swing a young man in a fawn-colored coat, with a bunch of carnations in his buttonhole, stepped into the car. He was just reaching for a strap, when the young woman at the door touched him on the arm.

He looked around inquiringly.

The young woman was standing, with a perfectly serious look in her face.

"Won't you have this seat?" she asked in a beautifully modulated voice.

With his mouth open, the young man in his astonishment sat down.

But it was only for a moment. In the roar of laughter which followed every woman in the group found a seat.—Chicago Record.

Not Likely.

Nobbs: "You seemed very cool, when Hocheim pulled that pistol on you."

Hobbs: "Well, I knew he wouldn't dare shoot."

Nobbs: "How did you know?"

Hobbs "Because we belong to the same lodge, and if I died he'd get assessed a dollar to help bury me."—Twinkles.

Observing the Properties.

"Now," said Mrs. Cumrox, "I guess we're all ready for the dinner party."

"Sure you haven't forgotten anything?" rejoined her husband.

"Oh, yes! There's one little matter that I wish you would attend to for me. I want you to telephone to the confectioner and have him send up two or three pounds of bon mots. I understand it is considered proper to have some between the courses."—Washington Star.

Did He Mean It?

"So he praised my singing, did he?"

"Yes, he said it was heavenly."

"Did he really say that?"

"Well, not exactly, but he probably meant that. He said it was unearthly."

THE MAD KILLER.

Malay Methods of Suicide Somewhat Troublesome to the Public.

In the hush of the glaring noon, there sounded an angry scream up the street, three seconds later a yell of pain, and the sobbing cry of a man cut deep through the lungs. It touched off the whole teeming populace like a match in a powder barrel; there was a frenzied rush of swarthy loafers for safety, and a shrieking chorus of "Amok! amok!" the street cry of the far East which means many deaths in a short period. Out of a byway a lithe Malay tore blindly down the road, driving his knife into the stomach of a water-carrier as he passed. The carrier fell on his face with a thick cough, and the frantic man spun forward, with starting, bloodshot eyeballs, foaming at the mouth like a rabid dog, a narrow dripping kris in his right hand. He dashed furiously through the deserted stalls, and on through the town, till a big Lascar, fresh from his ship and hungry for a fight, sank his knife under the madman's ribs with the slipping upstroke which is the legacy of all Lascars throughout the earth.

These ten minute dramas occur twenty or thirty times a year in Batavia and in most cities of the remote East. The pleasant Malay prefers this method of suicide to any other; and after losing his wealth at a gambling den in the East city slums, or his betrothed through fever, he decides on an amok. It is far less cold-blooded than common self-murder, and the red, rabid frenzy appeals to the hot blood of the Malay. He buries his kris in the body of the nearest man, and keeps the line of a maddened jackal through the town, killing to right and left, till a readier knife ends him. Eleven victims have been known to succumb to one amok, and at times a powerful hillman will cut down a score of bystanders before he meets the point. In all countries of the farthest East you will find that ruin breeds this fever for the Running Kill. —From Answers.

W. W. ASTOR'S BIG TREE WAGER.

A Cross Section of a Giant of the California Forests Sent to London.

The German ship Maria Hackfield loaded in San Francisco for London, took on board a piece of cargo consigned to William Waldorf Astor. It is a great slab of red wood, the cross section of one of the big trees of California, 14 feet 4 inches in diameter.

Under present circumstances its shipment is of more than ordinary interest. It will decide a wager in favor of Mr. Astor, and will demonstrate that he did not tell a whopper about big trees to the Britishers.

At a dinner party given some time ago in London, during the story-telling stage, Mr. Astor spoke about great redwoods. Some of his hearers were skeptical. This nettled Mr. Astor, and to prove his assertion he offered a wager that he could procure from one cross section of a California big tree a table large enough to accommodate all of the forty guests assembled.

The wager was accepted and hence the shipment. The piece of redwood was cut from one of many giant trees of Humboldt county forests. There is not the least blemish in the piece. Heavy wire cables were bound around its outer rim and heavy planks protect it from being split.

It is about three feet thick, and weighs about nineteen tons. It was brought from the lumber woods in the steamer National City, and the ship's hatchway just gave the big slab a play of one inch as it was being lowered into the hold.

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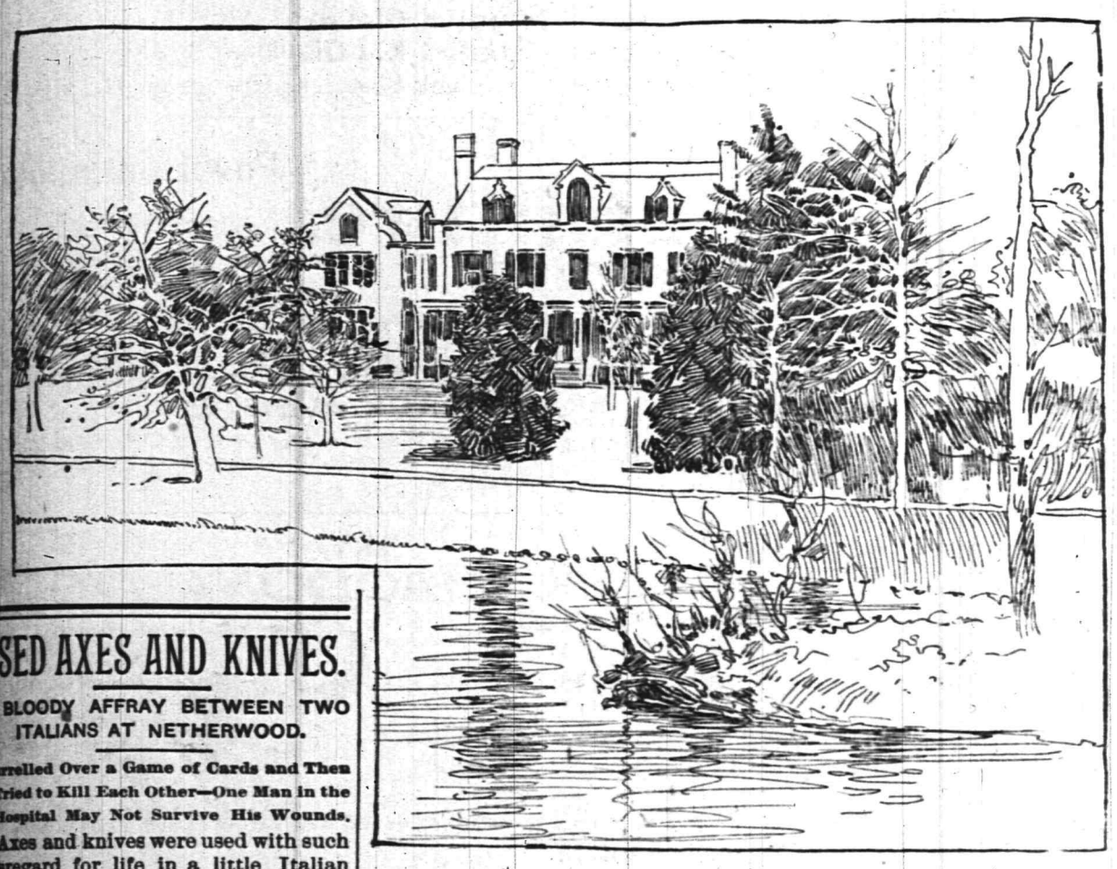

A VIEW OF THE GROUNDS WHERE THE FETE WAS HELD.

USED AXES AND KNIVES.

A BLOODY AFFRAY BETWEEN TWO ITALIANS AT NETHERWOOD.

Quarrelled Over a Game of Cards and Then Tried to Kill Each Other—One Man in the Hospital May Not Survive His Wounds.

Axes and knives were used with such disregard for life in a little Italian shanty, near Netherwood, yesterday afternoon, that now two of the Italian occupants lie in Muhlenberg Hospital sorely wounded, perhaps mortally hurt. Who handled the weapons with such disastrous results it is impossible to tell. All that is known at present is that there was a fight and two of the participants were badly hurt. One of them is thought to be fatally injured. A little shanty, built of boards, stands some distance from North avenue, near Netherwood avenue. It is there that the men were found.

James Brown is one of the Italians in this city who have become Americanized and is now conducting a flourishing business among his fellow-countrymen. He has a store on Paradise alley and another at the corner of North and Leland avenues. Yesterday, Jim, as he is usually called, rode up on his wheel to his Netherwood store, to feed the dog and chickens which he keeps in the rear of the house. While passing the shanty on the way up, he had seen a boy carry some clothing out to a wagon and then return to the shanty. Jim says that he understood that the boy was taking away the clothing of three Italians who were to go to Cranford last night. Then he heard shouts but knowing the excitable temperament of his fellow-countrymen he thought nothing of it.

When he rode back again towards town, another young Italian rushed down to the road and implored him to come in. Brown did not fancy figuring in a fight and refused at first, but seeing that something out of the ordinary had happened, he went in.

There were five Italians in the shanty. One of them, a horrible sight from the blood that covered him, was lying unconscious on the wooden bunk in the corner. Another, with the blood dripping from a deep wound in the side of the head, leaned against the wall. The tall Italian, who looks after the shanty, told Jim that the two injured men had quarrelled over a game of cards. He said one seized an axe and the other a knife and fought until he separated them.

Then Jim hurried down to Paradise Alley and notified Special Officer Dennis Carney, who, in turn, told Chief Grant of the affray. Chief Grant and Sergeant Kiely took a cab at Cole's stable. Just as they turned into East Third street one of the rear wheels dished. Wm. Robinson was driving and pluckily held the horse and prevented a runaway. Then the officers tried again and took another cab.

Meanwhile, the Italian who had received a blow on the head with the axe, walked down town. He was a horrible spectacle, covered with blood. He attracted a large crowd on his way. He was finally met by Patrolman Flanagan, who took him to the station house. Dr. Long was called and found the wound a serious one.

Grant and Kiely reached the shanty and found that the wounded Italian was terribly injured. He was covered with wounds inflicted with a stilleto, and the blood flowed copiously from a score of gashes on his body. The ambulance was summoned and he was conveyed to the Hospital. The other injured man was also taken there.

The three witnesses in the shanty told the officers they had arrived after the fight had started and knew nothing of the circumstances. They were locked up, however, and held for the hearing.

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FOUGHT ABOUT A GIRL.

CROWLEY WENT HOME WITH HAMILL'S GIRL, AND TROUBLE CAME.

Six Offenders Against the Good Order of the Community Hailed Before Judge De Meza and Punished and Lectured

The mystery of the police, Saturday morning, concerning a fight near the brook is a mystery no longer. The participants were arraigned this morning before City Judge DeMeza and all were either fined or sent to jail.

The circumstances, as related in court this morning, were that all six of them attended a party on Orchard place, and did not leave until 5 o'clock in the morning, all pretty well under the influence of the stimulants taken at the party. They walked down the street and some of the younger ones began to quarrel. It seems that Michael Crowley had gone home with Thomas Hamill's girl earlier in the mornnig. Blows were struck, and soon Crowley and Patrick Wallace, who was of the party, were rolling in the gutter. Daniel Fitzpatrick ran to Crowley's rescue and pulled Wallace off, when Wallace's brother, Robert Wallace, took a hand and did up Fitz in a jiffy. Daniel Sullivan and Thomas Hamill watched the fun.

Then the scappers adjourned to Sycamore avenue, where the fight was renewed Wallace repeated his former action and laid poor Fitz out in an unconscious condition. Crowley thought he was dead and came down town and gave himself up to Roundsman Frederickson, who investigated.

Meanwhile Fitz came to his senses and Sullivan washed off the blood, which covered his face, at the brook. Then they all departed homeward, to be arrested yesterday on the charge of fighting.

Robert Wallace pleaded guilty and the rest not guilty. The charge was for being drunk and disorderly, quarrelling and fighting and being generally disorderly.

The Judge, after hearing the testimony, decided that they were all guilty. Robert Wallace, he picked as the chief offender, and sent him to jail for sixty days. Patrick Wallace was fined $15, Crowley and Hammill $10, and Fitzpatrick and Sullivan $5. Fitzpatrick appeared in court with his face all cut and scratched while he was so lame from a result of Wallace's blows and kicks that he could hardly walk. The evidence showed that Sullivan was with the crowd but did no fighting.

A Child's Lucky Escape.

While Antonio Narrar, a one year old child, was playing on Front street, Scotch Plains, Saturday afternoon, he was run over by a horse and buggy driven by George Rose. The little fellow fortunately escaped with a cut on the face and a serious fright.

Appointed Minister to Hayti.

Prof. William F. Powell, of Camden, who was for many years principal of a public school in that city, has been appointed Minister to Hayti. Prof. Powell has many friends in this city who will be pleased to learn of the latest honor which he has acquired.

—One acre of land near Burlington has already yielded 50 bushels of strawberries for William J. Ferril, and he isn't through picking.

SCRAPS O'ER THE BROOK

MANY DISTURBING ELEMENTS COME UNDER POLICE SURVEILLANCE.

One Man Thumped Over the Head With a Beer Bottle, While Another Is Thrown Into the Street on Account of Board Bill.

Saturday night and Sunday morn there seemed to be many disturbing elements in the North Plainfield atmosphere. Between 11 and 11:30 Saturday night a crowd was congregated in Charles Bock's restaurant on Somerset street. In one of the back rooms were James Conway, of West Fourth street, and Frank VanNest, of the borough. The two became engaged in an argument of some kind, when suddenly there was an outburst and those outside were attracted by the breaking of glass and loud talking. The crowd pressed in toward the back room and saw Conway in a bleeding condition about the head, the result of a severe cut. Young VanNest and his companions made their way toward the front door so as to escape, but before they could get away Marshal Kliner was on the spot and arrested VanNest as the guilty man.

Those present say that VanNest lost his temper in an argument he had with Conway and that he picked up a beer bottle and threw it at Conway, striking him in the head. The lacerated wound bled profusely and most of those present became frightened thinking that Conway was critically injured. VanNest was placed in the borough lockup and Conway was taken to Dr. Boone's office and had his wound dressed. The doctor discovered that the wound was not a serious one, but he was obliged to take several stitches in the laceration. Yesterday morning VanNest was released on bail to appear for trial today.

The second disturbance occurred about 1 o'clock yesterday morning on Race street. Sheridan Jones, colored, lives on the above street and he, too, engaged in an argument regarding a board bill. The war of words grew intensely exciting and when Jones came to his senses he found himself lying in the middle of Race street near his boarding house. Investigation developed the fact that the persons with whom he had disagreed had jumped on him, beat him into insensibility and left him in the roadway. It is said that the marshals know who the violaters of the law are and that they will be arrested soon.

Special Musical Service.

There will be a special musical service at the First Baptist church tomorrow evening, at 8 o'clock. The choir will give the entire cantata by Sir John Stainer, entitled "The Daughter of Jairus," besides other selections. E. J. Fitzhugh will conduct the chorus, and Howard Case will preside at the organ. Miss Harris, soprano; Mrs. Ward, contralto; George W. Smith, tenor; and William Holmes, baritone, will take the solo parts. The service is free to all lovers of sacred music.

Rev. P. S. Gibson, of the Mt. Olive Baptist church, and Rev. William Johnston, of Fillmore Baptist church, expect to leave on Wednesday night to attend the New England Baptist convention in Hartford, Conn.

PINNACLE OF SUMMER EVENTS WAS THE FETE.

Carried Out With a Dash and Completeness That Made it a Magnificient Success.

The Country Home and Grounds of the Fete Champetre's Sponsor, Beautiful by Nature's Touch Alone, Were Charmingly Attractive When Modeled by Mind and Hand in Appropriate Detail by Those Who Had Interested Themselves in the Success of the Affair—A Large Turnout of Patrons and a Consequent Reaping of Profits by the Promoters For Plainfield's Benefit—Those in Charge of the Different Details.

Nature and Plainfield favored the Fete Champetre that was held Saturday afternoon and evening on the lawn surrounding the summer home of the late John Taylor Johnston. It was a success, a complete success, and the hopes of the women of the Town Improvement Association, who labored so hard and so faithfully toward that end were more than realized, while their treasury received a substantial increase that will probably amount to nearly $2,000, if not more.

It was by far the most elaborate outdoor event of the kind ever planned and carried out in Plainfield. Everybody lent a hand and donated their services wherever possible. It combined the efforts of many Plainfield homes, for there was plenty to do and the fact that it was all done so well showed the interest which has been taken in the movement started by some of the progressive women of Plainfield toward improving the appearance of the city. The object of the Fete was to raise sufficient money to put the city park in presentable condition and it succeeded.

Now that a day has elapsed since the last guest bade a lingering farewell to the scene of the Fete, it all seems like a wonderful dream. In the afternoon were the crowds of visitors thronging every part of the grounds, most of them bright in holiday attire, everybody happy and smiling. Around the booths and tables that had been arranged under the trees were clustered the aides, kept busy attending to the wants of the guests. Under the tall evergreen trees that bounded the path in the rear of the house were the tables where the supper and light refreshments were served. The charming waitresses hurried in and out between the animated groups, while a steady stream of visitors passed through to view the other scenes.

Down by the brook all was animation. The boats were a constant attraction and the smooth surface of the little lake was lively with the merry boating parties that dotted it. The colony of Gypsies, that had taken possession of the island, found favor with all, and the rustic bridges that led in that direction across the brook saw many people pass that way. The dances and the singing were all delightful and the listener could hardly believe that he was not in some enchanted land instead of in staid old Plainfield. Curiousity to know the future filled the palmist's tent and there it was laid bare to the eye of the interested ones for a short space. Had there been a dozen palmists they would have been kept busy.

At intervals through the afternoon and all the evening the strains of sweet music were wafted over the lawn from the gaily-decorated bandstand, where the Plainfield Cornet Band, under the charge of Prof. Guttman, was installed. There was the hum of voices, broken now and then by the steady tramp of feet as a detachment of the Plainfield High School cadets marched along the pebbly paths to relieve their sentinels that kept guard about the grounds. The sun shone on the bright barrels of the muskets they carried and was reflected back by the shining swords of the officers. The latter, in their dark blue dress coats and white duck trousers, looked very natty, indeed.

As the shades of night began to fall, hundreds of Japanese lanterns began to shed their soft radiance over the place, while in the trees, surrounding the green, electric lights peeped out like giant fireflies. A monster log fire blazed with fitful gleam in the Gypsy encampment, while flaring torches aided in the illumination of that part of the grounds

As the night advanced, the crowd increased and the tables, on which the ice-cream was served, were filled. The guests strolled about the grounds or rested on some bench to watch the never ceasing procession. Other young people wandered away from the light to retired nooks to watch the Fete from a distance.

The hours passed, the cadet relief marched by, and still the people came and went, while all was activity in the different departments. The moon, though half hidden by thin clouds, chose to be one of the party and and lend her beams to light up the place. Then the visitors began to depart and carriage after carriage rolled away homeward, while the sharp ring of the bicycle bell warned stray pedestrians to look out for the departing wheelmen who had spent the evening at the Fete. The work of clearing up began, the lights were extinguished or allowed to burn out. The policemen, who had stood guard during the day, departed and the Fete Champetre was over. A solitary bullfrog sounded mournfully in the lake and all was quiet in Johnston Park.

Last winter, the Town Improvement Association discussed the plan of improving the condition of the City Park. The spirit was willing, but the treasury was low. Then Mrs. Pierre Mali, the president of the association, offered the use of Johnston Park, her summer home on East Front street, which comprises over a hundred acres of beautiful fields and woodlands, to the association for a gigantic garden party. The idea was a good one and found favor. The offer was accepted with thanks and the Fete Champetre, or rustic feast, was planned. As the time grew near the plans took form and everything went forward. Mrs. Mali was indefatigable in her efforts to bring the Fete to a successful termination, and she was ably second by the other women of the association. The men were interested in the scheme and so all of the best local talent was utilized.

The officers of the association are as follows: President, Mrs. Pierre Mali; vice presidents, Mrs. L. V. F. Randolph and Mrs. A. S. Patterson; recording secretary, Mrs. S. R. Krom; corresponding secretary, Miss Elizabeth Stewart; treasurer, Mrs. Alexander Gilbert.

The committee, which was in charge of the decorations of the entrances, was composed of Mrs. Craig A. Marsh, chairman; Mrs. George Wharton Edwards and Mrs. J. W. Reinhart. The entrance was modeled after two French towers and was designed by George Wharton Edwards, of this city.

The committee in charge of the music was composed of Mrs. J. Kirtland Myers, chairman; Mrs. Pierre Mali, William E. Cock and William N. Runyon.

The press committee, which so successfully accomplished its duty of telling the public about the Fete and its attractions, was composed of Mrs. Benjamin J. Shreve, chairman; Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, Miss Harriet R Shreve and H. P. Reynolds.

The wheelmen were specially provided for at the Fete, the commodious stables beyond the island being converted into a bicycle stable. The wheelmen were directed around the smooth roads to the stables, the road being lighted in the evening with huge headlights. Mrs. D. W. Pond was the committee in charge. William H. Rogers and Charles C. Lister had personal supervision over the bicycle stable and repair shop which was run in connection with it. 250 wheels were checked there.

Mrs. S. R. Krom was a committee to look after the printing of the tickets and menus. The tickets were little circular cards, with cords attached and the visitors were instructed to hang them where they might be seen. So it was that every one had the little green badge except the police and the cadets. The scheme worked very successfully.

Mrs. M. H. Eaton was committee on omnibuses. Stages ran to the grounds from the Y. M. C. A. building so as not to interfere with the hackmen.

The illumination of the grounds was done under the charge of J. Parker Mason. His method was very pleasing and successful. Two hundred electric lights were used, the current being furnished for nothing by the Plainfield Gas and Electric Light Company. The lights were wired in the trees by A. D. Phillips. The Japanese lanterns were of two styles. Some of them were the new French lanterns. Five hundred of the lanterns were used.

The decoration of the boats was done under the charge of Miss Edith Hyde. Flags, bunting and, in the evening, lanterns were used.

The pony carriages, that carried the little tots around the grounds, were under the superintendence of Miss Edith Smalley. Dr. W. H. Murray and William F. Arnold also looked after the safety of the little ones.

The fleet of boats were under the command of John Doull Miller. He had the boat house prettily decorated

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SERVICES FOR CHILDREN

FLOWERS, SONGS AND RECITATIONS FILLED THE CHURCHES.

The Annual Custom of Devoting One Sunday in the Year to Special Services for Juveniles Was Appropriately Observed.

GRACE M. E. CHURCH.

The Children's Day exercises at Grace M. E. church yesterday morning were the best ever held at this church. The church was prettily decorated about the platform with choice roses by Andred Wilson who had charge of this part of the programme. The programme as rendered was as follows: Introductory address, Lizzie Hoagland; chorus, "A Garland for Jesus;" recitations, "Give Us a Chance," Arthur Van Arrdale; "Do Your Best," Malcolm Van Arsdale; "The Town of Used to Be," Lottie Benner; "Do All That You Can," Mabel Garey; "The Darling," Mildred Long; "Blooming for Jesus," Jennie DeMott, Anna Hoagland, Pearl Angleman, Ethel Most, Stella Kline, Ethel Noe; "If I Know," Alice DeMott; "Flowers Bring," Alice DeMott, Jennie DeMott, Ethel Noe, Kittie Rutledge, Ethel Most, Grace Titus. A dialogue entitled "The Young People's Republic," was given by Miss Lizzie Hoagland as "Liberty," and the following as stars: Grace Clark, Alice Layton, George Van Arsdale, Mabel Benner, Lillian Haberle, Mabel Loomis. During the service a short address was made by the pastor, Rev. H. J. Johnson, and violin solos were rendered by Clarence Mills. There was also special music by the choir who used for the first time the new anthem books which were received last week. The committee in charge of the exercises consisted of Mrs. Most, Miss Marguerite Schuck and Mrs. A. A. Taft.

TRINITY REFORMED CHURCH.

Children's Day was indeed a pleasant one at Trinity Reformed church. A beautiful floral display was arranged by teachers of the Primary department, Mrs. Reighton, Mrs. Tier, Mrs. Sheppard, Miss Berkaw, Miss Arnold and Miss Grace Smith. The special services were held in the morning and the Primary department, in charge of Superintendent Mrs. J. M. Tier and her assistant, Miss Arnold, marched in the church from the lecture room, passing up the aisles to the front row of seats, reserved for them. After singing by the choir and prayer by the pastor, Albert Yeager, a manly little fellow of the Primary department, welcomed everybody in a little address he had committed to memory. The entire school then sang very acceptably hymn 167. Then followed a recitation entitled "Nellie's Mission Class," in which six misses of the Primary department took part, as follows: Hattie Randall, Hazel Martin, Lena Bohan, Anna Randall, Lucy Corriell, Bessie Randall. This was followed with singing "The Rocky Hilltop" by the Primary department of the school.

At this point a very pleasant digression was made from the programme and the parents of nine little babies presented their children for baptism and dedication to God, the pastor officiating. Following this beautiful sight was a recitation by Anna Holder, entitled "On the Hills of Nazareth."

"A Coronet of Flowers," recitation, by Luella Day, Pauline Buckley Etta Trembley, Gussie Kreitling, Lulu Vail, Pansy Lucy, was then given, followed with more singing by the little people, entitled "Up the Mountain, Down the Valleys." Another recitation by eight little maidens, Bessie Randall, Lulu Vail, Minnie Nischwitz, Gussie Kreitling, Annie Bodine, Emma Yeager, Ida Tier, Mildred Caleen, was greatly enjoyed by all. Pastor Schenck then gave an interesting talk to the little folks, followed with singing by the entire school.

Superintendent Anthony was compelled to remain at home on account of the accident he met with one day last week and he was greatly missed by all. There was a large attendance at both the morning and evening services and the day was thoroughly enjoyed by the scholars and all in attendance.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

Children's Day exercises were held in the First M. E. church, yesterday afternoon, by the members of the Sunday-school of that church. The address of welcome was read by Miss Gertrude Anderson. Recitations were given by Gertie Guyer, Helen Whitney, George M. Rittenhouse, Jr., Raymond Lyman, Amy Morcum, Eddie Bingaman, Violet Knight and Helen Joy. An exercise, entitled "Flowers," was given by seven members of the primary department.

"The Young People's Republic" was an exercise that made up the

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CLAIM AGAINST PERU

After a Long Delay the McCord Case May Be Settled.

PERUVIAN MINISTER TO ADJUST IT.

The Claimant Was Brutally Treated and Twice Imprisoned, For Which He Asks an Indemnity of $200,000.

New York, June 14.—The famous McCord claim against the government of Peru is about to be settled. At least this is the expectation, based upon the fact that Minister Eguiguren has just started for the United States. A cable dispatch says that the minister bears important documents and special instructions looking to a final adjustment of the claim.

The negotiations have drawn their slow length along for nearly 12 years. In view of the present diplomatic relations between our government and that of Spain in regard to Cuban affairs the McCord case is interesting. It shows what the policy of the United States government is under varying conditions.

Victor H. McCord is a native of Pennsylvania. In 1885, during the revolution in Peru, he was a railroad agent in that country. He was acting superintendent of the Arequipa and Cuzco railroad. He was directed to place a train at the disposal of the Peruvian officers and soldiers and did so. Through the perfidy of the engineer the train was delivered into the hands of the revolutionists.

Was Brutally Treated.

Mr. McCord was at that time a consular agent for the United States. Notwithstanding this, he was thrown into prison and brutally treated. That was in June, 1885. The authorities at Arequipa had not the slightest shadow of proof against him. It was enough that he was in charge of the railroad.

A court was convened, and, without a trial, he was ordered to be shot and was marched out at midnight for execution. But the suggestion of money caused a slight delay. Residents of the city paid $10,000 to the authorities, and Mr. McCord was released.

Mr. McCord stated his case to Mr. Bayard, secretary of state in Mr. Cleveland's first administration. Minister Buck, resident in Lima, reported that at the time of the outrage Peru was in a state of armed revolution, that the prefect, Manuel San Roman, who was charged by Mr. McCord with responsibility for his injuries, was a colonel in the Peruvian army and a revolutionary chieftain.

The perpetrators of the outrage, in December, 1886, referred the matter to the Peruvian government at Lima. The government indorsed the act of violence, thereby making the act its own.

The Peruvian authorities in 1888 again seized Mr. McCord. He was imprisoned in his own office for five days, so that $3,000 might be extorted from him. His captors kept him without food or water for 27 hours. Mr. McCord used a portion of the house of Mr. Thorndike, a New York man, as the offices of the United States consular agency. On Sept. 26, 1888, an armed force seized the offices, closed the consulate and took down the American shield.

Ignored Our Demands.

For these insults to the United States government and indignities to one of its citizens, who was a government official, Minister Buck demanded reparation of the Peruvian government. No notice was taken of the demand.

In the latter part of 1888 Mr. McCord's attorneys filed with the secretary of state a memorial in the shape of a bill in chancery asking our government to demand reparation of Peru, asking for $200,000 indemnity.

About that time there was trouble with Haiti, whose fighting power was vastly inferior to Peru's. Minister Bayard declared:

"The rights of persons and property of American citizens engaged in business in Haiti cannot be permitted to become the football of contesting factions and their evanescent authority, and the protecting arm of the United States will be interposed for their security."

The anomaly was pointed out to Mr. Olney, the secretary of state in Mr. Cleveland's second administration. In January last Mr. Olney sent a cable dispatch to Minister Mackenzie at Lima stating that Mr. McCord's claim must be settled without delay. The dispatch was followed by the United States cruiser Philadelphia, which anchored off Callao. The message and the cruiser seem to have settled the matter.

Terrific Wind and Hail Storm.

Caldwell, O., June 14.—A terrific wind and hail storm passed over this place yesterday afternoon. A number of buildings were unroofed, and hundreds of windows were broken by the hailstones, which were nearly as large as hens' eggs. The roof of the Free Methodist church at Perryopolis was blown off while a meeting was in session, but no one was injured. The hail stripped orchards of their leaves and did an immense amount of damage to crops. But meager information can be secured from points east of here on account of the telegraph lines being down.

Severe Storm In New Hampshire.

Manchester, N. H., June 14.—This city was visited yesterday afternoon by a severe hail and thunder storm. The streets were badly washed out. Lightning struck the First Methodist church in East Manchester and practically destroyed the tower. The Sunday school session was in progress at the time, and there was an unusually large attendance. The pastor and assistants barely avoided a panic.

To Inspect Land For New Park.

Albany, June 14.—The state fisheries, forest and game commission will leave on Wednesday to inspect the land offered for sale for the new St. Lawrence park, to form a portion of the international park which the state and Canada are establishing along that river. There are 40 individual offers for the sale of this land, aggregating some 2,000 acres.

Damaged by a Cyclone.

Kingston, Jamaica, June 14.—A cyclone has struck St. Vincent island of the Windward group, seriously damaging some of the public buildings, injuring a number of persons at Georgetown, capsizing a sloop and drowning three of the crew.

TRIED TO KILL FAURE

A Bomb Thrown at the French President In His Carriage.

TWO MEN ARRESTED ON SUSPICION.

The Perpetrator Is Supposed to Have Been an Insane Man—The Crowd Attacks and Roughly Handles a Policeman, Thinking Him the Culprit.

Paris, June 14.—An attempt was made yesterday to assassinate M. Felix Faure, the president of the French republic, while he was en route to Longchamps to witness the Grand Prix.

While M. Faure's carriage was passing a thicket near La Cascade restaurant in the Bois de Boulogne, a bomb, which subsequently proved to be a piece of tubing about 6 inches long and 2 inches in diameter, with a thickness of half an inch, charged with powder and swan shot, exploded.

No one was injured by the explosion. A man in the crowd suspected as the prime mover was arrested. He gave his name as Gallet and made only the briefest replies to questions put to him by the police.

Gallet said that he had no occupation but resided at Lovallois-Perrot. The police are making a thorough search of his lodging.

He is believed to be insane, for he shouted as the carriage passed along so loudly as to attract general attention in the crowd. The police have also made another arrest, in this case a youth, but it is thought probable that the actual culprit escaped in the thicket.

The news of the attempt spread like wildfire through the city, and when M. Faure returned to the Elysee the streets along the route where it was known he would drive were crowded with people who cheered him vociferously.

It was at first reported that the would be assassin was a young man about 25, who stood in the crowd 100 yards or more from the race course and discharged a pistol at M. Faure as he drove up to the entrance, and there was a subsequent report that both pistol and bomb were used, but the police now believe that the supposed pistol shot was merely the noise of the bomb.

The Bomb a Clumsy Affair.

The bomb was a clumsily made affair, to which a piece of fuse was attached, and the fuse was probably lighted by a taper fixed in the end of a stick as soon as the head of the procession came into view. The presumption is that the moment the fuse was lighted the culprit fled, and in any case the bomb could not have done much harm.

In the thicket where the police found the remnants of the bomb they found also a pistol upon which were engraved the words "Mort a Felix Faure" and the names "Alsace-Lorraine" and "Cologne." Near the pistol was a small dagger, bearing a similar threatening inscription, and a few feet away the police found a newspaper, with a cartoon grossly insulting to the president. This contained an offensive inscription hinting at the execution of M. Faure.

Several persons have stated to the police that the moment the explosion occurred a man was seen to run swiftly into the thicket, but reports of this character are more likely to be mere conjecture.

A press correspondent had an interview with an official who was riding with M. Faure, who said:

"When the report was heard, a dense cloud of smoke rose from the thicket, and there was terrible consternation until it was found that no one had been injured. The police sprang forward, but found the thicket deserted.

"When the crowd saw one of the policeman holding the bomb, they jumped to the conclusion that he was the perpetrator of the outrage and handled him roughly, clubbing him with heavy walking sticks and umbrellas until his comrades rescued him, badly bruised and covered with blood. The president's cortege then proceeded to the race course."

The attempt on the life of M. Faure was made on the very spot where Berezowsky tried to shoot the czar while driving to the military review at Longchamps in 1867 and where Francois, a lunatic, last year fired his revolver at M. Faure, on July 14.

Having this in mind, the police took extra precautions. Special officers were detailed to watch suspects and for searching houses known to be the resort of dangerous characters.

On his arrival at the race course M. Faure was warmly congratulated on his escape by the Grand Duke Sergius, M. Hanotaux and other members of the cabinet.

His sang froid will greatly increase his popularity. Some of the papers assert that Rousteaux, the detective, actually saw the man who threw the bomb and grappled with him, but was unable to hold him in the melee. It is also rumored that the prefect of police has information connecting the Paris anarchists with the outrage, but it is more generally believed that the act was that of a madman and not of a conspirator. The pistol found by the police was loaded, but was of too small a caliber to be very dangerous.

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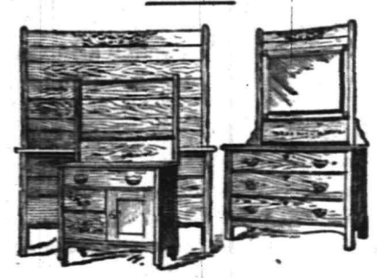

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W. J. Conroy and family, of Somerset street, were the guests of relatives at Mt. Horeb, yesterday.

Something to Know.

It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or $1.00 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's Drug Store.

—Next Sunday morning, the pastor, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., will preach his tenth anniversary sermon as pastor of Trinity Reformed church.

The Grandest Remedy.

Mr. R. B. Greeve, merchant, of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottles free at L. W. Randolph's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. Shepard, of Somerville, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S Thatcher, of New street.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman fo the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Albert Baldwin and wife, of Jersey City, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Van Emburgh, East Second street.

"There's no use in talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, La Cygne, Kas., "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy does the work. After taking medicines of my own preparation and those of others, I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—The Epworth League of Grace M. E. church will join the League of the First M. E. church on their bicycle run to Metuchen this evening.

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—The Sunday-school of Trinity Reformed church will commence their morning sessions, instead of afternoon, as now, next Sunday morning at 9:30.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

SENATE'S PROGRAMME.

What Will Occupy Congress During the Week.

Washington, June 14.—The sugar schedule of the tariff bill is expected to continue to be the subject of consideration in the senate for the next day or two. The Hawaiian treaty and anti-trust amendments are still to be disposed of, and both will excite considerable debate. With the sugar question settled the agricultural schedule, which has been partially considered, will be again taken up and will in turn be followed by the tobacco schedule, if in the meantime the Republicans agree upon its provisions. The Republican managers hope to also dispose of the spirit and cotton schedules during the week and possibly to make some progress with the hemp and flax provisions.

There will be no great amount of debate on either cotton or spirits. There was at one time talk of an attempt to add compensatory duties on cotton goods because of the duty fixed on raw cotton, but this is understood to have been abandoned, if ever seriously contemplated. The Democrats do not find the present schedule objectionable except in minor details and will allow it to go through with but little discussion.

The Republican managers now hope that the debate in the senate will be concluded within the next two weeks, notwithstanding less than one-third of the bill has been gone over. They have secured an agreement with the Democrats that the sessions shall begin at 11 o'clock each day instead of 12 after Wednesday next.

The house probably will continue its policy of adjourning from Monday over to Thursday and from Thursday until the following Monday. No business will be done, and the sessions today and Thursday will be only perfunctory.

A WILL CONTEST.

The Estate of the Spite House Builder Will Be Fought Over.

New York, June 14.—The $30,000,000 estate of Joseph Richardson, the eccentric millionaire whose funeral took place on Friday, will be divided only after a contest. This promises to be one of the most notable fights over an estate on record in the American courts.

No formal notice of contest has been filed, but the two children of the millionaire, through their lawyers, have offered for probate a will made by Joseph Richardson on Oct. 29, 1894. Another will, bearing date of April 24, 1897, was read in the presence of the beneficiaries Friday evening at the "spite house," in which Richardson died. The latter will will be offered for probate by Mayo W. Hazeltine and Thomas Darlington, attorneys for Mrs. Richardson.

In the 1894 will Richardson made no provision for his wife. His son, George Richardson of Bridgeport, Conn., and his daughter, Miss Della Richardson, are given the entire estate. By the last will each of the children is given one-third of the estate after two small bequests to the Rev. Henry M. Warren and the Central Park Baptist church are paid, while the widow is given the other third.

A legacy of $10,000,000 each from their father seems to have proved disappointing to George and Della Richardson, and they will endeavor through the courts to obtain $5,000,000 more each. They have retained Miller, Peckham & Dixon, and Wheeler H. Peckham will devote himself personally to the fight. The result can only be a will contest compared with which nearly every other contest in the history of American courts will seem insignificant.

A STUPENDOUS CLAIM.

How a Money Lender's Son Wants His Father's Estate Settled.

San Francisco, June 14.—Asa W. Fisk of Boston, son of the late noted money lender of this city by a former marriage, has brought suit to have his father's estate held in trust until certain claims, amounting to $1,099,064, have been settled. Fisk says that when his father left Boston in the early days to come to California he took with him the claimant's savings, amounting to $187.50.

He alleges that this formed the basis for the money lender's fortune and that it was agreed that the money should be invested in the son's favor. The latter claims that this money, loaned out at the rate of interest usually charged by his deceased father, would now amount to $954,368. He makes a further claim against the estate for $144,696, which he says his father lost by injudicious investments in Tacoma lands. The claimant was cut off in his father's will, hence the action.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS

Secretary Long has amended the rules relative to the employment of labor in the navy yards so as to favor in appointments the veterans of the late war.

The boiler of a locomotive exploded at St. Johns, N. F., killing Engineer Glasgow, whose terribly mutilated body was found over 100 feet away. The fireman and a brakeman were frightfully scalded.

The strike of the iron molders at the General Electric company's river works at Lynn, Mass., that has been in effect since Oct. 16, 1895, has been declared off by the Lynn lodge of Iron and Brass Molders' International union.

It is announced that a new volcano has broken out about two-thirds of a mile from Tehuantepec, Mexico. In the seismic disturbance incidental to the opening of the volcano the village of Mistiquilla was destroyed. The fatalities, if any, are not reported.

J. M. Matthews, of Wesson, Miss., was found dead in bed at Washington. He was a candidate for United States marshal for the southern district of Mississippi and was chairman of the Mississippi delegation at the St. Louis convention. Death was due to apoplexy.

During a heavy thunder shower at Attleboro, Mass., the steeple of the Second Congregational church was struck by lightning and badly damaged. The church was filled with children at the time, but no one was injured. The fire department was called out to remove the debris of the shattered steeple.

A Large Schooner Launched.

Cleveland, June 14.—The steel schooner Polynesia, sister ship of the Amazon, which recently took out of Chicago the largest grain cargo ever carried on the lakes, has been launched. The Polynesia, which is owned by James Corrigan, is 388 feet in length and has a capacity of 5,000 tons on a draft of 16 feet.

STATE PRINTING BIDS

Lively Times Expected at Albany When They Are Put In.

CHARGES OF IRRESPONSIBILITY MADE

Some of the Firms Said to Be Ready to Mandamus the Board to Keep It From Letting the Contract to Others.

Albany, June 14.—There promises to be a lively time at the meeting of the state printing board tomorrow, when the contract will be let for doing the legislative printing for two years. The present state printers, Wynkoop, Hallenbeck & Crawford of New York city, have been the subject of attack for some time by the other printing concerns formerly doing state printing. Claims were made that the state was being systematically robbed, and a libel suit, in which it is claimed sensational developments will be brought to light, is now pending.

The bids that the board will consider tomorrow are made by The Argus company, The Journal company, Weed & Parsons Printing company and the Wynkoop, Hallenbeck, Crawford company of Albany, and Charles Tollmer, Jr., of Brooklyn.

Some of the Bidding.

Figuring on the bids shows Charles Tollmer's bid to be the lowest, in the neighborhood of $72,000. The next lowest bid is that of the Wynkoop, Hallenbeck, Crawford company, the present state printers, at about $77,000. Mr. Tollmer's bid is about $4,000 less than the price at which the contract was let last year.

The law calls for the awarding of the contract to the lowest responsible bidder, without any other discretion, by the board, and upon this hinges the statement that some of the other bidders will mandamus the board to keep it from letting the contract to either Tollmer or the Wynkoop company on the grounds of irresponsibility, and that the bids are below market value and consequently not to be relied upon.

It is said that the Tollmer bid will be withdrawn, Tollmer being an employee of the Wynkoop company, and the bid being merely a blind.

Fatal Fight Over a Game.

Plainfield, N. J., June 14.—Two Italians, Frank Cresso and James Dato, got into a dispute over a game of cards at the "shanty," a notorious Italian resort about a mile from here, and ended the matter by a fierce fight with knives. Both men are now at the hospital, and it is stated that they will in all probability die. They both received some bad slashes. One of the men was severely stabbed in the groin, and the other had a lung perforated. The men lost so much blood by the time they reached the hospital that their condition was very low.

Will Declared a Forgery.

San Francisco, June 14.—Judge Coffey has rendered a sensational decision in connection with the contest over the estate of the late Dr. Charles A. James of this city, holding that an alleged marriage contract under which a young woman named Laura Millen laid claim to half of the estate, was a forgery and that her child was not the child of the decedent as she claimed in order to secure the rest of the estate. The estate, which is valued at about $50,000, will be distributed among the eastern heirs.

A Phenomenal Hailstorm.

Cincinnati, June 14.—A special from Parkersburg, W. Va., says: A phenomenal hailstorm has occurred here on the line of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad east of this city. The storm showered broken ice from 2 to 3 inches long and an inch thick with such force that forest trees were denuded as completely as in midwinter, and crops were totally destroyed for many miles, and horses, cattle and sheep became frantic and uncontrollable from fright and pain.

An Appeal In the Fair Case.

San Francisco, June 14.—Notice of appeal to the supreme court has been filed by Van R. Paterson, representing minor heirs, and by J. S. Angus, T. C. Rothers and W. S. Goodfellow, trustees, from the decision rendered in the superior court on April 15 last in favor of Teresa Oelrich, Virginia and Charles Fair, decreeing the partial distribution of certain properties to the James G. Fair estate.

Princeton's Best Men.

Princeton, N. J., June 14.—Princeton senior class statistics have been compiled and announced as follows: Handsomest man, H. C. Brokaw; best football player, W. W. Church; best baseball player, Jerome Bradley; best all round athlete, Fred J. Smith; funniest man, Lady Jayne; best musician, Luke Miller; best all around man, Albert Tyler.

Cleveland's Degree.

Princeton, N. J., June 14.—In reference to the rumor that an honorary degree of L.L. D. will be conferred upon Grover Cleveland next Wednesday the university authorities are reticent in giving information, and a confirmation or denial cannot be obtained. It is the prevailing opinion among the professors and students that the report is true.

Death of an Old Dartmouth Graduate.

Clinton, Mass., June 14.—Charles G. Stevens, 75 years old, has died here of old age. He was a native of New Hampshire and graduated from Dartmouth college in 1840. He was a judge in the law courts of eastern Worcester county for a number of years and has represented the town in both branches of the legislature.

Shot by a Negro Tramp.

Westfield, Mass., June 14.—Freight Conductor Henry Hoisington was shot in the face here by a negro tramp whom he had warned from his train. The negro fired one shot, which broke the conductor's jaw. Search was made for the assailant, but he made his escape in the darkness.

Boiled While Alive.

Brooklyn, June 14.—John Carey, 44 years old, of 237 Nassau avenue, fell into a tank of boiling water in the Kings County Oil works and was fatally boiled.

Weather Predictions.

Generally fair weather, preceded by showers on the coast.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

For Tonight and Tuesday Fair, With Possibly Thunder Showers Tuesday Afternoon; Warmer.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 81 Degrees.

SUCCESS OF THE FETE CHAMPETRE.

The women of the Town Improvement Association fairly outdid themselves with their Fete Champetre. It was grand, original and pleasurable, in every essential a complete success Even the most enthusiastic promoters of the event did not anticipate that it would result in such a conglomeration of spectacular and entertaining effects as was realized and commented upon by the Democratic assemblage who gathered there to enjoy the details as well as to unconsciously contribute their share to the kaleidoscopic picture of life and gayety observed on the broad and finely-cared-for lawns of Mrs. Pierre Mali—the Fete Champetre's sponsor. True, it was only due to the generous and energetic efforts of all concerned in the organization that the event came to such a success, but Mrs. Mali seemed to be the moving spirit and to her, if anybody, distinguished mention should be given in connection with words of credit for the achievement of that of which is to be for the benefit of Plainfield people.

REPUBLICANS BEGIN TO STIR.

The Republicans of Union county are beginning to wake up after the rest that followed the national election and are now preparing again to take the field. The county committee held a meeting Saturday afternoon, and organized. Charles N. Codding, of Westfield, was chosen president, H. F. Crane, of Union, vice president, Charles Reed, of Rahway, was made secretary, and Samuel Ogden, of Elizabeth, treasurer. Ed Woodruff, of Elizabeth, and J. W. Murray, Jr., were made the Republican members of the County Board of Canvassers.

WANTS $3,000 FOR ALLEGED ASSAULT.

John Keeley Brings Suit Against William Callaham—Both Hackmen.

Two well known hackmen of this city are now involved in a lawsuit in the Supreme Court of New Jersey, the papers for which were filed in Trenton, today. The suit is to recover damages for an alleged assault.

Swackhamer & Williams started a suit today for their client, John Keeley, against William Callahan for $3,000. The suit is to recover damages for an assault, which Keeley alleges was committed last February. He claims that there were some words between the two at the North Avenue station and that Callahan started for him and assaulted him with the stock of a whip, beating him almost insensible. Callahan denies that anything of the kind occurred. He is represented in the case by McNabb & Clark.

Caught at Last.

Last November, an Italian named Joe Long was arrested for stealing chickens of Evan Jones. He was held in $50 bail and jumped the bail. Yesterday, Patrolman Myers met Joe on the street and suggested that they take a walk to see the chief. Joe consented and they reached Berkman street safely when the Italian fled without warning. Myers was close behind and soon overhauled Joe. The Italian was locked up. When he was searched a razor was found upon him. This morning Joe was arraigned before the City Judge charged was carrying concealed weapons. He admitted that he had been and was fined $15. The charge for stealing was allowed to drop.

Didn't Support His Children.

George Whiteley was brought up before City Judge DeMeza again this morning on the charge of non-support of his two children, one in Bayonne and one here. He was committed to jail in default of the payment of the money due them.

Remember the Time.

The Christian Endeavor Bicycle Squad will start on its run to Mount Pleasant, tomorrow, at 7:15 o'clock and not at 7:35 as was stated Saturday.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—Trunks a specialty—Doane & Edsall's.

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The fac simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional local news on the third page.

—Members of Plainfield Engine Company, No. 2, are requested to be at the house promptly at 7:30 p. m. tomorrow evening.

—Another attachment has been filed against the property of Dr. John D. Wood, this time in the suit of Powlison & Jones.

—Tomorrow afternoon a meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Grace M. E. church will be held in the church.

—A special meeting of the Exempt Firemen's Association will be held in their rooms, Wednesday. An entertainment will be given.

—Never borrow a tooth brush. Peck has a large stock of them. All sizes and prices which he bought to sell to you when in need of one.

—The class exercises of the Junior Society of Christian Endeavor of Trinity Reformed church will be held on Thursday afternoon of this week.

—The Grace M. E. church tennis association has received and accepted an invitation to play with the Epworthians at Dunellen next Saturday afternoon.

—Schepflin, Schultz & Co., commenced giving their employes a Saturday half holiday last Saturday. This will continue during the summer season.

—Mrs. Mary O. Durgea, of Newark, will be present at the meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society in Trinity Reformed church tonight and make an address. Everybody welcome.

—Every member of the Crescent Wheelmen is urged to attend a special meeting of great importance to be held at the clubhouse on Wednesday evening of this week at 8:30 sharp.

—Commencing with next Saturday evening there will be dancing every Saturday at the Hotel Hunterston. Rogers's orchestra has been engaged for the season and will play three times every day.

—A very important meeting of the Mutual Aid Society of the Pond Tool Works will be held this week, and every member is requested to attend as business of the utmost importance will be considered.

—Arrangements are about completed for the "Rainbow Lawn Festival," to be held under the auspices of the Queen Esther Band of Grace M. E. church, on the lawn adjoining the church, Friday, June 25th.

—The frightful condition of East Front street, near Cole's hill, is worthy of severe criticism. A large quantity of stone has been placed there to fill up a few holes and it is impossible for a wheel to pass through at that point.

—Tomorrow, Edward White will put on sale a line of fine French organdies, beautiful styles, at one half their real value. In their shirt waist department they will sell fifty dozen fine shirt waists at one half former prices.

—There is to be a re-union of the students of Friends' School at Providence, R. I., June 22d. This is the 113th anniversary in the annals of the institution, and it now recalls its children to its ancient seat, from all parts of the country, to join in the sports of youth, in reminiscences and congratulations.

—Arrangements have been made in Rahway to have the houses numbered and names of streets marked preparatory for free postal delivery, which goes in effect on July 1st. Twenty five or more letter-boxes are to be placed at convenient points. There will be three carriers employed and five held in reserve.

—The Morris county branch of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has inaugurated a crusade against the killing of song-birds, and the useless destruction of all birds' nests. It has just published and circulated copies of the State law, which forbids the destruction of nests in the months of March, April, May, June, July and August, and provides a penalty of $5 for each offence.

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SERVICES FOR CHILDREN

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second part of the services. Those taking part in it were Ray T. Snodgrass, Roland Horne, Elmer Cattin, and the Misses Etta Raybert, Cora Shepard, Flora Campbell and Edna Harris.

The church was prettily decorated with daisies and roses.

CRESCENT AVENUE CHURCH.

A special children's service was held in the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church yesterday morning The pulpit was tastefully decorated with flowers. A large choir of children's voices led the singing, and the pastor, Rev Dr. Wm. R. Richards, preached an eloquent sermon on the significance and the opportunities of childhood. At the close of the sermon an offering was taken for Sabbath school missionary work. At half past 2 o'clock the children gathered in the Sunday school room and enjoyed a service of song and responsive readings. Superintendent Murray read a letter of greeting to the children from Dr. James A. Worden, of the Presbyterian Board of Sabbath school Work, and another letter from a boy in Utah, whom the school is helping to educate. A short address was made by Rev. Dr. Livermore, of New Market. The scholars then presented their mite boxes containing offerings for Sabbath school missions, and the pastor dismissed the school with a benediction.

ALL SOULS' CHURCH.

Children's Day was appropriately observed in All Souls' church, yesterday. At the regular morning service the pulpit platform and desk were banked up with roses, peonies and daisies, and overhead running vines were prettily festooned. Before the sermon, eight little children were baptized. The handsome silver baptismal bowl, which was used in the service for the first time, was a gift the church. Upon its side is engraved the following inscription: "To the Glory of God and in loving memory of Mrs. Sarah Stout, a benefactor of All Souls' church. Died, April 7, 1896." Much pleasant interest was aroused by the fact that Kenneth Safford Gaston, the first child to be baptized, is the son of the first couple who were married in the church. The pastor, Rev. A. C. Nickson, preached an appropriate sermon on "The Religion of Little Children."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

At the First Presbyterian church, yesterday morning, the Children's Day exercises were held, and the Primary Department took a prominent part in the programme. There were several recitations and the members rendered a number of special songs. A feature was the reading of Dr. Worden's annual letter relative to mission work. Miss Grace Overton read the letter in a very pleasing manner. The pastor, Rev. C. E. Herring, made an appropriate address which the children all enjoyed as well as the older ones. The singing of special music by the entire school was a pleasing feature. During the service a pretty duet was rendered by Miss Charlotte Messersmith and Miss Kittie Glen. Altogether the service was one of the best yet presented and all in attendance fully enjoyed it.

PARK AVENUE BABTIST CHURCH.

There was no regular session of the Sunday-school of the Park Avenue Baptist church, yesterday, the Children's Day exercises being held in the morning in place of the regular morning service. The address of welcome was given by Miss Nellie Giles. There were also recitations by the Misses Marion Shotwell, Retta Nash, Delise Purdy and Marion Dickenson The pastor of the church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, made the address of the morning, which was of an appropriate character. The church was tastefuly decorated with roses and daisies, banked about the desk and platform.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Children's Day service was held in the Congregational church, yesterday. The decorations were chiefly of daisies and roses, and were unusually tasteful. The primary department assembled in their own room, and marched to their place directly in front of the pulpit, with flowers in their hands, and singing "Here we come, here we come over hill and dale." The service included the christening of several little children, the presentation of Bibles to baptized children who had reached the age of seven years, a quartette by the choir a tenor solo by Robert Clark, songs by the school, under the leadership of the precentor, Frank O. Bristol, and the graduation of a class from the primary department. The class includes Edna Conde, Maud Emmons, Myra Emmons, Edith Glaentzer, Annie Jerolman, Eddie Grant, Arthur Robinson and Carl Steiner, but only five were present. These marched upon the platform, repeated the "Shepherd Psalm," the Creed, and the Lord's prayer, listened to a short address from the pastor, Rev. Charles Lyman Goodrich, and were presented with testaments, the gift of the school.

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

The special services at the First Baptist church were held in the morning. The exercises by the children preceded the regular church service, when a short but pleasing programme was presented consisting of welcome address, by Jerry Manning; vocal trio, "What the Birdies Teach;" recitation, "The Seed is the Word," Beulah Van Winkle; chorus, "While Sabbath Bells," by the Primary Department. The regular service then followed and there was special music by the church choir with vocal solos by Miss Harris, Mrs. Ward, William Holmes and G. W. Smith. There was an interesting and appropriate sermon by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Yerkes. The decorations were pretty and the flowers used were from the conservatories of C. W. McCutchen and L. W. Serrell.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH.

The following programme was presented by the Sunday-school at the Mt. Olive Baptist church, yesterday afternoon: "The Child's Creed," primary department, recitation, Orabella Gibson; song, Anna Fisher; recitations, Edna Scudder, Ethel Kline, Ella Phillips, Etta Kingston, Sadie Doyle, Annie Connett and Anna Ross; addresses, Rev. Dr. Yerkes and Rev. P. S. Gibson; song, primary department. The primary department was in charge of Miss May E. Howlett, superintendent, and the general exercises were in charge of Superintendent M. C. Dobbins. At the close a handsome bouquet of roses was presented to the superintendent by the Sunday-school.

WARREN CHAPEL.

Appropriate and interesting were the exercises held at Warren chapel yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the Sunday-school. The programme was as follows: Singing by the school and primary department; address, Rev. Dr. W. R. Richards, telling of Miss Rachel Maier's work in Africa; recitations, "'Tis Such a Beautiful Story," Mamie Squires; "Jesus Loves Little Children." Edith Squires; "My Work," Pauline Smith, Anna Herlitz, Maggie Maier, May Seader, Ida Wilson, Lottie Brown; "The Children's Mission," primary department; reading of letter from Miss Rachel Maier, of Africa, to the members of Warren chapel, Superintendent Lovell; address by the pastor, Rev. J. O. McKelvey. The collection for Foreign Missions amounted to $18.35.

DEATH OF ALBERT A. DRAKE.

Passing of a Prominent Westfield Man From This World.

Albert A. Drake, an old and well known resident of Westfield, died at his home in that place at 4 o'clock yesterday morning, after a two weeks' illness. Last Sunday an operation was performed by the attending physicians, Drs. Cooper, of Westfield, and Green, of Elizabeth. It was generally supposed that his condition was improving, until the announcement of his death was made. Mr. Drake was in the 64th year of his age, and is survived by a wife and one daughter. Mrs. Drake is a sister of Mrs. Joseph W. Sandford, of West Seventh street, this city.

Mr. Drake was born in New York city. After receiving his education he entered as clerk in a wholesale grocery. He afterward went into the office of his brother, forming a partnership under the firm name of J. M. Drake & Co. During the war he was made captain of Company G, 37th New York State Volunteers. He had a handsome estate of about 50 acres in Westfield. He was an organizer of the Westfield Athletic Club and a member of the New York Stock Exchange. The funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at his late residence in Westfield.

Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Dorst, of Millbrook, Conn., have removed to Plainfield, where they will take up their residence with Mrs. Dorst's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hand, of East Fifth street.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

John Auten entertained friends from Bound Brook over Sunday.

Miss Holmes, of Plainfield, was entertained by friends last Saturday.

A. D. Pope, of Plainfield, is doing considerable painting in the borough.

Dr. R. E. Myers, of Trenton, is the guest of Bergen Brokaw, for a few days.

Mrs. Walter Clawson has returned from New York, where she visited her parents.

Miss Young, of Plainfield, was the guest of friends in the borough last Saturday.

Dr. Gaston, formerly of this place, has resumed some of his practice in the borough.

George Day has organized a kindergarten department in connection with his art school.

The public school at Greenbrook will close this week Thursday for the summer vacation.

The members of the Dunellen Gun Club are arranging a shoot to be held in the near future.

Tomorrow evening Rev. Frank Fletcher will deliver his interesting lecture "Sherman's March of the Sea," at the M. E. church.

The local Sunday-schools all observed Children's Day yesterday with appropriate exercises. The attendance at each was very large.

Among those who played tennis on the grounds of the Dunellen Tennis Club Saturday afternoon last was Bert Richardson, of Plainfield. Mr. Richardson is one of the best players in this vicinity.

Rev. F. E. Peterson, pastor of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, is visiting friends at New Auburn, Minn., and his pulpit was occupied last Saturday by Rev. A. I. Martine, pastor of the Presbyterian church.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

John Marsh is suffering from an attack of chills and fever.

Horace Hand, of Elizabeth, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in town.

Miss Emma Clark led the Christian Endeavor meeting in the Baptist church last evening.

Miss Susie Edwards and Mrs. George Clark and son spent Sunday with frieds in Oak Tree.

Thomas M. Paff, Sr., and E. A. Wright went fishing in the Passaic river Saturday, and brought home a fine mess.

Landlord Blimm has commenced preparations for the Knights of Phthias dinner, which is to be held at his hotel next Sunday.

Patsy Christmas, of this place, has been awarded a contract for work upon the new sewer system to be constructed in Linden township.

The Children's Day exercises in the M. E church yesterday afternoon were of a very interesting character and included recitations and singing by the primary department and vocal solos by Miss Nellie Hollingsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Turton and son, William, returned Friday evening, from a visit of several days in New York city. Mr. Turton while absent attended the annual convention of the Order of the Eastern Star, which was held in the Masonic Temple, Sixth avenue and 23d street, on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Mr. Turton was highly honored by being elected to the office of Right Worthy Grand Marshal of the Grand Chapter of the State of New York.

LINCOLN.

The building being erected by Contractor Whitlock for Lyman Cronk, manufacturer of sash, doors and blinds, is rapidly nearing completion.

The carpenter shop and office being erected on Lincoln Boulevard for Daniel Whitlock, the contractor, is finished and is about to be painted.

George H. Murphy, the plumber, has given out the contaact for a store and dwelling to be built at once on the lot adjoining the one owned by The Daily Press on Lincoln avenue.

WESTFIELD

TWO MORE VICTORIES.

WESTFIELD BASEBALL TEAMS DOWN STELTON AND CRANFORD.

Local Enthusiasts Saw a Fine Game at Drake Park, Saturday, in Which the Home Players Won, 7 to 3—Children's Day.

Westfield baseball enthusiasts will long remember last Saturday as a red letter day. It marks the defeat of the strong Stelton Athletic Club team by the Westfield Club nine on the home grounds, by the score of 7 to 3. The contest was an exciting one and its final result could not be foretold at any time during the game. Westfield started off finely with three runs in the first. The Steltons scored no runs until the ninth when they managed to get one man to the home plate. In the eighth two more runs were scored by the visitors, making the score a tie on uneven innings. In the last half of the eighth, Westfield pounded the ball hard and brought in four runs. Higging then went into the box and retired the Steltons' batters in one, two, three order, giving the game to Westfield by the score of 7 to 3 on uneven innings.

Children's Day was celebrated in the Westfield churches with appropriate services yesterday. The churches were all decorated with flowers. Baptism of children took place, and special sermons to children were preached, with recitations and songs by the Sunday school pupils.

The Foresters will hold a meeting in their lodge rooms tonight.

Elnathan Smith, of New York, visited his friends in town last week.

Master Irving Douglas is able to be out again after a two weeks' illness.

Joseph A. Blackbourne has returned from a visit with friends in Jersey City.

Harold Nicholas, of Washington, D. C., is visiting Harry A. Knight, of Elm street.

Mrs. James White, of Lawrence avenue, is spending the summer in the Catskills.

The Hook and Ladder company meets in the fire department rooms on North avenue, this evening.

Harry P. Condit is spending a vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Condit, of Elm street.

The four young children of Mr. and Mrs. William Dallas, of Prospect street, are ill with whooping cough.

The trustees of Fairview cemetery will hold a meeting in the Public Library rooms, on Broad street, this evening.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will meet in the church parlor tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Miss Kittie Brittingham, who has been teaching in the south for the past year, is visiting her parents on Cumberland street.

At the meeting of Central Council, No. 131, Jr. O. U. A. M., held last Friday evening, nominations of officers for the ensuing term were made. The election will take place the 25th inst.

The postal authorities at Washington have changed the name of Baltus Roll post-office. It will hereafter be called Mountainside. William Schoonover, the new postmaster, will enter upon his duties July 1st.

John McCormick, who received a wound in the leg last week from the accidental discharge of a revolver which he was cleaning, is now much improved. The surgeons have not yet succeeded in extracting the ball from the wound.

A special committee of the Westfield Board of Education went to Cranford Saturday evening to confer with the school trustees of that place regarding the establishment of a public school at Garwood, to be conducted by the two boards jointly.

The Westfield Stars defeated the Cranford Junior baseball team in a hotly contested ten-inning game, on the North Broad street grounds, Saturday morning. The score at the end of the ninth innings was a tie. In the tenth Westfield gained one run, and won, 13 to 12.

Alfred Wilson, who has charge of the elevator at White's store, on Front street, is so far recovered from his recent severe illness that he is able to sit up once more.

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Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2.00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

UNDER HORSE'S HOOFS.

Dangerous Fall of a Bicyclist on a Slippery Roadway.

An accident occurred on Park avenue, near Second street, this morning in which Mr. Chamberlain, of Madison avenue, on a wheel, and Eldridge Kline, colored, in a wagon, were the principals. Mr. Chamberlain's wheel slipped in the mud and water which was in abundance, and both he and the wheel went under the horse's feet. In the fall Mr. Chamberlain's face came in contact with the hind feet of the horse and was badly scratched and scarred. He was picked up and taken to Armstrong's pharmacy where his wounds were dressed. Later he was taken home. Mr. Kline, who drives for Mr. Work, of 407 West Seventh street, is not blamed by those who saw the accident for he was driving slow and made no attempt to run into Mr. Chamberlain.

Spoke on "Sowing and Reaping."

The Salvation Army hall was well filled last night with an appreciative audience to hear J. W. Pierce, the picture evangelist. He spoke very forcibly on "Sowing and Reaping," and also very beautifully illustrated the life scenes of Jesus from the manger to the throne. The phonograph also gave an interesting sacred recital. Mr. Pierce will give tonight an illustrated lecture on "Our Flag and its Friends and Foes," giving many scenes of the late war. He will give a patriotic address.

Property Transfers.

The following property transfer was recorded at County Clerk Howard's office, June 5th to 10th, inclusive: A. D. Thompson, et ux., Plainfield, to Freeman Stelle, Millington; lots 25 and 27, Netherwood map, Berkeley avenue, Plainfield; $1. The following contract has also been filed: Plainfield Sanitary Company with W. J. Pierson and Henry Gable, contractors, carpentering, painting, etc., house, Dunellen avenue, Plainfield; $953.

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Commencing Sunday, June 13, the B. & O. R. R. will place in service, between Baltimore and Chicago, Pullman Observation Sleeping Cars. The cars have a saloon parlor in the rear, furnished with easy arm chairs, upholstered revolving chairs and sofas. This will enable passengers to view with better advantage the scenic wonders that have made the B. & O. famous. 6 11 3

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Two women cyclers whose names were kept a secret attempted, on Saturday afternoon, to coast down the steep declivity and were thrown from their wheels and injured so badly that they were taken in carriages to a physician to be patched up. One of a party of three wheelmen, from Elizabeth, attempted the same coasting feat upon the hill yesterday, and when about half way down was flung to the side of the road, striking upon his head and cutting it badly. With the aid of his friends he managed to reach the Fanwood station where he took the 4:57 train for Elizabeth, a sadder and a wiser man.

To Remain at the Hospital.

Miss Emma R. Hartranft completed on Saturday her two years' course in the Training School for Nurses at Muhlenberg Hospital. But for the present she will remain at the Hospital, the managers having secured her services as graduate nurse to take special care of the operating room. Miss Hartranft's selection is a well-deserved compliment to her, and at the same time the arrangement is an advantage to the medical staff as thereby they make sure of the scientific care and service in the operating room which is deemed essential to modern surgery.

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DIED.

DRAKE—On Sunday, June 13, at his late residence, Westfield, N. J., Albert A. Drake, in the 64th year of his age.
Funeral services Wednesday, the 16th, at 4 p. m., at his late home. Trains from foot of Liberty street, via Central Railroad of New Jersey, at 2:30 p. m.

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BIG WEEK AMONG THE MATTINGS.

Not a word of argument, simply the cold facts in the shape of description and prices—by yard or roll, it matters not which—there will be a lot of cool matting sold in this store during the next few days.

20-yd rolls of fine Jap Matting..... $2.48 the roll
Extra fine linen warp matting..... 20c. yd
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Special low prices in all-wool Art Squares.

MEN'S OUTING SHIRTS.

Another prominent manufacturer over estimated his output or underestimated the uncertainty of the climate. Result, the consumer gets a buying benefit such as is seldom met with.

Fine Outing Shirts made of fine cheviot, full size..... 32c
Fine Cambric Shirts made of best percale, laundried..... 48c
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At a little price, but the saved pennies here and there count.

Summer corsets..... 39c
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Extra large Turkish towels..... 10c
4 button chamois gloves..... 67c
Best quality percaline lining..... 10c
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Curtain nets for sash curtains..11c
Fine embroideries..... 5c
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A FEW PRICES

Men's all-wool royal blue serge suits, worth $12, at selling out price, $4.50; men's best all wool blue serge suit, worth $16, at selling out price, $5.90; men's fine gray clay serge, all-wool suit, worth $13.50, at selling out price, $5; fine men's gray or dark brown clay diagonal suit, worth $16, selling out price $6.25. No other store in Plainfield will sell the same suit for less than $18. A very fine business suit in all-wool worsted or cassimeres, worth $10, at $4.25; fine men's working suit, worth $8, at $2.50. This suit is all wool and warranted not to fade. Extra fine all-wool silk or satin lined clay diagonal all-wool suit in frocks, worth $20, at $8.25; a very fine English silk-mixed suit, worth not less than $22, at $6.90; over 500 suits in fancy cheviots and overplaids, dark or light colors, that we are selling at $2, $3, $3.50 and $4.50. Every one of them are worth from $8 to $15 of any man's money. Don't wait one minute, but come at once, as you never will have the chance again. Youths' suits in all-wool clay diagonal sacks, worth $10, at $4.50; young men's plaid suits, all wool, worth $8, at $2.90; boy's long pants suit at $2; children's suits, latest style plaids in brown and light colors at $1, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75, worth from $2 to $5; men's fine summer underwear at 15c; men's bicycle suits, $1.75, $2, $2.50 and $3.50, worth from $4 to $10; men's bicycle pants from 35c up. Be on hand early and avoid the rush. Over 2,000 suits to choose from. Durable men's pants at 75c; fine Sunday pants at 95c, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75; every pair of them all wool and they are worth from $2.50 to $6. This closing out sale commences Saturday, June 12, at 7:30 a. m.

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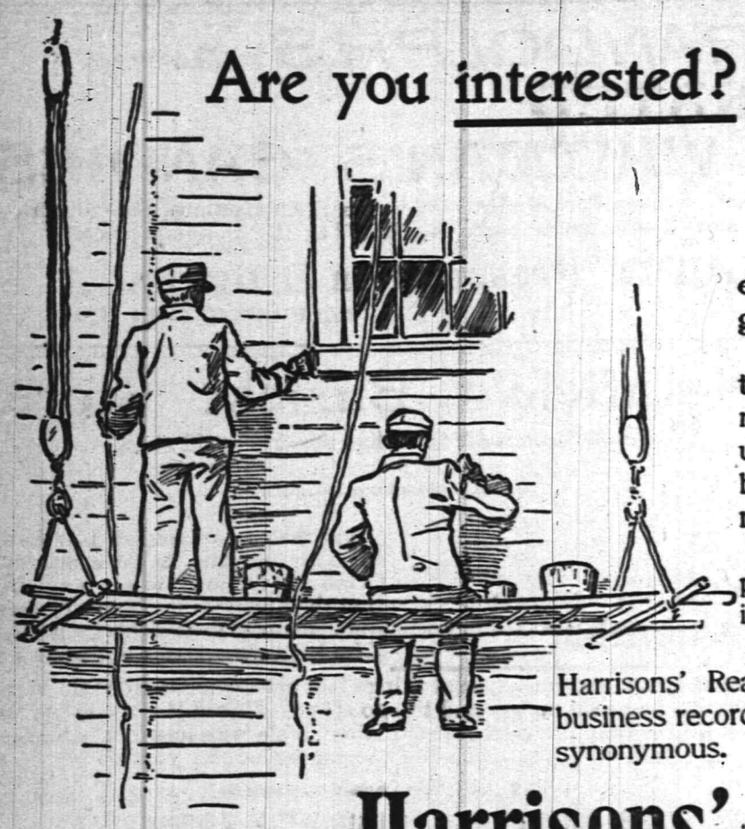

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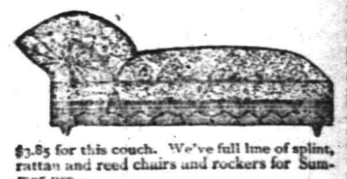

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ALDERMEN IN BELGIUM.

They Would be Voted Slow by American Municipal Experts.

My guide of varied accomplishments combined, as business men abroad often do, the roles of country gentleman, manufacturer, bank president, school trustee, and—broadening the gulf between this kind and the typical American "boss"—he holds the more important position of alderman. In every city the alderman and mayor, or burgomaster, are of high social repute, elected to office because of special fitness for the branch of public affairs they are chosen to manage. Said one, with horror and shame: "We hear that in America aldermen are sometimes—thieves!" The first "alderman of public instruction" to whom I presented my credentials in a Brussels commune proved to be a barrister of note, author of several well-known law treatises. In another commune the alderman of public instruction is professor at the normal school, progressive and public spirited. The alderman responsible for the Ghent schools fills also the chair of political economy at the university, keeps in touch with the methods of other nations, reads the reports of the United States department of labor, and, much to my surprise, identified me at once from having seen my name in one of those volumes. The faculty of the university at Liege has more than one representative in the "college" of aldermen—a suggestive title, losing none of the dignity when applied to the body of brilliant men who administer civic affairs with scrupulous fidelity on broad, wise lines.—Harper's Magazine.

The Whipping Post.

Prior to our Revolution a whipping-post stood in Philadelphia, at the southeast corner of Third and Market streets. They were also to be found in most other American cities at that time. The pillory, which usually accompanied the whipping of criminals, was regarded as a species of public entertainment. The rabble evinced such pleasure in pelting the the culprits with eggs, vegetables, and clods that Watson, in his historical annals of Philadelphia, declared that, inasmuch as these punishments were inflicted only on market days, the price of eggs was then systematically higher than common.

Two centuries ago these punishments were frequently accompanied by the barbarity of slitting the nostrils or clipping the ears of the worst offenders. Afterward the Sheriff usually held up the excised fragments of the ears to the gaze and vociferous applause of the multitude. We have no record indicating that nose or ear-splitting ever prevailed in America, but instead thereof the pitiless pelting of the offenders with mud or eggs was a universal custom bequeathed to us by Old England, and practiced until the date af the revolutionary war. —The Cosmopolitan.

Where the Charge Took Place.

"When you were in the war, did you ever take part in a charge?"

"Frequently."

"And what were your thoughts at the time?"

"That the beans would be all gone before I got there. The charges were invariably upon the cook-house, you know."—Boston Transcript.

THE NEGRO MOSES.

$40,000 Reward offered by Slave ..ers, for Her Capture.

Mrs. Harriet Tubman, once called the "Moses of her people," and for whose head slave-owners offered a reward of $40,000, is in Boston. She was born about 1820, in Maryland, and was the granddaughter of a slave brought from Africa. About 1844 she married a free colored man named John Tubman, but had no children. During the last two years of her slavery she lived in the family of Dr. Thompson. In 1849 the man to whom she belonged died, and by the provisions of the will the slaves were to be set free. His wishes, however, were disregarded, and arrangements were made to dispose of them in the usual way. Previous to the sale, Mrs. Tubman made her escape and reached Philadelphia where she found work and earned money. With this she traveled back to Maryland for her husband, but found that he had married again. Between 1850 and 1860 she made no less than nineteen trips to the South, and spirited away more than 300 slaves. Her work in aiding fugitive slaves enraged the slave-owners, and every effort was made to apprehend her. A reward of $40,000 was finally offered by them for her, either dead or alive. On this account she was able to do but little towards assisting her people between 1852 and 1857. At the breaking out of the war she was sent to the front by Governor Andrew of Massachusetts to act as a spy and scout for the Union armies, and to work in the hospital. This she did for four years without remuneration. She was with the Fifty-Fourth Massachusetts.—Boston Transcript.

If we all came early to avoid the rush we would find it there ahead of us.

Executor's Sale
OF
Valuable Real Estate.

In order to settle up the estate of James Jackson, deceased, the undersigned executor will sell at public auction on the

17th Day of June, A. D. 1897,
AT 3 P. M., AT
Carey's Auction Rooms, 324 West Front Street,

the following valuable pieces of real estate.

First Tract. Known as 409 East Sixth street, being 24 feet front and rear by 98 feet deep, containing dwelling house with ten rooms, modern improvements and in good repair, also barn in good repair.

Second Tract. On Lee place 100 feet southerly from South avenue, being 50 feet front and rear by 100 feet deep, containing two dwelling houses, No. 211 and 213. Will be sold jointly or separately to suit purchasers. Dwellings contain seven rooms each and are in good repair.

Also three houses on East Second street near Berkman street, 23½ feet front and rear each by 240 feet deep. These properties are in good repair and nicely located. Dwellings contain seven rooms each, and are known as No. 717, 719 and 721 East Second street.

Also the following vacant lot located on the corner of Lee place and South avenue and is 100 feet front by 100 feet deep. Is a corner lot and a valuable piece of property.

The above premises will positively be sold to the highest bidder and will afford a grand opportunity for investors as well as parties desiring a home.

Parties desiring to inspect premises may do so at any time before sale.

Parties desiring particular information regarding any of the above premises may call upon the undersigned executor at any time before sale.

Do not miss the opportunity. Be on hand and secure a bargain. Terms easy and made known on day of sale.

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Station in New York foot of Liberty Street. Time Table in Effect MAY 24th, 1897.

PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 30, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 38, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a m; 12 09, 1 18, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 42, 5 25 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28, p. m. Sunday, 3 14, 3 57, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 18, a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30 5 41, 7 01, 8 13 8 33, 10 17, p m.

Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 3 00, 3 30, 5 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45 (5 00 except Saturdays) 5 30, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p. m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 27, 6 29, 8 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 38, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 35, 9 03 10 05, 11 35, p. m; (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 2 35 3 25, 4 05, 4 40, 5 08, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 45, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 30, 10 10 Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m 12 46, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 3 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 15, 7 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night, Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 05, 3 39 5 09, 6 35, 10 15, 7 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 7 45, 8 19 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 3 05 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 30, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53 9 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45 8 28, a m; 2 05, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04 7 00, p. m, Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a m; 6 30, 10 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

6 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

3 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 05 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg

8 11 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

6 25 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

5 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

FOR LONG BRANCH, OCEAN GROVE, ETC.

Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m. 1 15, 3 51, 5 22, 5 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 57, 8 13, 10 27, a.m 1 15, 3 51, 5 22, 5 54, 7 08, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 22 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44 9 45, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 37* 1 17 night. Sundays—6 17, 5 45, 9 55 10 44 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 09* 6 45 p. m., 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 45, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 4 26, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a.m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m., 2 17, 5 34* 6 45 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 10 44 a. m., 5 09*, 6 45, p. m., 1 17 night.

For Buffalo, Chicago and all points West week-days at 9 54 a. m., 8 21 p. m. Sunday 6 35 p. m.

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10 07 a. m. 3 34, 5 22, 7 32 p. m. daily except Sunday. Local for Bound Brook.

11 54 a. m. Daily except Sunday. Local for Mauch Chunk.

12 52 p. m. daily except Sunday. "BLACK DIAMOND EXPRESS" for Rochester and Buffalo.

1 44 p. m. daily except Sunday. Local for Mauch Chunk.

2 34 and 4 58 p. m. daily except Sunday, express for Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Pottsville, Hazleton, Shamokin, and principal intermediate stations.

6 25 p. m. daily. Local for Easton.

7 19 p. m., dailly except Sunday, for Slatington and principal intermediate stations.

7 52 and 9 58 p. m. daily, solid vestibule express for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Chicago, and principal intermediate stations.

9 32 p. m. daily except Sunday. Fast line for Buffalo.

2 15 p. m. Sundays, local for Shamokin.

EASTWARD.

For New York and Brooklyn-Local-6 47, 7 15, 7 43, 9 40, a. m. 2 29, 4 45 and 6 37 p. m. Sunday 9 03 a. m., 2 21, 6 08 p. m. Express—7 25, 8 27, 10 02 a. m. 12 14, 2 17, 5 11, 7 07 and 8 17 p. m. Sundays—7 25 a. m. and 7 07 p. m.

For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 6 48, 7 50, 10 05 a. m. 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. m Sunday 8 00, 9 10 a. m. 2 20 and 6 25 p. m

For Metuchen only 6 25 p. m. except Sunday

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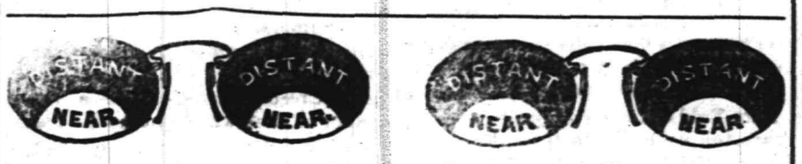

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GUILTY OF MURDER.

The Schulz Case Jury Brings In a Verdict In the First Degree.

Milford, Pa., June 14.—Herman Paul Schulz of New York, who had been on trial since last Tuesday for the murder of his wife, was found guilty of murder in the first degree yesterday. The jury went out at 6 o'clock Saturday night and deliberated until 2 o'clock yesterday before arriving at a verdict. The jurors remained in the courthouse all night, and at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning filed into the courtroom.

The prisoner was brought in, and as he gazed at the jury his face took on a sneering smile. After the jury's verdict had been announced Schulz was led back to his cell, and, as he was passing the jury, he laughed and said, "I thank you, gentlemen, for your verdict."

When he had been placed in his cell at the jail, Schulz was searched by the sheriff and two constables. They found concealed within the lining of his trousers and coat a small saw, a file and a penknife. The prisoner had previously said he meant to cheat the gallows should he be convicted. All efforts to persuade him to eat have failed since the articles were found on him. He was given new clothing and put in another cell.

His counsel have made the usual application for a new trial, and June 28 has been fixed as the date to hear arguments. A special term of court will be held for this purpose.

ESCAPED FROM JAIL.

A Bicycle Thief Picks the Lock of His Cell and Gets Away.

Norristown, Pa., June 14.—Walter Kinney, who was sentenced to prison for a term of five years for stealing a bicycle from the vestibule of a church and for robbing freight cars, has escaped from jail. He has not been recaptured. Kinney effected his escape by picking the lock of his cell door, after which he scaled the stone wall about the jail.

High Constable Bergey, who lives in the rear of the jail, saw Kinney climbing over the wall and hurried to effect his capture. Bergey being very large and corpulent made but slow advance, and the convicted man was over the wall and away before Bergey could reach him.

The constable gave chase, but was unable to catch up to Kinney, the latter several times stopping and laughing at the official's slow progress. Bergey finally gave up the chase. Kinney is 26 years old and came from New Jersey.

DROWNED IN THE HUDSON.

Sad Ending to a Pleasure Party Off Fort Lee.

New York, June 14.—Two men have been drowned, owing to an accident to a catboat in the Hudson off Fort Lee. They were accompanied in the boat by a sister of one of them. She was rescued in an unconscious condition.

The party started from Watkins park. It consisted of Miss Emma Guilmette, her brother, H. F. Guilmette, who is a clerk in the office of Moore & Schley, and W. Morton Smith, employed on The Mail and Express. They sailed on the river until about 3 o'clock, when a squall struck them and overturned the boat.

The launch Lenna Doone, Edward Weston of Newark, N. J., was some distance off. Mr. Weston saw the accident, and, putting on all speed, went to the rescue. Before he succeeded in reaching the boat the two men had disappeared. Miss Guilmette was still floating and was dragged on board the launch, where she revived.

KILLED HIS BROTHER-IN-LAW.

After a Quarrel He Waylays and Shoots Him Through the Heart.

New York, June 14.—A murder was committed in the suburbs of the village of Port Richmond, N. Y., and the murderer made good his escape. Charles Bosenzo, 45 years old, who, with his wife and child, lived on Prospect avenue, went to Sherman avenue to visit a brother-in-law. While there a quarrel was started, and very little can be learned of how it developed into a tragedy.

Dominico Pallendo, the only witness to the killing, simply says Bosenzo was at the home of Gustano P. Ptizzi, his brother-in-law. They fought, and Bosenzo went home and returned later. Ptizzi left his home, walked up and down the road and when Bosenzo approached pointed his pistol at and shot Bosenzo twice and ran away. One bullet struck Bosenzo in the neck, and the other pierced the heart.

YELLOW FEVER IN PORT.

Patient Transferred From a Vessel to Hoffman Island Is Dead.

New York, June 14.—Otto Wernersen, one of the passengers of the steamer Advance detained at Hoffman island for observation, was transferred to the Swinburne Island hospital suffering from yellow fever. Wernersen was one of the survivors of the British ship Buckhurst, which took fire and was abandoned in midocean while on the voyage from Newcastle, N. S. W., for Panama, coal laden.

Wernersen was taken sick at sea two or three days before the steamer arrived at this port. He was removed, with the rest of the second cabin passengers, to Hoffman island for observation. The patient showed no marked symptoms of the fever until Saturday afternoon, when he was promptly removed to the yellow fever hospital at Swinburne island, where he died last night.

Death of an Ex-County Treasurer.

Troy, N. Y., June 14.—A special from Castleton says: "Hon. Frank P. Harder, ex-treasurer of Rensselaer county, died at his home here, aged 52 years. Mr. Harder underwent an operation for cancer last winter, but had not recovered from its effects. At the time of his death he was secretary of the courthouse commission of this county, having succeeded the late Orange S. Ingram. He was a thirty-second degree Mason."

Deaths From Yellow Fever.

San Francisco, June 14.—The steamer City of Para has arrived from Panama flying the yellow flag and was immediately ordered into quarantine. When one day out from Panama, one of the passengers, Mrs. Mitchell, died of yellow fever, and a few days later Captain Metonzen also died. About 20 passengers came into port, none having symptoms of the disease.

SPAIN WILL SETTLE.

Canovas Says the Ruiz Claim, If Justified, Will Be Paid.

WAS RIVERA ORDERED TO BE SHOT?

American Residents In Havana Want President McKinley to Interfere—The Shooting Would Cause a Protest From Other Nations.

Madrid, June 14.—Premier Canovas is reported as saying that the alleged demands of the United States in the case of Dr. Ricardo Ruiz, the American citizen who expired in the jail at Guanabacoa apparently from injuries received there, must be exaggerated. The premier added, however, that if the widow of Dr. Ruiz demanded an indemnity and her claim was shown to be justified Spain would see that justice was done.

Senor Canovas del Castillo further remarked, "I do not believe President McKinley has any unfriendly intentions toward Spain, but if the United States departs from a friendly attitude Spain will be able to defend her rights."

The Spanish foreign office has not yet received the expected note from the American government regarding the Ruiz case.

At a meeting of the dissident Conservatives yesterday, Senor Silvela, the leader of the party, declared that the Canovas ministry had signed the death warrant of parliamentary government. He earnestly advocated an investigation into the real state of affairs in Cuba, the creation of a colonial army and the development of the material interests of the island, as well as a reform in its administration. In conclusion, he expressed the opinion that it was now absolutely necessary for Spain to abandon her policy of international isolation.

Rivera Ordered to Be Shot.

Havana, via Key West, June 14.—Americans here are much exercised over a report that the trial of Major General Ruis Rivera, who succeeded General Maceo, and his chief of staff, General Bacallao, has ended, and that the prisoners will be sentenced to be shot at once.

It is urged by these Americans that congress should renew its request to President McKinley to intervene, and that Bacallao, as well as Rivera, be included in the request, as he could easily have escaped had he not stopped to help his wounded chief.

It is felt here that the shooting of these men must bring out an earnest protest by other nations against the Spanish practice of shooting prisoners of war.

Pizzaro, who was alcalde of the town of San Nicolas when Gomez raided it two years ago, is to be sent to Chafarinas.

Captain Foster R. Winn, M. D., of St. Louis, a volunteer surgeon in the Cuban insurgent hospital corps in the field, was killed in an attack by government troops upon an insurgent hospital near Quivican, province of Havana.

On his body were found, among other papers of importance, letters from Colonel Delgado, Brigadier General Castillo and General Alexander Rodriguez, authorizing him to proceed to the United States as a special delegate of the Cuban army hospital corps, with a view of interesting the American Red Cross society in the sufferings of the Cuban insurgents.

Justice Forbes' Illness.

Oneonta, N. Y., June 14.—Judge Forbes, who is supreme court justice of the Sixth Judicial district, was prostrated after dinner Saturday evening. The attack was so severe that for a time he was unconscious. He rested well during the night. Next morning he appeared better, but at 10 o'clock there was a recurrence of the sinking spells, he having five of them in succession. He had another about 7 o'clock last night and is in a very serious condition. The physicians pronounce it nervous prostration, brought on by overwork. His family has been telegraphed for.

The San Jose Scale In Niagara.

Grimsby, Ont., June 14.—The deputation sent by the ministers of agriculture to investigate the presence of the San Jose scale in an orchard near Niagara report that they have found this scale in large numbers and that it will utterly ruin the prospects of the Ontario fruitgrowers if unchecked. They advise vigorous legislation which will prevent the importation of nursery stock from the United States excepting under the most rigorous inspection.

Winner of the Grand Prix.

Paris, June 14.—The Grand Prix de Paris, the chief event of the French racing and social year, was won by Doge, owned by M. J. Arnaud. The animal is a brown colt by Fricandeau, out of Dogarese. Second place was won by Roxellane, chestnut filly, sired by War Dance out of Rose of York. She is owned by M. M. Cailleult. The third was won by Parasol II., bay colt, by Ruiel out of Pyrale and owned by M. Abelle.

To Reorganize Belgium's Army.

Brussels, June 14.—A great demonstration has been held here, organized by retired general army officers, in favor of a reorganization of the army and the abolition of the system of military substitutes. A large deputation, headed by General Brialmont, went to the palace, where King Leopold received them, and in the course of a patriotic speech declared himself already a convert to their proposals.

Iron Works Close Down.

Reading, Pa., June 14.—The management of the Reading Iron works have decided to close its tube mill indefinitely. By this over 1,000 will be thrown out of employment. The cause of the shutting down is that the men in the other departments, upon which the tube mill is dependent for iron, are on strike and the supply has run out.

Government Steamers Captured.

Montevideo, June 14.—It is reported that the revolutionists have captured two large river steamers conveying reenforcements to the government troops.

The New York at Newport News.

Newport News, Va., June 14.—The cruiser New York has passed in the capes and is anchored in the James river opposite this city.

THE FETE CHAMPETRE.

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during the day and illuminated at night. He was assisted by the following who acted as oarsmen: Edward Kline. Bryant Harman, Carrol L. Runyon, James P. Murray, Carl Pfeiffer, Carl Walz, Harry Opdyke, Bronson Smith, Van R Schuyler, Alfred Love, Arthur Talmage, Rudd Shepard, Buritt Shepard, Howard Tracy, John B. Dumont, Jr., D. M. VanVliet, Joseph Myers, E. H. Frost, Irving Oakley, R. A. Beebe, Paul Kimball and Irving Joy.

The Gypsy encampment was one of the principal attractions of the Fete. There were several tents in the grove on the island, while seats were arranged about the island for the convenience of the guests. Flapjacks were cooked and served there. An old Pennsylvania wagon, loaned for the occasion, was used as a seating place for the Gypsies when singing. Twice during the afternoon and twice in the evening the Gypsies gave their dance, a wild rush and whirl that was made very effective by the gay colored Gypsy costumes worn. In the evening the scene was lighted by the huge log fire that gave a weird appearance to the party of whirling dancers in their brilliant dresses.

Those taking part in the dance were the Misses Katheryn Reinhart. Annie Murphy, Mabel VanDeventer, Halla VanDeventer, May Tracy, Adelaide Ball, Elizabeth Hull, Mary Hull, Dottie Long, Grace Barlow, Alice Thompson and Marion Henderson; Alfred Holmes, Harry Curtis, Carl Stedman Brown, Harry Johnson, Harry Patten, Howard Turrill, Orville T. Waring, Fred Ball, Allan Wilson, A. Willis West and Arthur Murphy. During the dance Mrs. Wm. L. Saunders came to the front and sang the Bolero song, "Maid of Cadiz," in an effective manner. The accompaniment was furnished by Miss Marion Dumont on the piano and an orchestra composed of Lindley M. Hillman, Chas. Davis and Walter H. Serrell.

When the Gypsies gathered in the old Gypsy wagon to sing, their number was increased. Miss Daisy Elsberg acted as soloist, while in the chorus there were the Misses Cornelia Faber, Francis Phillips, Gertrude Haviland, Cora Haviland, Alice Holmes and Ada Smock, besides those already mentioned. Chas. E. Faber and D. O. Tiffany were in charge of the entrance to the camp.

The committee under whose charge all the details for the Gypsy encampment were arranged consisted of Mrs. Chas. W. McCutchen, chairman; Mrs. A. Walter Haviland, Mrs. Wm. Saunders, Mrs. B. A. Hegeman, Jr., and Mrs. W. J. Roome.

One of the other principal features of the Fete for the afternoon was the winding of the May pole. At 4 o'clock the little children gathered about the pole, all dressed in white. They were under the care of Mrs. Lewis G. Timpson. They were the Misses Elinor Waring, Helen Timpson, Ada Garragues. Ruth Fredericks, Elizabeth McGee, Helen Joy, Ruth VanVliet, Louise Saunders, Jean Saunders, Alice Titus, Katheryn Titus, Margaret Lowe, Margaret Drayton, Anna Fisk, Dorothy Fisk, Madeline Reed, and Frederick Mead, Johnston Mali, Morris Timpson and Ogden Rogers. After a pretty dance about the May pole they wound the many colored streamers about the pole.

An hour later, another dance was held in which the older children took part, under the charge of Mrs. W. L. Patton. It was more complicated than the other one and the colored ribbons were woven about the pole. Those taking part were the Misses Eva Brown, Margaret Van Deventer, Frances Van Deventer, Wilhelmina Patton, Trottie Smith, Florence Taylor, Gennie Derric, Jennie Dunham, Mildred Thayor, Marie Finch, Charlotte Finch, Grace Wilcox, Marjorie Fleming, Dorothy Fleming, Maida Hyde, Grace Peck, Ethel Kenney, Roxie Love and Grace Miller.

On the path to the left of the house was an arbor which was transformed into a pretty booth, tastefully decorated with vines and flowers, principally roses. This was the fruit and flower booth. Mrs. J. Parker Mason was the chairman and her aides were Mrs. John Doull Miller, Mrs. E. T. Barrows, Mrs. Pinto, Mrs. F. H. Andrews, Mrs. Fred Yates, Mrs. Edward M. Van Buren, Mrs. W. C. Delanoy, Mrs. Marion Ackerman, Mrs. J. W. Reinhart, Mrs. F. G. Mead. Mrs. Clifton Wharton, Jr., and the Misses Edith Smalley, Daisy Shepard, Edith Hyde, May Waring. Florence Waring, Marion Dumont, Elizabeth Stewart, and Katheryn Reinhart.

Under the branches of a tree nearby, Miss Gertrude Walz and Miss May Evans presided over the lemonade well.

Nearer the house, tables were arranged on the lawn and here the ice cream department reigned supreme. This department was in charge of Mrs. Henry Lapsley and Miss Kate Martine.

The waitresses were the Misses Ethel Plummer Bowen, Bessie Bowen, Lela Howard, Margaret McCready, Jessie Bushnell, Josephine Lapsley, Florence Patterson, Stephanie Krom, Margaret Goddard, Harriet Goddard, Mary Anderson Reinhart, Mattie Wadsworth, Constance Patton, Sarah Richards, Emma Corlies, Florence Curtis, Clara Case, Helen Brown, Helen Martin, Elsie Martin, Elsie Harmon, Ida Stewart, Ethel Van Boskerck, Ethna Strong, Sarah Schuyler. Mary Mann, Blossom Randolph, Dorothy Wells, Margaret McCutchen, Virginia Hegeman.

Across the lawn on the other side of the house were the supper tables.

The following were the ladies in charge of the tables: Mrs. O. T. Waring and Mrs. G. W. Van Boskerck, chairman, and Mesdames Pierri Mali, W. W. Howland, D M Van Vliet, J. G. Foster, Robert A Clausson, L. H. Bigelow, Robert Lowry, H. M. Stockton, W. D. Murray, N. Pendleton, Rogers, J. T. Baker, J. H. Carman, R. M. Stover, Marion Ackerman, O B. Leonard, Miss Tweedy, Mrs. Titus and Miss Stevens.

The aides were: Mesdames Charles E. Brooks, A. D. Shepard, Thomas Minford, W. Palmer Smith, H. B. Opdyke aand the Misses Hellwig, Colles, Randolph, Halloway, Ryder, Hall, McCready, H. Brainard, M. Sterling, E. Sterling, Louise Bushness, C Kampman, Edith Gilbert, Pierson, Flora Griffin, Clapp, Madiline Day, Taylor, Horne, Haviland, E. Tracy, Bushnell, Bonny, I. Bass, Drayton, Dryden, Swayze, Lulu Patten, Edna Thayer, Grace Miller, Rachel Coe, Clark, Middledith, Grace Yerkes, Elsie Brokaw, Susie Milne, Margaret Vermeule, E Van Deventer, R Bass, Lena Bass, Rambo, Bessie Coe, Edith Van Boskerck, Lulu Holly, Helen Weaver, Randall, Gertrude Rushmore, H. R. Shreve, May Cahoone, Lois Eastman, Wotherspoon, Ginna, E. McClure, K. McClure, Nancy Lawson, Katie Wood, Emma Miller, Jessie Bushnell, Laura Lovell, Helen Lovell, Cordilia Miller, Anna Miller, Fuller, Lucilli Rockwell, Agnes Minford, E. Little, F Cahoone, the Misses Gibbon, Mrs. F. Moore, Mrs. Roger Murray, Mrs. Pfeiffer and Mrs. Charles Stover.

The list of patronesses included the following:—Mrs. A. D Shepard, Mrs. Edgerton, Mrs. Charles Hyde, Mrs. Lawrence Myers, Mrs. J. Parker Mason, Mrs. William Palmer Smith, Mrs. D. P. Hall, Mrs. Roland Cox, Mrs. C. A. Marsh, Mrs. Walter Stewart, Mrs. J. T. Baker, Mrs. S. A. Ginna, Mrs. Charles Fisk, Mrs. Ernest L Walz, Mrs. Isabel Tweedy, Miss Florence Tweedy, Mrs. George H. Frost, Mrs. Stephen Haff, Mrs Emma S. Brown, Mrs. Charles Schoonmaker, Mrs. O. T. Waring, and Mrs. Charles A. Reed.

The committee on police consisted of Councilman E. T. Barrows. All the police of the city volunteered their services for the Fete and did duty at the grounds and in that vicinity under the command of Sergeant Kiely.

The members of the Plainfield High School cadet corps volunteered their services as guards. Twenty of the company turned out. In the afternoon, they were commanded by Lieutenant Henry W. Brower. Lieutenant Sydney R. Titsworth was the commanding officer during the evening and acted as officer of the day. Whitney Frazee acted as bugler for guard mount.

At present, it is impossible to state the exact number of visitors to the Fete. It is very probable that they numbered nearly three thousand. It is estimated that the Town Improvement Association will clear nearly $2,000 on the Fete.

The attempt to secure the patronage of the cyclists was successful and there were many wheelmen and wheelwomen in the grounds, a number of whom came for supper and spent the evening. Miss Gage, of Elizabeth, organized a party of seventeen who rode up from Elizabeth and spent the evening.

There were a score of assistants at the gates who gave their help. Henry Lovell and George Schoonmaker braved the mosquitoes at the lodge entrence and sold tickets, with a short rest at dark when they assisted in lighting the Japanese lanterns.

Those in charge of the gypsy encampment had a little surprise for the latter part of the evening. While the log fire was blazing merrily, on the point that projects out into the lake, fireworks were set off behind the fire, which gave the appearance of rising out of the centre of it. Throughout the evening, colored fire was burned about the island while a cornet called the visitors to come and see the Gypsy dances.

USED AXES AND KNIVES.

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The Italians are able to talk but little English and great difficulty was experienced in learning the circumstances. The man who was murderously assaulted with the knife gave his name as Vincesoso Dito, and the other injured man gave his name as Fancisco Jrisia. The tall Italian, whose story to Brown did not agree with his story to the police, was Jordan Tedele. The other two were Joseph Dilucha and Francisco Liveliro.

Chief Grant and an interpreter went to the Muhlenberg Hospital this morning, and heard what the two wounded men had to say. Their stories agreed. They said that they had been playing cards and some words arose over a point in the game. They came to blows and one admitted striking the other on the head with an axe. He, in turn, said that he had used his pocket knife on the body of his companion. They said that their friends had not been in the shanty at the time of the fight but had returned later.

The three Italians, who were locked up, told the same story saying that they had not been there when the fight was in progress. They will probably be released as there is nothing to implicate them in the affair.

NO ALMS, THREATENED.

MAN OF MANY PLACES HELD UP MR. HUI ON SOMERSET STREET.

Ezra Baldwin, a Composite Sort of Character, Made a Demand for Money and Said He Would Use Force With Next Request.

Ezra Baldwin is a composite sort of character as he hails from Newark, Philadelphia and Atlantic City. Saturday night he hailed Fred Hui, the barber, who was going to his home in the borough, and demanded money. Now Baldwin waits in the borough lockup.

He was going down Somerset street and had almost reached the borough line when he encountered friend Baldwin. Baldwin seized him by the sleeve and demanded money, so Hui says. Hui refused and ordered him away. Then Baldwin, it is alleged, told the barber that if he didn't give him money this time, he would do him next time, knock him down and take the money. The reason why he did not do it then—he explained, was because there were too many people around.

Hui departed on his way and met Chief Marshal Wilson, of the borough, told him the circumstances, and Wilson promptly put the man under arrest. He was locked up and will be turned over to the city authorities today.

Yesterday. Hui appeared before Justice Newcorn and swore out a warrant for the arrest of Baldwin on the charge of assault with threats.

Baldwin was arraingned before Judge DeMeza this afternoon and was sentenced to 60 days and fined $100.

A. O. H. Take Notice.

The regular monthly meeting of Division, No. 4, A. O. H., of Plainfield, will be held in T. A. B. Hall, corner of Fourth and Liberty streets, Tuesday evening, June 15th, at 8 p. m. sharp. By order of the president,

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CRESCENTS DEFEATED.

CRACK SOMERVILLE BALL TOSSERS LAID THEM LOW.

The Plainfield Boys Were Weak Behind the Bat, But in the Pitcher's Box They Had a Strong Player in McLarney.

The perfect weather last Saturday afternoon did not attract all of the people to the Fete Champetre, for a large crowd assmbled on the La-Grande avenue base ball grounds to witness the very excellent game between the Crescents and the Somersets, of Somerville. In spite of the fact that the home team lost the contest, the crowd was very well pleased with the exhibition. It is confidently believed that the home team lost the game through the inability of having a catcher that could hold McLarney, the new pitcher from Staten Island. The latter is one of the best pitchers ever appearing in Plainfield, and it was plain to be seen that he could easily have downed his opponents had their been a suitable backstop. A man named Kippling, from Roselle, went behind the bat for the first few innings, but he was soon displaced by George Bolsterli, who did much better. The latter with a little practice would make a good catcher for McLarney and no doubt the two will be retained in their positions.

The Somersets played in great luck throughout the game and they took advantage of every little error made by the Crescents and made a total number of runs which the home team could not overcome. In the three different innings the Somersets made three runs in each and the total number of runs was thirteen, while the most made by the Crescents in one inning was four, with a total of eight. There was plenty of good batting and fielding mixed with a number of wretched errors. The two teams lined up as follows: Crescents—Townley, ss.; Bolsterli, 3b., c.; McLaughlin, 1b.; Symons, lf.; Kippling, c., 3b.; Lederer, 2b.; Mumford, cf.; Sutphen, rf.; McLarney, p. Somersets—Kelly, ss.; Francis, c.; W. McLaughlin, p; Mulligan, 2b.; Tirhey, cf.; Vandevoort, lf.; Davenport, 1b.; Watts, 3b.; Morris, rf. The score by innings is as follows:

Crescents.....0 2 2 0 0 0 4 0 0— 8.
Somersets.....1 0 1 3 1 3 3 0 0—13.

The umpires were Fred Winn and Edward Erickson.

—Jerusalem Lodge No. 26, F. and A M., will hold a regular communication tomorrow evening, when the E. A. degree will be conferred.

—Children's Day exercises were held at Monroe Avenue church yesterday afternoon and a programme consisting of songs and recitations were presented by members of the Sunday school.

—The funeral services of Miss Kate J. Cotter who died Friday night at her home on Plainfield avenue, were held at 9 o'clock this morning from St. Mary's church. The Rev. Father Murphy officiated. The pall bearers were John Whalen, James Savord, Thomas Dorgan, Thomas McInery, Michael O'Keeffe and Thomas O'Keeffe. Interment was in St. Mary's cemetery.

Miss Kate Baxter is at home from Vassar College for the summer vacation.

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READY FOR REALITIES.

COMMENCEMENT ARRANGEMENTS FOR BOROUGH HIGH SCHOOL.

Graduating Exercises to Be Held on Thursday Evening of Next Week—Class Day Programme to Be Rendered Monday Night.

Ninety-seven will be a memorable one in the history of the North Plainfield High School. It will be the close of the first school year since the school has been converted into a regular High School and then there are several special features that will make Commencement week this year a period long to be remembered. Following the precedent set by the first-class High schools and colleges of the country, Class Day exercises will be held as well as the regular Commencement exercises. Commencement Day for the North Plainfield Public schools will be on Thursday of next week. On that evening the Commencement exercises will be held and the graduates will be presented with their diplomas.

Next Monday will be Class Day and on that evening Class Day exercises will be held in Y.M.C A. Hall The class will be assisted on that occasion by Mrs. May Jeffrey, soprano soloist, and the Plainfield Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar Club, which is composed of the following: Mandolins, Messers. O'Connell, Richards, Serrell, Smith, Littell, Kirkner and Carroll; banjos, Messers. VanEps, Smith and Mac Clymont; guitar, Webster Littell; piano, Frank McDonald.

The committee of introduction consists of Miss Bertha Stevens, '98, and William Pierson, '98. The ushers will be Fred Overton, '99, James Pope, 1900, Walter Emmons, 1900, and Benjamin Schuck, 1901.

The programme will be as follows:

PART I.

"Let the Hills and Vales Resound"..Richards
High School Chorus.

Piano Duet,
Miss Conroy, '99 and Master Bert Simpson. 1901.

Declamation..Master Morgan Townsend, 1901
Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar Club.
Class History and Poem.
Miss Edna Louise French, '97
Soprano Solo.....Mrs. May Jeffrey
Recitations—{a. "Charlie Machree." b. "The King's Bell"
Miss Ritta Pond' '99
Piano Solo.....Miss Nellie Valiant, 1901

PART II.

"Oh the Foaming Sea".....O. E
High School Chorus.
Oration—"The Arbitration Treaty."
Miss H. Helen Phillips, '97
Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar Club.
Declamations—{a. "Shylock Lends the Ducats." b. "Rollo."
Arthur Smith, '99
Class Song.....High School Chorus
Declamation—"Extract from Peter Bayne's Waterloo".....Charles Dolliver, '94
Soprano Solo.....Mrs. May Jeffrey
Declamation and Prophecy.
Miss Bessie Thompson Day, '97
"Good Night".....From Spohr
High School Chorus.

CLASS SONG

The time of parting comes
E'en in our schoo! life here—
In dreams alone we'll live
The days to us so dear!
Ye days of sunny pleasure.
When we shall know ye not
Remembrance will recall ye,
Ye ne'er shall be forgot.

O! friendships of our school days
Your praises all will sing!
We'll cling to ye forever
And to you tribute bring;
When dreams shall call us backward.
Tho' years have sped along.
We'll gladly think of school days,
The time of youth's glad song!

A LOW DOWN TRICK.

A White Woman Robbed the Pantry of Nuptial Nicknacks But Had to Settle.

'Twas a low down trick on the bride, at best, but luckily there was one unseen spectator and so the guilty party was made to settle after all. Last Thursday evening, Miss Paulina Coles and Eugene Johnson, two colored residents of Plainfield, were married in the Mt. Olive Baptist Church. After the wedding, there was a reception at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Walter Binn, on Plainfield avenue.

While the guests gathered in the front rooms and wished the couple success, somebody walked in the back door and visited the pantry. There was a great array of good things there and the visitors had plenty to choose from. At last, selecting a half a ham and eight quarts of ice cream, the visitor departed by the back door, unseen except by one of the family who watched operations from behind a door.

The visitor was a woman living not far from that neighborhood. She was soon called to account and threatened with arrest at once if she did not pay for the articles that she carried off on the night of the wedding. The required settlement was made and the matter was allowed to drop.

Farmers' Annual Picnic.

The farmers of Union County will have their annual picnic today in Ogden Woodruff's Grove at Salem. The affair is held under the auspices of the Union County Board of Agriculture. The wives and daughters of the farmers will prepare the good things.

PRIMARY CLOSING.

Interesting Exercises at Miss Scribner and Miss Newton's School.

The closing exercises of the primary department of Miss Scribner and Miss Newton's school at 303 LaGrande avenue, were held at 11:30 o'clock yesterday morning.

The programme was one of great interest and included a French greeting, by Doris Stanton; a song entitled "Swinging," by the school; a reading from "Storyland of Stars," by the middle primary class; "A Legend of the Northland," by Martha Roberts; a French piece, by Margaret Mead; "My Kingdom," by Charlotte Finch; "Little Boy Blue," by Norma Northrop; "The Boy and the Bird," by Margaret Lowe and Elinor Waring; a French piece by Emily Simpson, Lillian Moodey and Ruth Fredricks; a song "I Get by Candle Light," by Frederica Mead; a French recitation by Hope Jarvis, Caroline Martin and Helen Cruikshank; "The Ill-natured Brier," by Louise Booth; composition, "Spanish Armada," by Margaret Mead; French recitation by Julia Martin, Gertrude Hatch and Teddy Booth; "One, Two, Three," by Ruth Fredricks; German conversation by Lawrence and Frederica Mead; a song "To Others Be Kind and True," by the school; a French recitation by Harold Robert; "The Little People," by Lillian Moodey; French recitation by Edwin Browne and Louise Booth; "Children's Hour," by Margaret Mead; composition by Charlotte Finch; French recitation by Margaret Lowe and Elinor Waring; "The Will and the Way," by Lawrence Mead; a composition by Martha Robert; "Stars," by Helen Cruikshank; "Boy Wanted," by Harold Robert; song "Three Little Kittens," by the school.

A number of prizes, most of which were for manual work, were distributed among the pupils. The commencement exercises of the school's senior department will take place tomorrow afternoon.

FARMERS' CO-OPERATIVE PLAN

Propose to Open Stores and Keep Everything a Tiller of the Soil Needs

Farmers of Somerset County have formed an alliance for the purpose of procuring the products which they consume cheaper and for mutual protection in various ways. Thirty eight have filed articles of incorporation under the name of The North Branch Farmers' Alliance Co-operative Association.

The chief promoters of the alliance are Simon P. Nevins, a farmer of North Branch, and Jacob Peterson, a dairyman of Somerville. The latter owns 144 shares of stock and the former 129 shares. The others own from one to fifteen shares each.

The objects of the organization are the purchase and sale of groceries, dry goods, hardware, tools, farming impliments, machinery, horses, cattle, sheep, swine, milk and general produce and the manufacture of butter and cheese.

The place where the principal office is to be located is at North Branch. Other places designated where the business will be carried on are South Branch, Raritan, Somerville, Bound Brook, Lebanon, White House, Jersey City, Brooklyn and Easton, Pa.

A large store will be located at North Branch for the use of the members. They will purchase fertilizers in quantities and deal in everything that a farmer buys or sells.

It is reported that a large store is to be opened in Somerville. The capital stock is $2,000 and the business will begin with $1,000 paid in.

FELL TWO STORIES.

Fred Adams Lost His Balance While Working in a New House.

Fred Adams, while working on an unfinished house in the West End, this morning, fell from the second story to the cellar, miraculously escaping serious injury.

Seaman Williams & Company have the contract for the mason work to a house in the West End. A gang of their employes have been there for some time. Fred Adams, of Netherwood, was working there on the staircase from the first floor to the second. He was at the head of the stairs on a scaffold when he lost his balance and fell through the floor beams. He struck the beams of the first floor and bruised and scratched his back. They did not stop him, however, and he fell into the cellar.

The fall stunned him for the time but he soon recovered. He was badly bruised and scratched but escaped all serious injury. After having his wounds temporarily dressed he went home.

Died at Industrial Home.

Mr. Sparks, a resident at the City Industrial Home, died at that place this morning of old age. He was well known in this vicinity, where he lived for years.

CHAPTER ONE AWHEEL.

THE EPWORTH LEAGUE'S FIRST BICYCLE SOCIABLE A SUCCESS.

The Young People of the Methodist Church Turned Out in Force and Enjoyed a Spin Over to Metuchen.

When fair Luna rose above the horizon last evening she beheld, for the first time in her experience, a bicycle sociable arranged by the young people of a church. It was the occasion of the first of the runs gotten up by the young people of Chapter No. 1 of the Epworth League, an auxiliary of the First M. E. church, of this city. It was an innovation in the line of church entertainments and sociables, and its popularity was evidenced by the large attendance on the run.

The night was just right. Just cool enough to make it pleasant exercise to keep riding and yet not chilly enough to be uncomfortable. The start was made ere the rays of the sun had disappeared and the ride continued through the twilight and into the night when the full round moon came out to lend her pale beams for the illumination of the road. There was not one in the party but preferred spending the evening in that manner in comfortable costume than sitting about a warm room trying to be sociable.

The participants in this first bicycle sociable were requested to gather in front of the First M. E. church, where the start was to be made. It was soon after 7:30 o'clock that the stirring notes of the bugle assembled the riders and Captain James A. Stafford, secretary of the League, declared it time to start. There were forty young people altogether, clad in wheeling costume. There was nothing startling in any of the costumes and all was as quiet and modest as could be wished.

James A Stafford was in command with Ray T. Snodgrass and Charles Sprague as his lieutenants. Robert Davis acted as bugler. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McNaughton chaperoned the party. Captain Stafford had laid his plans beforehand and everything went forward without a hitch. The riders were kept together through the efforts of the lieutenants and a moderate pace was maintained.

There was only one accident and that was the wrecking of a cyclometer when two of the wheelwomen came together.

When the party reached Holly's Corners, the lamps were lighted and a brief stop made. At the Oak Tree bridge, a halt was called to see the view from that spot. At Pumptown, there was another rest, and then the party went on to Metuchen where refreshments were enjoyed. The ride home by moonlight was a delightful one, unmarred by accident or unpleasant feature. Plainfield was reached in safety and the party rode to Leggett's pharmacy where they were hospitably treated to some of his delightful soda water. The party disbanded there.

YELLOW CARD IS GONE.

Health Inspector Causes the Removal of a Hateful Scarlet Fever Case.

The residents of Orchard place between Liberty and New streets are now rejoicing over the action of Health Inspector Addis in causing the removal, last evening, of the case of scarlet fever which was imported into their neighborhood last Friday.

On that day the wife and young daughter of Kalman Rochberg, a Hebrew living on West Third street, were brought to the premises at 452 Orchard place. Then Health Inspector Addis came along and tacked up the ominous yellow card that gives warning of contagious diseases. The case was one of scarlet fever.

Yesterday the Health Board learned that two other children of Rochberg had been taken with the same disease at the West Third street house. Orders were at once given to remove the child from the Orchard place premises. It was taken to the West Third street house, and the three cases were quarantined together in that place.

The house in Orchard place has been thoroughly fumigated, the yellow card is gone and the neighbors are praising the action of the Health Inspector in removing the disease from their street.

Lucious Berries They Are.

Judge Wadsworth, for many years well known in all of Plainfield's public functions, but who is now residing with Noah Terry, in Fanwood, sent to The Press office yesterday two quart baskets of the largest and most lucious strawberries that have been seen in Plainfield this year. The Judge is an expert on cultivating the berries, and the samples sent in yesterday are those he raised himself. They are a full red color and sweet as can be desired. They are all remarkably large, one of them measuring six and a half inches in circumference.

JRISIA FEARS THE END.

IF DITO DIES HE WILL BE HELD FOR MURDER.

One of the Italian Combatants Last Sunday at Netherwood is Failing, and the Assailant is Getting Uneasy.

The two combatants at the Italian shanty, who played the principal parts in the bloody affray at the shanty on Sunday afternoon, still lie in the Muhlenberg Hospital as a result of the wounds they received. There seems no doubt but that they were the only ones implicated in the trouble. One of them lies very near death's door, while the other appears to be rapidly recovering.

Vincesoso Dito was the most seriously injured of the two. He was stabbed about the body and legs with a knife. Francisco Jrisia admits that he stabbed Dito, but says that it was done witn a penknife. There are numerous cuts about the body of Dito, and some of them are dangerous. The lungs were just missed and a number of important arteries were cut. Dito lost a great deal of blood, and it is feared some of the wounds will prove fatal.

Meanwhile, as Dito has been gradually sinking, his comrade has been recovering. Jrisia was struck in the head with an axe, wielded by Dito. Jrisia claims that Dito struck the first blow with the axe and that he only defended himself against the attacks of Dito. It was first thought that Jrisia's skull was fractured but it seems that he escaped very luckily. He lost a great deal of blood from the deep cut in the side of his head which made him very weak. He is a man of fine physique and great strength and was in good health at the time of the fight. This has aided him greatly in resisting the attacks of illness.

As Dito grows weaker, Jrisia grows more restless. He probably realizes that there will be a serious charge against him if his companion should die and is naturally worried about it. It has been feared that Jrisia will make an attempt to escape should he find that his victim was dying and to prevent that an officer is to be detailed to the Hospital to look after the Italians.

CITIZEN'S DEFIANCE REBUKED.

Westfield Officials Take Summary Action in Tice's Case.

An interesting legal fight is now on between the Westfield Township Committe and George W. Tice, a property owner of the town, over the right of the latter to run rain water from his premises into the sewer.

The Westfield sewer was not constructed to accommodate surface water, and citizens have been ordered not to attempt to use it for this purpose.

Tice in apparent ignorance of this fact appeared before the committee at its meeting last Thursday night and asked permission to make a sewer connection with the cistern upon his place which receives rain water from the roofs.

The committee explained to Mr. Tice that the sewer was incapable of accommodating the surface water of the town, and his request was refused. He then caused some surprise by announcing that he would make the connection in spite of the committee's prohibition. Tice made his threat good by at once setting men at work to lay pipes for the connection.

The work was no sooner completed yesterday, than Superintendent of Sewers Chamberlain brought another gang of laborers and pulled up the pipes. Tice then made an application to the court through his attorney for a mandamus compelling the committee to relay the pipes. Here the matter rests for the present, but both sides have their blood up and more interesting developments may be expected.

SINGING SALVATIONISTS.

A Two Weeks Campaign for the Rescue of Erring Ones.

Ensign Dyer, with the famous Central Singing Brigade, will commence tonight a fourteen days special Salvation Campaign. Their first meeting will be in the auditorium of the Y. M. C. A. The remaining thirteen nights will be in the Salvation Army Hall on West Second street. The Brigade has been conducting revival meetings for several months in many of the churches in Brooklyn and Long Island and have had remarkable success, Ensign and Mrs. Parsons will go for a few days needed rest during the visit of the Brigade.

Now a Junior.

George A. Horne, of Willow avenue, has successfully passed all his examinations at Lehigh University and is now a junior. Today he starts with a party of college friends to tramp from Bethlehem to New York.

—Additional local news on the third page.

DRAGGED BY A HORSE.

Driver Clung Pluckily to the Reins Until Exhausted.

Last evening, about 9 o'clock, Mr. Koch, who lives between Washingtonville and Warrenville, was standing in front of his house alongside his horse and wagon. The horse became frightened and started at a frantic speed down the road. Mr. Koch was quick and caught the reins before the animal passed out of his reach, but was dragged for several hundred yards over the roughest of country roads. He maintained a tight hold on the reins until his became so weak that he was obliged to let go. He received a number of severe injuries about the face and body, and one eye was almost closed. His cheek was severely lacerated and from the wound blood flowed profusely. When found by some members of his family he was in an unconscious condition and suffering greatly from shock. His clothing was badly torn and he was general broken up. Dr. Clawson, of this city, was called and hastened to the home of the injured man. It was nearly 10 o'clock when Dr. Clawson reached the house and he was obliged to remain for some time at the side of the injured man. The doctor does not think that the injuries will prove fatal, although Koch is in a very critical condition and it will be some time before he will be able to go out.

FOR PROTECTION FROM FIRE.

Two More Alarm Boxes Have Been Added to the City System.

Two more alarm boxes have been added to the fire alarm system in this city, one in the Second ward and one in the Third ward. The plan that has been in vogue regarding the numbering of the boxes has been to have the first figure in the box correspond with the number of the ward in which it is located. The numbers have now run out and a change has been made necessary.

One of the new boxes is located at the corner of South avenue and Berckman street. The following companies will respond to the first alarm from that box: Engine Co. No. 2, Hose Co. No. 2, Alert Hose Co., No. 1, Chemical Engine Co., No. 1, and Truck Co., No. 1.

The other box is at the corner of Park avenue and Arlington place The same companies will respond with the exception of Alert Hose Co., No. 1, whose place will be taken by Hose Co. No. 2. Engine Co. No. 2 will no longer answer first alarms of Boxes 23 and 26. Chief Doane has just issued an order to the fire department regarding the new boxes, which may be found in another column.

NEW LOAN ASSOCIATION.

Many Advantages That Appeal to the Modest Investor.

The Mutual Guarantee Building and Loan Association of Philadelphia and Camden, has organized a local branch in this city. A meeting was held last night in the office of Lawyer Clarence L. Murphy and the following officers and directors were elected: J. Howard Legget, president; James J. MacMurray, first vice president; Ralph I. Tolles, second vice president; Clarence L. Murphy, attorney; Daniel C. Adams, medical director; Thomas E Currin, Jr., treasurer; Ira L. LaRue, secretary.

The Mutual Guarantee is a strong organization, being now in its seventh year, and having assets of over half a million dollars. It has at its disposal a large sum of money which it is desirous of lending upon the usual plan of building and loan association, except that it combines with this a new feature, viz: The association agrees to insure the life of the borrower for the full amount of his loan and if the borrower dies before his loan is paid, the association agrees to cancel the mortgage and leave his home free and clear of their claim. This insurance scheme also applies to the depositer who pays in the usual amount per month, with the guarantee of the association that if he dies at any time before the maturity of his stock, his estate upon his death will receive the full maturity value. This new feature should prove very attractive to both lenders and borrowers and as the Plainfield branch consists of well-known and enterprising men, its future success would seem to be already assured.

Dined at the Inn.

A party of nineteen from Elizabeth took dinner at Mountain Park Inn, Saturday evening. The party consisted of Misses Gage, Mackintosh, Woodward, West, Hinds, Gray, Olmsted, Allen; Messrs. Gray, O. Vezin, Woodward, Kellogg, Morrison, Hinds, W. Vezin, Allen, Bigelow, Woodward, Bostwell.

E. C. Perkins and family, of this city, are stopping for the summer at Windsor, Vermont.

THE TOTS LEARNED MUCH

ENTERTAINING CHILDREN'S MORNING AT THE "CHESTNUTS."

Closing Exercises Gave Evidence of Careful Instruction on the Part of Teachers and Quick Learning by the Scholars.

Children's morning at the Plainfield Seminary meant the closing exercises of the Primary Department, given yesterday morning at "The Chestnuts," on West Seventh street, to which a limited number of friends were invited.

The English part of the programme was under the management of Miss Ayune Macready, the English teacher in this department, and the French songs and recitations had been taught by Mlle. Luxemberg, the instructor in French. The clear enunciation and expressive elocution of the performers, very little girls for the most part, reflected great credtt on the teachers, whose training had prepared them to perform their parts in a manner so satisfactory to parents and friends. The following programme was given to the delight of the audience, childish grace commingling with thorough drilling:

English recitations—
"The Sun and the Star".....Henriette Work
"The Boy That Was Half-past Three."
Kate Tieman
"The Doll's Wooing".....Alice Titus
"Daisi s".....Katharine Titus
"A Little Goosey".....Anna Garragues
"The Duel".....Ruth VanVliet
"The Rack-a-By Lady".....Clara Clark
"The Stay Lamb".....Dorothy Fisk
"A Good Play".....Nathalie Work
"Time to Rise".....Eleanor DeGraff
"Bed in Summer".....Marion Brown
French song—
"La Belle au Bois Dormant."
Dorothy Fisk, Kate Tieman, Nathalie Work and Henriette Work.
French recitations—
"Madame Sans Souci."
Dorothy Fisk, Kate Tieman, Gertrude Pearson, Henriette Work and Nathalie Work.
"Le Soir".....Gertrude Pearson
"L'Hirondelle".....Dorothy Fisk
"Le Ncir (Trialogue.)"
Gertrude Pearson, Kate Tieman and Henriette Work.
Doll's Drill.....Twelve Little Girls
Song—"Mabel and the Flowers".Mendelssohn
Florence Beebe, Angela Brady, Louise Curtis, Grace Kaufman and Gladys Kaufman.

The French song, "La Belle au Bois Dormant," was especially pleasing, the smoothly flowing French words, the music and the voices all blending in effective charm.

The Doll's Drill was a dainty bit of marching, performed by twelve little girls, who with dolls in arms, stepped with measured tread to the sound of music. Little Miss Marion Brown and Miss Helen Work led the two files of armed children, who on tiptoe went through a variety of motherly motions, caressing, chiding, kissing, admiring, patting, tossing, trotting and singing, the whole ending in an emphatic "Hush!" uttered in concert by the little doll tenders, which signified that their dolls were asleep and their drilling done.

At the close of the exercises, the writing and sewing of the children were exhibited in an adjoining room. The penmanship showed good training and commendable progress, and the sewing, in regular gradation from over-handing to button holes, was interesting to every woman who knows how much tidiness, thrift and comfort go with the ability to sew well.

NEW PLAN OF MISSION WORK.

Trinity Church Society to Assist in Foreign Missionary Work.

The Christian Endeavor service at Trinity Reformed church last evening was one of great interest to all present. The president, Alfred K. Willett, was in charge, and after conducting the opening exercises, he asked Rev. Cornelius Schenck, to introduce the speaker of the evening, Miss Duryea, secretary for China of the Woman's Board of Foreign Missions of the Reformed church. Miss Duryea is so thoroughly interested in the subject of missions that she imparts the interest and enthusiasm to all with whom she comes in contact. She related many incidents in connection with her work, showing the saving grace and help of the Master. She urged all to push on the work of saving souls and thus obtain the blessings which the Master has in store for His children.

At the close of the speaker's remarks she presented a plan whereby anyone present could become a stockholder in an organized society for the support of missionaries in foreign lands. Rev. Cornelius Schenck suggested that the collection received be devoted to the purchase of a coupon which would make the society a stockholder. The suggestion was adopted unanimously by those present.

A Song Service.

The chorus of the First Baptist church choir, under the direction of Prof. E. J. Fitzhugh, will render a musical service this evening in the church. The service is given under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society and all friends of the other societies will be cordially welcome.

INSANE FROM LOVE.

A Washington Man Tries Several Times to Kill Himself.

IS CONFINED IN A STRONG ROOM.

While He Was Abroad Studying, His Inamorata Transferred Her Affections Uncertainty as to His Recovery.

Washington, June 15.—Edwin Doren, son of the late Paymaster Doren of the navy department, is confined in a strong room at the Emergency hospital. He is said to be suffering from mental aberration, caused by his infatuation for a Washington young lady who refused to return her love for his.

This rejection of his affection has led the young man to make several efforts to commit suicide, the last attempt having been made Friday evening when his friends say he took 150 grains of chloral.

The young man has been placed in a barred room, and a most diligent watch is constantly kept to prevent him from doing himself bodily injury. A special nurse has been placed at his door, and the house physicians are constantly on guard. Dr. H. L. Johnson and Dr. Tompkins have had the patient in charge, but refuse to say anything about the case.

Hour after hour the man paces the narrow room and cries piteously for "Irene, Irene, angel of my life, come to me ere I die! Come to my arms, Irene, my Irene!"

But Irene has left Washington. She took her departure recently and is said to be bestowing her affections upon another. Who the young lady is the friends of the man refuse to state.

Edwin Doren is 30 years of age. He came to Washington from California when he was a boy, when his father was made paymaster in the navy. Finally he became acquainted with a handsome young lady. It is said that he intended to marry her. His father was proud of him and sent him to the universities of Europe to be educated.

Had Passed Some Time In Paris.

For a number of years he has been in the gay French capital, but his love for the Washington girl has never grown cold. Some time ago he returned to America, after having become master of six languages and proficient in many branches of science and philosophy. His attentions were directed toward the young lady Irene, whom he had left behind. During all the time he remained absent he communicated often with the young lady, but in the meantime her devotion had become estranged.

Last Friday, it is said, he made a final proposal to her and upon being refused decided to end his life. Owing to his conduct Irene has fled from him, and where she has gone only her friends know.

Young Doren managed to break through the door of his room during one of his ravings and threatened to throw himself down the elevator shaft. An attendant seized him and again locked him up.

The young man is wealthy and is well connected with several prominent families in Washington. His brother and sister have lately been in Washington, but it is understood that they have now returned to their home in California.

Big Haul of Stolen Goods.

New Haven, June 15.—The local detective bureau has made the biggest haul of stolen goods that has ever been unearthed in this city and captured a gang of Italian shoplifters who had over $2,000 worth of plunder secreted. Two wagon loads of stolen silks, satins and the various articles found in a dry goods store were carried to the police station to await identification. The persons arrested are: Raymond Maresca and wife, 10 Prindle street; Mrs. Eugene Maresca, 12 Fair street, and Catherine Fedell, 18 Union street. Alphonso and Mary Resigno, who run a lodging house at 12 Fair street, were arrested for complicity.

Assistant Attorney General Retires.

Washington, June 15.—Assistant Attorney General Edward B. Whitney has retired from office. He has had charge of the litigation arising out of the tariff laws and argued in the supreme court the income tax case, the sugar bounty case, the Debs case, the long pension case and the recent interstate commerce and filibustering cases. Mr. Whitney will return to New York and be succeeded by a Yale classmate, Henry M. Hoyt of Philadelphia.

No More Signs of Yellow Fever.

New York, June 15.—Health Officer Doty has returned to quarantine from the city. The second cabin passengers of the Advance, detained at Hoffman island, are all well. They will probably be discharged within the next few hours. There were no other removals to Swinburne island. The body of Seaman Otto Wernersen, who died of yellow fever at Swinburne island, will be cremated.

Fire on Board a Cotton Steamer.

Antwerp, June 15.—The British steamer Highland Prince, Captain Thomas, which arrived here on the 10th from New Orleans via Havre, had a slight fire on the same day in the cotton stored in hold No. 4. Before the fire was extinguished, 30 bales of the cotton were badly scorched and others badly damaged.

Cyclone Visits Virginia.

Richmond, June 15.—Upper Hanover and lower Caroline counties have been visited by a cyclone. Trees were uprooted, fences prostrated, wheat blown out of the ground in some places, and several barns were destroyed. At Bullfield the race track stand was blown away. No fatalities are reported.

Strike In Novelty Works.

New Britain, Conn., June 15.—All but 2 of the 23 buffers employed by the Traut & Hine company, manufacturers of suspender trimmings and novelties, have quit work, owing to a readjustment of prices, which the men claim amount to an average reduction of their wages of from 20 to 30 per cent.

Trying to Save a Steamer.

London, June 15.—The British steamer Ohio, from Rotterdam for Baltimore, which was towed to Sinclair bay after having been ashore at Freswick bay, near Wick, has been beached on the sand stern foremost, and the holes in her bottom are being patched to enable her to reach a port to repair.

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Refused Entrance to George Vanderbilt's Residence.

THE PRESIDENT CHAMPIONS THEM.

He Said the Newspaper Men Were His Invited Guests, and as Such They Were Admitted to the Famous Biltmore House.

Asheville, N. C., June 15.—An unexpected incident of President McKinley's visit developed when it became known to newspaper men accompanying the party that permission to enter Biltmore House, George W. Vanderbilt's splendid mansion, had been refused to them while extended to other members of the party. Mr. Vanderbilt is abroad, and his representative, Charles McNamee, is with him. In the absence of both the estate is governed by E. J. Harding, said to be an Englishman by birth.

When waited on by the local committee of arrangements a day or two ago for permission for the president and party to enter Biltmore House, he objected strongly to receiving any members of the party other than the president and his cabinet and the ladies with them.

He even refused permission to Manager McKissick of the Battery Park hotel, in charge of the party here, and in the course of conversation had with two members of the committee said, "Mr. Vanderbilt spits on newspaper notoriety, and so do I."

The President Arrives.

After this there was nothing for the local committee to do but withdraw. So the matter rested until yesterday, when the president arrived, and J. Addison Porter, his secretary, was told of the incident. He must have informed the president, for later Mr. Harding was called up on the telephone by Mr. Porter and asked if it were true that newspaper men would not be admitted to the mansion.

Porter was told that it was, and then he informed Mr. Harding that the president considered the newspaper men were his invited guests on the trip and that they were as much a contingent of the party as members of the cabinet.

Furthermore, Mr. Porter notified Mr. Harding that the president had authorized him to say that if the newspaper men were barred from the mansion he would not step his foot inside the estate. This brought things to a crisis, and Mr. Harding capitulated with the best grace possible, and the newspaper men were admitted to the mansion on the same footing as the president and his cabinet.

Wintersteen Renews His Bail.

Bloomsburg, Pa., June 15.—L. S. Wintersteen, the accused dynamiter whose trial lasted three weeks and resulted in the jury disagreeing and being discharged late Saturday night, has appeared in court and renewed his bail in the sum of $7,000. E. B. Brewer and F. P. Drinker became his sureties. Clifton Knorr, who turned state's evidence and said he was hired by Wintersteen to blow up Lawyer Waller's house, did not appear, as it was not necessary for him to renew his bail. He is simply awaiting sentence. Wintersteen is to appear for trial again at the September term of court.

Lawyer Charged With Forgery.

Newburg, N. Y., June 15.—Three indictments have been found by the grand jury at Goshen against Grant P. Taylor, a lawyer of this city, who is accused of forgery in connection with a mortgage transaction. One indictment is for forgery in the first degree, one for forgery in the second degree and a third for grand larceny. Taylor pleaded not guilty to each indictment. His counsel made a special plea of insanity for Taylor. The prisoner was remanded to jail for trial at the next term of court, bail having been fixed at $7,500.

Detroit Raises a Big Flag.

Detroit, June 15.—A feature of flag day in this city was the raising of the big flag and union jack presented to the city of Detroit by the crew of the United States cruiser Detroit. The banners were hoisted from the ground in front of the city hall to the flagstaff on top of the building shortly after noon by some United States marines amid cheers of the crowd. Mayor Maybury and others made short appropriate addresses, and the bright new emblems of patriotism fluttered finely in the fresh breeze.

Fell From His Bicycle.

Philadelphia, June 15.—Ralph D. Paine, a newspaper man, well known in this city and state and in New York city, was thrown from his bicycle at Milford, Pa., and his left arm was fractured in six places. The physicians state that he will never again have the use of the limb. Mr. Paine had been for a week at Milford reporting the Schulz murder trial for a Philadelphia paper. He but recently returned from a trip through Cuba, which he made for a New York newspaper.

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—The sessions of the Sunday-school of the Park Avenue Baptist church will be continued in the afternoon until the first Sunday in July.

The Grandest Remedy.

Mr. R. B. Greeve, merchant, of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottles free at L. W. Randolph's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Cora Green, of Summit, is visiting her cousin, J. T. Green, of Steiner place.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman fo the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—Martha Washington Council, No. 23, D. of A., meet this evening.

"There's no use in talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, La Cygne, Kas., "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy does the work. After taking medicines of my own preparation and those of others, I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—The educational committee of the Y. M. C. A. will meet in the Association Hall this evening.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are to-day its warmest friends. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Walter B. Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, has returned to Hoboken to train with the Steven's Institute crew in the Naval Reserve for a race with the New York Naval Reserve crew.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

MASONS CELEBRATE JUBILEE.

Prince of Wales Presides at Their Meeting In London.

London, June 15.—The Masonic meeting at the Royal Albert hall in commemoration of the queen's diamond jubilee was a notable function. The hall was packed by over 10,000 Masons in gorgeous regalia. The Prince of Wales and the Duke of Connaught arrived, preceded by trumpeters sounding fanfares. When they entered the hall, the organ played a grand processional march, and all present rose to their feet.

The grand officers lined the aisle to the dais. The Prince of Wales, as grand master of England, followed by an imposing staff composed of grand officers, moved to the sound of the majestic music to his throne, where, surrounded by a brilliant phalanx of officers, he was received and greeted in the united form of salutation reserved for his high station.

The prince then addressed the audience and announced that the admission fees for the ceremony amounted to £7,000 ($35,000), half of which would go to the Prince of Wales hospital fund and the other half to the different Masonic charities.

The Duke of Connaught moved an address to the queen in behalf of the Masons, and it was carried with loud applause, after which the whole assemblage joined in singing the national anthem to the accompaniment of the organ.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At New York—
New York ..... 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 *—7
St. Louis ...... 1 1 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0—4
New York—Hits, 12; errors, 6. St. Louis—Hits, 10; errors, 1.

At Brooklyn—
Brooklyn ...... 3 0 0 5 0 3 2 2 *—15
Chicago .... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1—4
Brooklyn—Hits, 15; errors, 4. Chicago—Hits, 11; errors, 6.

At Boston—
Boston .... 1 0 0 3 0 1 0 0 *—5
Cincinnati ..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2 0—3
Boston—Hits, 11; errors, 1. Cincinnati—Hits, 8; errors, 4.

At Baltimore—
Baltimore ..... 0 1 0 1 0 5 0 2 *—9
Louisville ..... 1 0 0 1 2 2 1 0 0—7
Baltimore—Hits, 10; errors, 7. Louisville—Hits, 10; errors, 4.

At Philadelphia—
Cleveland ..... 0 4 1 1 0 2 2 0 0—10
Philadelphia .. 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0—4
Cleveland—Hits, 15; errors, 1. Philadelphia—Hits, 7; errors, 2.

At Washington—
Pittsburg ...... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0—2
Washington ... 2 4 6 0 0 1 3 0 *—16
Washington—Hits, 13; errors, 2. Pittsburg—Hits, 9; errors, 2.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	30	9	.769
Boston	29	12	.707
Cincinnati	25	15	.625
New York	21	16	.568
Brooklyn	22	19	.537
Philadelphia	23	21	.523
Cleveland	20	20	.500
Pittsburg	19	21	.475
Louisville	17	24	.412
Chicago	16	26	.381
Washington	14	25	.364
St. Louis	8	36	.182

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

The cruiser Brooklyn arrived in Southampton to take part in the jubilee review.

Young Harry J. Homer was sentenced in New York city to Sing Sing for life for murdering John Russell.

The one hundred and twentieth anniversary of the adoption of Old Glory as the national flag was observed.

Three Jacobsburg (O.) girls were killed by lightning attracted by steel corsets. A fourth girl, who wore no corset, escaped.

The bituminous coal mine of the Torrey company of Chicago, near Clifton, Ind., was burned. Fifteen men were in the mine at the time, but all escaped. The mine is completely destroyed.

Mrs. Edith T. Bruno, an aeronaut, made an ascension at Riverside park, Chattanooga, and when 3,000 feet in the air she dropped with the parachute. She fell into the Tennessee river and was drowned.

Sir Henry Irving unveiled the memorial statue to Mrs. Sarah Siddons, the famous English actress, on Paddington green, close to Paddington Old cemetery, London, where her remains were interred 66 years ago.

Murderer Howard A. Scott, a negro, was executed at Sing Sing. Three shocks were administered. Scott was killed by the first. The execution was a success. Scott died bravely and without protest. He killed his wife, Margaret, Oct. 26, 1896.

Will Not Allow Fight Pictures.

Montreal, June 15.—The chief of police has ordered down all the streamers and posters announcing the verascope exhibition of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight, and it is expected that it will be stopped.

Weather Predictions.

Increasing cloudiness and probably thunderstorms; variable winds.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western quiet, but steady; city mills patents, $4.70@4.95; winter patents, $4.50@4.80; city mills clears, $4.65@4.75; winter straights, $4.10@4.20.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened steadier on light world's shipments and better English cables and advanced sharply on good buying for local account; July, 74¾@75⅜c.; September, 70@70½c.

RYE—Steady; No. 2 western, 36c.

CORN—No. 2 opened steady and advanced on steadier cables in sympathy with wheat.

OATS—No. 2 were dull and firm with the other markets; track, white, state, 24@30c.; track, white, western, 24@30c.

PORK—Quiet; mess, $8.50@9; family, $9.50@10.50.

LARD—Steady; prime western steam, $3.90 nominal.

BUTTER—Quiet; state dairy, 10@14½c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Steady; state, large, 8¼c.; small, 7⅝@8c.

EGGS—Quiet; state and Pennsylvania, 11½@12c.; western, 10¼@11c.

SUGAR—Raw firm; fair refining, 3c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c.; refined firm; crushed, 5⅜c.; powdered, 5⅛c.

TURPENTINE—Steady at 27½@28c.

TALLOW—Firm; city, 3⅛@3¼c.; country, 3¼@3⅜c.

HAY—Dull; shipping, 50c.; good to choice, 60@70c.

SUICIDE OF BARNATO

The Famous South Africa Diamond King Ends His Life.

LEAPED OVERBOARD FROM A SHIP.

His Real Name Was Barnett Isaacs—Began His Career as an Impecunious Showman and Acquired a Vast Fortune by Speculation.

London, June 15.—A special dispatch from Funchal, island of Madeira, off the west coast of Marocco, says that on the arrival there of the British steamship Scot, which left Table bay, Cape Town, on June 2 for Southampton, it was announced that Barney Barnato, the South Africa diamond king, who was among the passengers, had committed suicide by leaping overboard. His body was recovered.

The late Barney Barnato was in many respects the most remarkable speculator of the century. Of all the Englishmen who have taken part in the development of South Africa two only have secured a worldwide reputation. These have been Cecil Rhodes and Barnett Isaacs, more often and less respectfully styled Barney. Barnato was an assumed name, a sort of stage name, for he began his life in South Africa by exhibiting a trick donkey about 25 years ago. He was then about 20 years of age.

Barnato was an English Jew and illustrated in an extraordinary way the financial genius of his race. Up to the point where his fortunes began to decline he made money by leaps and bounds, and in 1895, when his good fortune was at its zenith, it was estimated that he controlled interests worth in the neighborhood of £100,000,000.

Called the Richest Man In the World.

It was the fashion to call him the richest man in the world. At that time he was virtually the king of the London money market. In the autumn of 1895, when the boom in "Kaffirs," the shares of the comparatively new gold mines of the Transvaal, South Africa, was at its height, every man, woman and child in London with money to invest invested it in "Kaffirs." The craze was the last of those financial fevers which periodically attack conservative England, the "South sea bubble" being the first. For months it was the controlling passion in London, and it was scarcely less rampant in Paris and Berlin. The shares went to unheard of figures, and fortunes were made in a day.

The center of this tremendous financial outburst was Barney Barnato, and he was conservatively estimated at that time as worth between $100,000,000 and $150,000,000. Among his assets was a bank originally capitalized at $12,500,000. In a very few months its capital stock rose in value to $45,000,000.

Barnato was born in London. But little is known as to his early life, except that he received his instruction from a private tutor instead of attending the public schools. He was a younger son, and at the age of 20 went to South Africa, then a much more savage territory than it is now and but scantily populated by Englishmen or persons of English descent, to seek his fortune. The Kimberley diamond mines were just beginning to be productive. With his few pounds of capital he began dealing in diamonds in a small way. He was clever and pushing. Everything he touched he made successful. In five years he had earned enough in the retail sale of diamonds to purchase shares in the mines from which his merchandise had come. Before another five years had elapsed his holdings at Kimberley had become very large, and when the Transvaal goldfields were discovered he had profits to invest in them.

He Was a Money Power.

In 1886 Barney Barnato was a definite power in South Africa and began to be spoken of as the rival of Cecil Rhodes. Unlike in temperament and even more unlike in personal ambition, the two men started in to be hot opponents. But in 1888 they reached the conclusion simultaneously that their respective interests could be best promoted by combining forces, and the De Beers consolidated mines were the result, one of the most valuable pieces of property of the kind in the world.

Barnato repeatedly and persistently denied the story that he began life in South Africa by exhibiting a trick donkey, but there are many Afrikanders entirely familiar with his career in that part of the world who have as persistently and repeatedly asserted this to be the fact. There is no truth, however, in the story that he was ever a clown or a juggler in a wandering show. He used to say the only foundation for this report was the fact that when he first went to South Africa he frequently took part in private theatricals for the benefit of hospitals and similar charities. He had considerable ability in this direction, and his favorite roles in later years were Othello and Mathias in "The Bells."

Although Barnato represented Kimberley twice in the Cape legislature, he had little time to give to politics and little interest in that field of activity. Cecil Rhodes uses wealth only as a means to political control. Barnato aspired only to such control of men as comes from being fabulously rich. His record in the Cape legislature was quite devoid of incident. When the tremendous increase in his mining interests called for the establishment of a London branch, this took the form of the Barnato bank. From that date he spent most of his time in London, living at first in Earl Spencer's town residence, but moving finally into a magnificent mansion overlooking Hyde park.

While in Africa he married and had three children, two sons and a daughter, who survive him.

Two Killed by Superintendent's Car.

Portland, Or., June 15.—While Superintendent O'Brien of the Oregon Railway and Navigation company was returning from an inspecting tour his private car ran into a hand car and killed Charles A. Rathbone and the 6-year-old son of R. Dunn, section foreman.

Will Not Pardon the Murderer.

Hartford, June 15.—The board of pardons has heard the application of Thomas Kipple, under sentence to be hanged July 14 for the murder of his wife, and the board decided not to interfere with the sentence.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Thunder Storms Tonight and Wednesday; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 81 Degrees.

Subscribers to The Daily Press who are leaving town for summer vacations can have the paper sent to their temporary address by simply notifying the business office.

THE MARTIN ACT.

Some taxpayers in Plainfield propose to test the constitutionality of the Martin act, or the vital feature of the act, which gives valid title to properties sold for taxes in conformity with the act. It appears that about all other points of the law have been adjudicated, except that of giving title, which is the essential principle of the law. No lawyer can safely say in advance what the decision of the Supreme Court or Court of Errors and Appeals in any case will be, and the courts have recently treated the State to some genuine surprises in their opinions. The Martin act is one of the most beneficent laws ever passed by the New Jersey Legislature. The act was framed by Newark and Elizabeth lawyers at a time when Elizabeth had defaulted in her bonds and was bankrupt, when Rahway was in the same condition, when the tax books of Jersey City contained records of millions of arrears of taxes and assessments, and when there were hundreds of thousands of tax arrears in Newark. It was only recently that the act was made to apply to towns like Plainfield, and why the property-owners in Plainfield should object to its operation is not quite clear to people in the larger cities of the State, who have witnessed and who appreciate its great benefits. There can be no reasonable opposition to the law, which could proceed only from chronic tax shirkers or that class of real estate speculators who hold vacant land without improvement and without paying taxes or assessments in the expectation of getting the "unearned increment," accruing from the enterprise of their neighbors, by selling out finally at a big profit to purchasers who will pay off the tax liens.—Newark Advertiser.

A PERFECT MINIATURE.

The tenth anniversary number of The Daily Press, (A. L. Force, proprietor), of Plainfield, N. J., to hand. As a souvenir commemorative of the event Mr. Force had this issue, April 7th, photo-engraved down from a six column quarto to 5x8 page. The eight pages, small size, is printed on coated paper, with cover, upon which is printed a history of The Press. The press work and general execution of the souvenir is so perfect that every word and letter upon the small page is legible and easily read.—Copy Hook.

G. O. P. CLAM BAKE.

It is the intention of the Republican county committee to hold a big political picnic or clambake somewhere in the county during August and to invite Senator Sewell, Governor Griggs, John Kean, Franklin Murphy, and other prominent leaders of the party to be present. The idea is Chairman Codding's. A committee has been appointed to arrange the details of the affair.

THE HARMONY DINNER.

The harmony dinner of the Union county Democrats will take place on June 28th, at the Clark Hotel in Elizabeth. Senator Wm. D. Daly, of Hoboken, will be the chief orator. Jas. E. Martine, of this city, will also be a speaker.

Justice Newcorn's Court.

There were several cases tried in Justice Newcorn's court yesterday. The contract case of Rogers against Brown was tried and judgment rendered for the plaintiff for the full amount. The case of Ovet against Dickenson was tried with the same result. The landlord and tenant case of McCarty against Louden was tried and judgment for the possession of the premises rendered in favor of the claimant. The contract case of Wilson against Smith was settled, and the contract case of Cornell et als., against Chapot, was adjourned to the 18th.

—Trunks a specialty—Doane & Edsall's.

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For Infants and Children.

The fac simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Walter G. Williams, of West Seventh street, is in Harrisburg, Pa., today.

Herbert Runyon, of East Front street, is home from military school.

Mrs. A. N. Smith, of the West End, has returned from a visit with her son in Jersey City.

Jerry Garretson, baggagemaster at the North Avenue station, is confined to his home by illness.

G. W. Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, has returned from a business trip through the West.

Thos. D. Blair, of East Second street, is home from Princeton College for the summer vacation.

Lewis Compton, an employe at Leggett's pharmacy, was kept at home by illness, yesterday.

LeRoy Brewster, of New York, has been visiting at the home of W. J. Roome, of Sycamore avenue.

Miss Bessie Baldwin, of Willow avenue, is entertaining her cousins, the Misses Baldwin, of Brooklyn.

Miss Sara Kane, of this city, who has been visiting friends in Brooklyn and New York, has returned home.

—The "Star" of the Central Rail road passed through Plainfield yesterday with several directors on board.

The engagement of Miss Barbara Weber, of Brookside Retreat, and Frank E. Splane, of Newark, is announced.

Mrs. E. C. Perkins, of Central avenue, left the city yesterday for New Hampshire where she will spend the summer.

D. B. Gray, of Grant avenue, left yesterday on his wheel for Albany, N. Y., and he will stop at different places en route.

Benjamin F. Langworthy, of Chicago, has returned home after a visit at the home of Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, of Central avenue.

Miss Lucy Crosson, of Park avenue, who has been confined to the house for a week past was able to be out yesterday for the first.

John V. Beekman, Jr., who has been pursuing a course of study at the Boston School of Technology, is at his home in this city for the summer.

Frank Bergen, of Elizabeth, was in this city yesterday, and in company with Director Hubbard made an inspection of proposed new pipe lines to supply the flush tanks of the sewer system.

F. L. C. Martin and Albert Woltmann rode on the century run from Newark to Philadelphia on Saturday and rode home Sunday. They covered 106 miles Saturday and 81 miles Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clark, Jr., of Washingtonville, have issued invitations for the celebration of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary which will take place Friday evening, July 2d, at their home.

Miss Rose Mix, who was graduated with honor from the Plainfield Seminary in 1894, will this week receive the degree of B. A. from Cornell University, where she has been studying for the past three years.

Andrew Kenney, of the borough, is in attendance at the convention of the Car Builders Associatiion, which is being held at Old Point Comfort, Va. He is representing the Sergeant Drill Company, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Williams, of Lebanon, Conn., who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. L E. Livermore, of West Front street, returned home yesterday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Livermore who will visit her parents for a time.

The commencement of the Newark High School will be held there Friday evening. The graduating class is the largest in the history of the school, numbering 138 in all. There will be eight speakers, among whom will be Miss Gertrude Snodgrass, daughter of Rev. Dr. W. C. Snodgrass, of Central avenue, the new pastor of the First M. E church. She will read an essay on "The Song of the Tyrtæus."

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—John Hand Camp, No. 28, S. of V., will meet this evening and iniatiate one recruit.

—Jaquett's closing out sale still continues with prices that attract many buyers.

—Everybody wants Russet shoes now. Most everybody can be filled at Van Arsdale's.

—Three medical cases were admitted to Muhlenberg Hospital yesterday for treatment.

—A special gymnasium class for the business men will be held at the Y. M. C A on Thursday afternoon.

—The person who lost a golf stick on Watchung avenue Saturday can have the same by calling at 820 Richmond street.

—Markey, the Park avenue baker, has closed out his store business and in the future will give his time and attention to his route.

—The Sunday-school of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will hold its sessions at 9:30 a. m. for the remainder of the summer.

—If you want to see a pretty display of fine imported organdies look in White's show windows. They are priced at half their real value.

—A very interesting service was held in the W. C.T.U. rooms. Sunday, at which time Dr. J. D. Polhemus, of South Orange, made an address.

—Next Sunday, the Sunday school of the Congregational church will meet at 9:30 o'clock. The morning service will begin at 10:45 o'clock.

—A summons has been issued by Justice Mosher in the landlord and tenant case of Hetfield against Coddington, returnable on the 19th inst.

—The swimming tank at the Y. M. C. A. building has received two coats of paint and one of enamel and is now ready for use. It was used by the members yesterday.

—The Italians from Netherwood who almost killed themselves last Sunday are at present in a fair condition There seem to be slight hopes that they will recover.

—The postponed festival of the Warren chapel Christian Endeavor Society will be held Thursday evening of this week on the lawn of Mrs. Geo. Kesselring, on Chatham street, opposite the chapel. The admission will be free.

—A great treat is in store for all lovers of sacred music. The choir of the First Baptist church will render the entire cantata, "The Daughter of Jairus," besides other selections, at the church this evening at 8 o'clock. No admission fee will be charged.

GEN. STOCKTON DEFEATED.

History of Washington's Somerville Headquarters Accepted as Authentic.

Members of the State Revolutionary Memorial Society and of the Daughters of the Revolution deny the statement alleged to have been made by Gen. Robert F. Stockton, of Princeton, to the effect that those organizations had been imposed on in the purchase of the Wallace house at Somerville as a headquarters of Washington. The statements that the societies will investigate the alleged swindle and that the formal opening of the headquarters on June 17th will be postponed, is denounced by the Executive Committee as false. A leading member of the Executive Committee said last night:

"The committee held its final meeting at Somerville on June 10th. The sworn statements of Mrs. VanDoren Vredenburg, James Rockafellow and John VanMiddlesworth, highly respectable residents of Somerset county, all above 80 years of age, were produced. The immediate ancestors of the witnesses were survivors of the Revolutionary war, and left undisputed evidence to their descendents that Gen. and Mrs. Washington occupied the Wallace house. An early history of Somerset county, written by the Rev. Abraham Messler, whose father served under Washington in the Raritan Valley, and who obtained his historical facts from many of the survivors of the Revolutionary war, repeatedly names the Wallace house as Washington's headquarters during his sojourn in the Raritan Valley. There is also an original letter in the possession of the society, written by a Continental staff officer, which names the Wallace house as Washington's headquarters.

"Every member of the committee, with the exception of Gen. Stockton, concurred in the report that the history of the Wallace house as the headquarters of Gen. Washington was established beyond a doubt. Gen. Stockton read a minority report in which he sought to establish Washington's headquarters near Bound Brook. The Board of Trustees unanimously accepted the majority report, and the Wallace house will be formally dedicated on June 17th.

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THE EMPLOYER'S SIDE.

L. J. Ellis States His Side of the Case in the Servant Girl Trouble.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—My attention has just been called to the article in your paper of Friday last in reference to "suit between servant and her mistress."

The article is unjust to the defendant in the case, in that it alleges that the plaintiff was dismissed for incompetence. Now there are few people in this world who would dismiss a girl for incompetence and refuse to pay her anything for her services, although they can legally do so, provided the servant has contracted to do that which she afterwards proves herself incompetent to do.

Mary Gartland was dismissed for insubordination and disobedience. Allow me to add that the plaintiff was offered by the defendant wages for the time she had served, but she refused, demanding her whole month's pay or none. On arriving home and hearing of the plaintiff's conduct I declined to allow her to be paid anything, and insisted that we avail ourselves of the law in the case as the only means of punishing her.

A little reflection will satisfy the person of ordinary intelligence that in a case of this kind much more is involved than the wages claimed to be due the servant.

The course I have pursued in this matter I have felt was nothing more nor less than my duty to my family and in protection of them. The decision of the jury, if right, would give free riot in every family to any virago whom they might through some mischance employ.

By the way, your article states that the jury was out only five minutes. The fact is they were out three hours or more. L. J. Ellis.

SEEKING RECREATION AND REST.

Guests Who Have Registered at Mountain Park Inn for a Week Past.

Among the guests who have arrived at the Mountain Park Inn during the past week are:—O. G. Boyle, Mrs. J. Morgan Howe, Miss Ethel Howe, Mrs. Brunkman, J. E. Austin, Geo. Wupperman and family, E. N. Tailer, of New York; Miss Tiffney, Washington, D. C., J. G. Tuck, Mrs. C. Cregier, Miss Lupton, T. W. Kent, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Miss Southard, Miss Rhoda Packard, Miss Catrell, Mr. Perry Marks, Mr. J. C. Cattrell, Bergen Point; Mr. and Mrs. P. Shultz, Wm. R. Roelofson and lady, Mrs. J. E. Tracy, Plainfield; Capt. J. C. Ayres, U. S. A. and Lieut. H. C. Hale, U. S. A., both of Governor's Island, were entertained at the Inn Saturday by Mr. A. C. Stebbins of Plainfield.

—Additional locals on page 3.

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Fire Department Order.

Office of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, City of Plainfield.

June 14, 1897.

On and after this date companies will answer all first alarms coming from the following boxes: Box No. 63, corner of South avenue and Berckman street, Engine Co. No. 2, Hose Co, No. 2, Alert Hose Co. No. 1, Chemical Engine Co. No. 1, Truck Co. No. 1. Box No. 76, corner of Park avenue and Arlington place, Engine Co. No. 2, Hose Co. No. 1, Hose Co. No. 2, Chemical Engine Co. No. 1, Truck Co. No. 1. Engine Co. No. 2 will no longer answer first alarms from the following boxes: Nos. 23 and 26. By order of the Board of Engineers. T. O. DOANE, Chief.

MRS. GOULD,

of 250 W. 22d St, New York, will visit Plainfield on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month hereafter to treat ladies' and gentlemen's hair and scalp. Office, 431 Park Ave. Hours 10 a. m. to 8 p. m. oaw tu

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Rushton, Hansen & Luthman is this day dissolved. Rushton & Hansen will continue the business and pay all debts owing by the old firm and receive all bills due.

ROBERT H. RUSHTON,
JAMES C. HANSEN,
ALFRED LUTHMAN.

Plainfield, N. J., June 12, 1897.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Miss Mamie Hubbard, of Plainfield, is the guest of friends in town.

Mrs. Julia Loughlin, of the borough, is entertaining Miss Bessie Fern, of Brooklyn.

Miss May Thompson, of Plainfield, spent Sunday with friends in the borough.

Conductor Charles Dodwell, of the Central Railroad, is now having his annual vacation.

Mrs. J. D. Anderson, of North Plainfield, was the guest of friends in the borough, yesterday.

Lawyer H. C. Runyon, of Plainfield, was in town yesterday looking after some legal matters.

The friends who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter returned home yesterday.

It is reported that G. Elston Lowrie's father has employed a detective to institute a search for his missing son.

A regular meeting of the Order of Foresters was held last evening. Nothing but routine business was transacted.

There will be eleven graduates from the public school this year, which is the same number that graduated last year.

Mr. Johnson has erected a large addition to his present building, at the end of the trolley, known as "Wheelmen's Rest.

President Titsworth, of the Board of Education, will deliver an address at the commencement exercises of the public school.

Harry Dodwell, of the borough, who has been enjoying a week's vacation, returned to work at Griffin's hardware store yesterday.

Five children were baptized at the First Presbyterian church, last Sunday morning, in connection with the Children's Day exercises.

Mrs. S. M. Ace, of Stroudsburg, Pa., who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Craig, of the borough, returned home yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. H. M. Wyckoff, of Jerseyville, Ill., who has been the guest of Miss Emily Apgar, of the borough, left yesterday for Flemington where she will visit relatives.

The Ladies' Orchestra held a rehearsal yesterday afternoon. The orchestra will furnish the music for the public school commencement to be held on Thursday evening, June 17th.

Yesterday being Flag Day, there was one citizen who displayed the colors and that was Eugene Runyon. It occassioned many inquiries for there were not many who knew the object of flying the flag.

A valuable dog owned by W. Gaskill was stolen last Sunday from in front of his residence on North avenue. It is said that Mr. Gaskill knows who took the canine and that he will have them prosecuted.

A resident of the borough called on Mayor Brakeley yesterday afternoon and said he desired to make a complaint against a neighbor who had used an American flag in his potato patch to scare away crows and other birds. The Mayor advised the man to use moral persuasion with his neighbor and this advice seemed to suit him for he went away satisfied.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

It is whispered that a wedding will take place in town, tomorrow evening.

Prof. Bayles, of Roselle, has been engaged to lead the Baptist church choir.

Miss Rose Bliss spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Cotton, at Glen Cove, L. I.

George Johnston will go to Seabright on Saturday, where he has a position for the summer.

Miss Hattie Wilcox and Miss Hoyt, of Brooklyn, spent Sunday in this place as the guests of Mrs. Wilcox.

A party of fourteen came from Newark in a tally-ho coach, Sunday, and

WESTFIELD

SCHEME OF ANNEXATION

GARWOOD LOOKS TO WESTFIELD FOR RELIEF.

Effort May Be Made to Include Her School System in That of the Township—Committee Proceedings Secret.

At the meeting of the special committee of the Westfield Board of Education with the Cranford school trustees at Garwood Saturday night, some comment was caused by what was termed the star chamber proceedings of the committee in excluding from the meeting the newspaper reporters and the representative of the Garwood Land Improvement Company. The meeting was called to consider the question of establishing a public school at Garwood, and the Garwood company, which in the presence of complications between the trustees of the two towns, has this winter maintained a school at its own expense, was naturally a most interested party, and felt itself entitled to take part in the discussion or at least to hear what was said. But the public was excluded and no one but the trustees can say what took place in the meeting. But as the committee from Westfield was not appointed with power, it is certain that no definite action was taken binding either Board. The meeting was one for discussion, and the Boards in separate session will hereafter consider and act upon suggestions put forward at Saturday night's meeting. No immediate action can be looked for, and in the meantime the people of Garwood are asking what the prospects are for securing a public school. What will Cranford do? It is the action of her trustees that has caused trouble in the past, and interest now centers in what she will do. If no agreement can be reached, the Garwood people will probably petition the State Board of Education to secure the annexation of the whole district to Westfield. Her property valuation is large, and all her taxes would then be paid to Westfield, who would provide school facilities. And present indications are that this annexation scheme is not at all displeasing to Westfield.

Mrs. Harry Gilby is visiting her parents, in Orange.

Warren V. Woodruff spent yesterday at Boynton Beach.

The I. O. O. F. meets in its lodge rooms tomorrow evening.

Walter Morehouse spent Sunday with his parents in this place.

Robert Wherry, of Red Bank, spent Sunday with friends in this place.

Measles has invaded the home of H. E. Knight, on North Broad street.

Six children were baptized in the Presbyterian church on Children's Day.

The Shakesperean Society of the I. O. S. has disbanded for the summer months.

Wallace P. Paret, of New York, spent Sunday and yesterday with friends in this place.

Miss Jennie Collins, of Sheepshead Bay, L. I., is the guest of Mrs. George Sheelen, of Broad street.

The trustees of Fairview Cemetery held a meeting last evening and transacted important business.

The Methodist Sunday-school will hold its sessions at 12 o'clock instead of at 2:30, for the remainder of the warm season.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Hall, of Central avenue, was made happy yesterday morning by the arrival of a fine girl baby.

Mrs. M. H. Pickell, of Downer street, has gone to Jersey City to visit her sister, Mrs. W. S. Creveling, who was badly hurt in a trolley car accident in that city, Saturday evening.

Charles Whittaker, a wheelman from Newark, fell from his machine at Garwood, on Sunday, and fractured his left leg just below the knee. He was carried into a house nearby, and Dr. R. R. Sinclair, of Westfield, was summoned. The fractured bone was set and Whittaker and his wheel were sent home on the train.

Miss Anna D. Cooper and Mrs. Eb. Hart, of this place participated in a successful piano recital and literary entertainment in the new Presbyterian church, at Bound Brook, last Friday evening. Miss Cooper was at her best and was well received by the audience. Mrs. Hart was engaged to show the fine qualities of the church's new Knabe baby grand piano, and succeeded well in doing so. Her transcription of "Softly and Tenderly" was very well rendered and called forth much applause.

The members of the High School graduating class have completed their examinations and are now rehearsing for the graduating exercises, which will be held Friday evening in the Westfield Club Hall. A very fine programme has been arranged and admission will be by invitation cards sent out by the members of the class. After the graduating exercises a reception will be tendered the graduates by the class of '98. Prof. Karff's orchestra, of New York, will furnish the music. The following is a list of the graduates, with their honors: Lloyd Summerfield Thompson, valedictorian; Charles Ring Foster, salutatorian. Isabelle Blean Morrow, class historian; John McCormick, class prophet; Hazel Wallace, Alice J. Love, Ada F. Ruth, Gertude Noe and Clara L. Connoly.

Memories of Famous Friends.

Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale, who is original in all things, discovered a unique way of celebrating his seventy-fifth birthday. That was to write his recollections of some of the eminent men who were his closest friends, among them Lowell, Longfellow, Emerson, Dr. Holmes and Wendell Phillips. The Youth's Companion has had the good fortune to secure these intimate and charming papers, and the first in the series appears in its issue of June 10th. Edward Everett, Dr. Hale's uncle, is the subject, and a very lifelike picture is given of this famous Massachusetts man, the hero of countless interesting incidents, who entered many fields of effort—ranging all the way from preacher to diplomat—and won success in all.

Raymond Carpenter, formerly of Plainfield, is in the graduating class of Rutger's College, and will receive the degree of B. A. tomorrow.

Miss E. D. Lyon, of the Misses Scribner and Newton's school, will take an extended tour through the Great Lakes in July, stopping at Cleveland, Detroit and Macanac Island, through Sault St. Marie into Lake Superior to Duluth, and possibly on to Yellowstone Park.

Will you give up all that health means to you? If not, look out for impure blood. Cure boils, pimples, humors and all scrofulous tendencies by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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stopped at Emery's hotel for dinner.

Mrs. Jacob Blimm, Sr., and her nephew, Raymond Stray, of Plainfield, are spending a few days with Landlord Blimm.

C. H. Carpenter, of Woodbridge, has five teams quartered at Blimm's Hotel. He will use them in fulfilling his contract for carting large quantities of crushed stone from the crusher here, for use on the roads of Westfield and Plainfield.

Right Methods.

What we want to sell you is precisely what you want. If you are not sure of what you want and ask advice, we prefer your interests to our own and advise you as though we were buying instead of selling.

This is where our methods differ from others. There's no use of taking drug chances. Have your wants supplied at Rowley's and be content. There will be no doubt about the quality of the goods and you can feel certain that you have bought them at the lowest possible price.

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—The Sunday-school of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will go on its annual excursion, Thursday, August 5th.

—According to the statement of a patrolman in the Police Department a person is not allowed to stand on the curb of any sidewalk. Two men were standing at the corner of Park and North avenues Sunday evening when they were told to move from their position.

—Secretary Frank P. Woodbury, of the American Missionary Association, will address the congregation of the Congregational church Sunday morning. In the evening he will give an illustrated talk in the church under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society.

Executor's Sale OF Valuable Real Estate.

In order to settle up the estate of James Jackson, deceased, the undersigned executor will sell at public auction on the

17th Day of June, A. D. 1897,

AT 3 P. M., AT

Carey's Auction Rooms, 324 West Front Street,

the following valuable pieces of real estate.

First Tract. Known as 409 East Sixth street, being 74 feet front and rear by 98 feet deep, containing dwelling house with ten rooms, modern improvements and in good repair, also barn in good repair.

Second Tract. On Lee place 100 feet southerly from South avenue, being 50 feet front and rear by 100 feet deep, containing two dwelling houses, No. 211 and 213. Will be sold jointly or separately to suit purchasers. Dwellings contain seven rooms each and are in good repair.

Also three houses on East Second street near Berkman street, 23½ feet front and rear each by 240 feet deep. These properties are in good repair and nicely located. Dwellings contain seven rooms each, and are known as No. 717, 719 and 721 East Second street.

Also the following vacant lot located on the corner of Lee place and South avenue and is 100 feet front by 100 feet deep. Is a corner lot and a valuable piece of property.

The above premises will positively be sold to the highest bidder and will afford a grand opportunity for investors as well as parties desiring a home.

Parties desiring to inspect premises may do so at any time before sale.

Parties desiring particular information regarding any of the above premises may call upon the undersigned executor at any time before sale.

Do not miss the opportunity. Be on hand and secure a bargain. Terms easy and made known on day of sale.

RICHARD J. JACKSON, EXECUTOR.

T. J. CAREY, AUCTIONEER. 6 10 6

Randolph Runyon,

Funeral Director and Embalmer.

Residence, Over Office. Office 43 Somerset St., Plainfield, N. J.

DIED.

BILLETT—In this city, Monday, June 14, 1897, James F. Billett, aged 75 years. Funeral service at his late residence, 32 Elm place, Wednesday, June 16th, at 3 p. m. Interment at Whitehall, N. Y.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

BOY wanted to learn printer's trade; not over 16 years of age. Call between 3 and 6 p. m., Foreman composing room Daily Press office.

$25,000 to loan on mortgage. Clarence Murphy, attorney. Schwed building. 6 15 tf

FOUND—At Casino, March 1st, stick-pin. Owner can have same by calling at this office. 6 15 3

ONE Deering and one Buckeye mower, 2d hand, cheap; terms easy; boilers and engines, pumps. Chas. A. Butler & Co., 365 Market St., Newark.

STORE TO LET—On Fifth St., near Watchung Ave.; rent reasonable. Apply 148 E. 5th St. 6 15 6

LOST—Package containing lady's bonnet; jet crown trimmed with violet velvet, black lace and aigrette; between Putnam avenue and Front street. Return to Woodhull & Martin's store. Reward. 6 15 2

FOR SALE—A Gildemeester & Kroeger piano. Inquire City Hotel. 6 14 3

LARGE pleasant rooms with first class board. 62 Sanford Ave. 6 14-6.

WANTED—Reliable men to travel, salary or commission. Centennial, 152 North avenue. 6 11 5

TO LET—Large alcove room with board, modern improvements, 3 minutes walk from station; shady verandas; terms moderate. Address V. X., care Press. 6 11 6

LARGE handsome front room to let with superior board; moderate terms. 132 Crescent avenue. 6 9 6

STRAYED—On June 2d, liver and white Pointer Dog, answers to the name of "Alex." Reward. F. C. Phoebus, City. 6 5 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished, house, No. 92 Duer street. Enquire on premises. 6 3 tf

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

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That the production of merchandise far outstrips its consumption. This will go far towards explaining the apparent modesty of prices on many seasonable goods. Hardly a day passes but what we have shown to us some special things that the manufacturer is overstocked—he needs money and the goods are offered to us in many cases at less than the cost of production. It's a wise loss for the maker, a good purchase for us, and a big bargain benefit for you.

TAKE WASH GOODS

There never was a season known when the wholesale market has been so glutted with thin, cool, dainty summer fabrics. The result is a price break.

Yard-wide Percales..... 5c
Fine Dimities..... 6c
Fine dress Ginghams..... 6c
French Jackonets..... 10c
Pretty Challies..... 10c
Lace stripe Gingham..... 12c
Fine Organdies..... 12c
Mixed Bicycle Suiting..... 10c

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR.

The continued cool weather makes it imperative that makers should sell now, and to unload quick they sell at a loss. Values will surprise you here.

Ribbed Vests..... 7c
Lisle finish vests..... 10c
Silk trimmed vests..... 15c
Fine lisle vests..... 25c
Silk vests..... 50c

DRESS GOODS.

Much of the loss caused by these reductions we take ourselves—its clearing time in this department, and we must have shelf room. If its dress goods you save money by buying here.

40-in black and blue Etima cloth..... 25c
54-in all-wool Cloth..... 39c
40-in all-wool Cashmere..... 33c
54-in silk and wool Mixture..... 49c
54-in all wool Bicycle Suiting..... 49c

HOSIERY.

Business bringing items these, all bought for a quick sale. Fix your hosiery thoughts on this store—we sell nothing but what will wear and give satisfaction.

Ladies' hose, extra fine quality..... 14c
Ladies' lisle hose, very fine..... 25c
Children's plain hose, fine quality..... 15c
Boy's bicycle hose, double sole knee..... 15c
Men's fine black half hose..... 13c
Men's fancy colored hose, value 35c a pair, our price..... 18c.

BIG WEEK AMONG THE MATTINGS.

Not a word of argument, simply the cold facts in the shape of description and prices—by yard or roll, it matters not which—there will be a lot of cool matting sold in this store during the next few days.

20-yd rolls of fine Jap Matting..... $2.48 the roll
Extra fine linen warp matting..... 20c. yd
Extra heavy China Matting, worth 25c., goes for..... 15c
Special low prices in all-wool Art Squares.

MEN'S OUTING SHIRTS.

Another prominent manufacturer over estimated his output or underestimated the uncertainty of the climate. Result, the consumer gets a buying benefit such as is seldom met with.

Fine Outing Shirts made of fine cheviot, full size..... 32c
Fine Cambric Shirts made of best percale, laundried..... 48c
Silk Stripe Madras Cloth Shirts, worth $1..... 59c
Boys' Laundried Cambric Shirts..... 39c

MANY LITTLE THINGS.

At a little price, but the saved pennies here and there count.

Summer corsets..... 39c
All linen doylies..... 41c. doz
Extra large Turkish towels..... 10c
4 button chamois gloves..... 67c
Best quality percaline lining..... 10c
Pretty figured denims..... 13c yd
New Japanese drapery..... 10c
Curtain nets for sash curtains..... 11c
Fine embroideries..... 5c
Hot water bags..... 49c

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MUST BE SOLD In Three Weeks.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF MEN'S, BOYS' and CHILDREN'S CLOTHING,

and Men's furnishing goods must positively be sold by July 1st; not a dollar's worth do we want on our hands, and in order to dispose of so large a stock we will cut the prices down so low that you can come to our large store and buy a whole suit for what other stores will ask you for a single pair of pants. Don't buy a dollar's worth of clothing until you see our stock and prices. Every garment will be marked down in plain figures, and there should be no mistake of your getting the right price and the right goods. Remember that we sold over 45,000 dollars worth of clothing in Plainfield in one year. Ask anyone and everybody who ever bought of us and they will tell you that we give 3 times as many goods for the same amount that any other store in Plainfield will give you, in order to prove what we say. We will give you

A FEW PRICES

Men's all wool royal blue serge suits, worth $12, at selling out price, $4.50; men's best all wool blue serge suit, worth $16, at selling out price, $5 90; men's fine gray clay serge, all-wool suit, worth $13.50, at selling out price, $5; fine men's gray or dark brown clay diagonal suit, worth $16, selling out price $6.25. No other store in Plainfield will sell the same suit for less than $18. A very fine business suit in all-wool worsted or cassimeres, worth $10, at $4.25; fine men's working suit, worth $8, at $2.50. This suit is all wool and warranted not to fade. Extra fine all-wool silk or satin lined clay diagonal all-wool suit in frocks, worth $20, at $8.25; a very fine English silk-mixed suit, worth not less than $22, at $6.90; over 500 suits in fancy cheviots and overplaids, dark or light colors, that we are selling at $2, $3, $3.50 and $4.50. Every one of them are worth from $8 to $15 of any man's money. Don't wait one minute, but come at once, as you never will have the chance again. Youths' suits in all-wool clay diagonal sacks, worth $10, at $4.50; young men's plaid suits, all wool, worth $8, at $2.90; boy's long pants suit at $2; children's suits, latest style plaids in brown and light colors at $1, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75, worth from $2 to $5; men's fine summer underwear at 15c; men's bicycle suits, $1.75, $2, $2 50 and $3.50, worth from $ 4 to $10; men's bicycle pants from 35c up. Be on hand early and avoid the rush. Over 2,000 suits to choose from. Durable men's pants at 75c; fine Sunday pants at 95c, $1.25, $1.50 and $1 75; every pair of them all wool and they are worth from $2.50 to $6. This closing out sale commences Saturday, June 12, at 7:30 a. m.

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FOUND A COLUMBUS LETTER.

And Other Interesting Relics of the Discoverer of America.

W. C. Zimmerman, circuit court clerk of Citrus County, Florida, and an archaeologist of note, has recently reached Atlanta from San Carlos Bay islands, south of Fort Myers where with a number of friends he has been on a camp-hunt. On one of the islands Zimmerman and his friends found the relics of a Spanish expedition sent out from Cuba by Christopher Columbus when the great discoverer was Governor of that island. While hunting, the men passed a low mound, and at Zimmerman's request an investigation was made. After a little digging, something hard was struck, and when unearthed it was found to be a complete suit of armor. Further digging unearthed three more suits of armor. Zimmerman pried open the helmet of one of the suits and was shocked to see a skull. The entire suit was then opened, and found to contain a skeleton. The other suits were opened, and also found to contain skeletons. Four swords made in Toledo were found near the skeletons. Further digging brought to light an iron box filled with Spanish doubloons, worth $6,000, a few blunderbuses, and cutlasses of antique pattern bearing the name Sebastian Velasquez ,and the date 1490. Zimmerman continued to dig, and was rewarded by unearthing another iron box, which proved the most interesting find of all. In this box were found a portrait of a beautiful woman painted on an ivory, a medallion dated 1497, on which was a raised figure of Christopher Columbus, and a roll of parchment covered with writing. Zimmerman, who is a linguist, soon saw that the parchment was a letter from Columbus to Sebastian Velasquez, and related to an expedition which the latter was to lead from Cuba to explore the coasts of Florida. The letter was one of instructions, and was signed by Columbus as Governor of Cuba.

The Atlanta Constitution further says that the doubloons will be divided among members of the party, and the relics disposed of to the government, or to one of the universities.

THE BRITISH SOLDIER'S CLOTHES.

England's Outlay Much Less than that of Germany or France.

It costs the British government $7,250,000 annually for the clothing furnished to its army all over the world. Each of the foreign possessions, however, has to pay back, to a certain extent, the amount which the uniforms of the troops stationed or sent there has cost, and this entails no end of bookkeeping. India pays for clothing of its own troops, and also for the uniforms of the men which England sends there. The latter item is about $675,000 annually. On the other hand, when a regiment comes here from India, that country has to be paid back the full value of the clothes it wears. The government sells old worn-out articles to the second-hand dealers, who, by-the-way, usually accumulate fortunes in a short tme. The value of cast-off clothes so disposed of is about $150,000 yearly. The best quality of everything is used in the manufacture of uniforms. In fact, it is said they are too good for durable wear. A huge factory in Pimlico makes a large share of the furnishings, but vast quantities of foot and head gear are bought ready made. Boots and leggings, for example, cost $1,165,000, and headdresses $250,000. The thousands of miles of flannel, linen, calico, cloth, velvet, etc., the millons of buttons, the tons of cotton-wool, the billions of yards of sewing-cotton, that are made into tunics, trousers, and shirts, cost $2,500,000, and the wages paid for making these up are over $5,000 a week. But all this vast expense is much less than the annual outlay that France or Germany makes for keeping its soldiers. In Germany every man in the army has four complete suits of military clothing.—Harper's Round Table.

An African Duel.

In the Boer war of 1881, a Mr. Sampson and Botha found themselves behind stones on a level plain, shooting at each other. Sampson made sure that he had hit Botha, and raised his head, when a bullet ploughed through his neck.

"My man is dead," cried Botha, and exposed himself. Just then a bullet from Sampson's rifle struck him.

"This time I've got him!" shouted Sampson, and raised himself up; but a bullet grazed his side, and he dropped. Botha now had no doubt that he had ended his antagonist, and jumped upon his feet, only to be again laid low.

Though the men were now past fighting, with two bad wounds apiece, both recovered, and when Sampson settled in the Transvaal they became great friends, and often chaffed each other about this encounter.—Harper's Round Table.

Power of Insects and Shell Fish.

The shelless limpet pulls 1984 times its own weight when in the air, and about double when measured in the water. Fleas pull 1493 times their own dead weight. The Mediterranean cockle, Venus verrucosa, can exert a pulling power equal to 2071 times the weight of its own body. So great is the power possessed by the oyster, that to open it a force equal to 1319-5 times the weight of its shelless body is required. If the human being possessed strength as great in proportion as these shellfish, the average man would be able to lift the enormous weight of 2,976,000 pounds, pulling in the same degree as the limpet. And if the man pulled in the same proportionate degree as the cockle, he would sustain 3,106,500 pounds.—Scientific American.

AN ORDINANCE

for the laying out and opening of Sycamore avenue from the Northwesterly side line of West Front street to the City line in the centre of Green Brook.

WHEREAS, George F. White, the owner of all the land embraced within the lines of the proposed street hereinafter referred to, has dedicated said proposed street to the public, and has agreed, in case the City shall accept said proposed street, that he will, at his own expense, and before October first, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, put the proposed street to the grade shown by the map hereinafter referred to, and that he will, at his own expense, and before July first, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, macadamize the road-bed to a width of sixteen feet and a depth of six inches, and further, at his own expense, will maintain and keep in repair the gutters of said proposed street until such time as he shall, at his own expense, construct permanent paving in said gutters; and also that he will provide, as soon as the street is brought to the new grade, suitable pipes to drain the surface water to the brook, and also that he will indemnify and save harmless the City of Plainfield from any and all expense in and about the opening, acceptance, macadamizing, paving and repair of said proposed street, down to the time that the said street shall be permanently macadamized, paved and flagged; and said George F. White has filed with the City Treasurer a bond, with sureties, in the sum of three thousand dollars, to secure the performance on his part of his said agreement herein above referred to;

AND WHEREAS, the Common Council have judged and do hereby judge that the public good requires that said proposed street should be accepted upon the terms and under the agreements aforesaid, and have accepted, and do hereby accept said agreements and the bond above referred to, therefore,

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the proposed street with center and side lines as heretofore dedicated to the public by George F. White, and shown on map signed by said George F. White, and filed with the City Clerk May 11th, 1897, entitled "*Application Map for the laying out and opening of Sycamore Avenue from the Northwesterly side of West Front Street to the City line in the center of Green Brook, City of Plainfield, New Jersey, Jan. 1896.*" be and the same is hereby accepted as a public street of the City of Plainfield, to be known as Sycamore Avenue, and that the center and side lines and the grade of said proposed street are hereby established as delineated and set forth on said map.

Adopted by the Common Council June 7, 1897; approved by the Mayor June 14, 1897.

CHAS. J. FISK, Mayor.

Attest, J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

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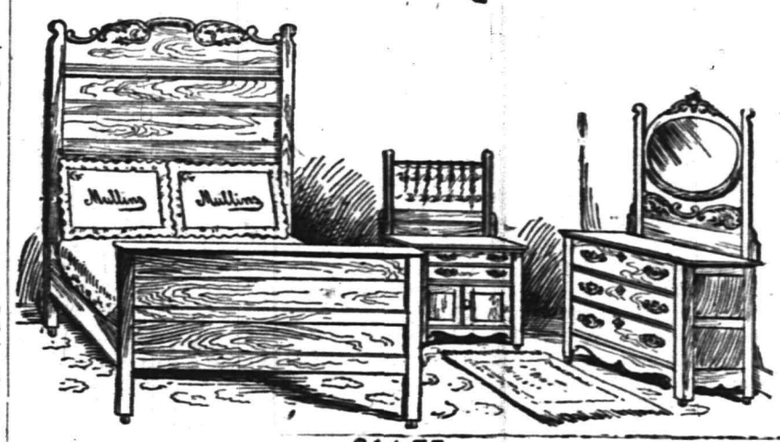

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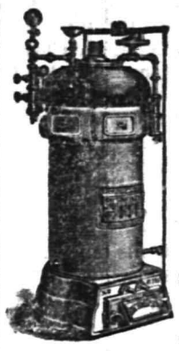

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 3 30, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 30, 8 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45 (5 00 except Saturdays) 5 30, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p.m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 57, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 35, 9 03, 10 05, 11 35, a. m; (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 05, 5 25, 6 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30, 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 10

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m, 12 46, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 24, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 36, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 39, 5 09, 6 35, 10 15, 7 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 48, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 55, 9 05, 9 40 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 21, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a m; 6 30, 8 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m.

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5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

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12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

4 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

5 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 11 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

9 54 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

5 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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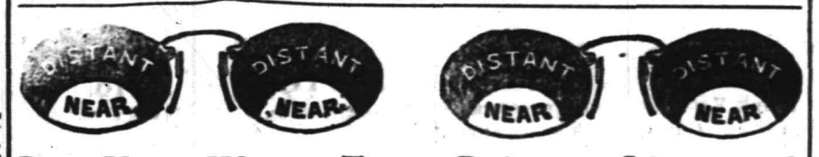

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TRAIN DERAILED.

Spreading of the Rails Throws a Train, Killing the Engineer.

Richmond, Ind., June 15.—Train No 2, south bound express on the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad, was derailed at Stone Station, near Ridgeville, 30 miles north of here. The rails are said to have spread, ditching the engine, tender, mail and baggage cars. The smoker was partially derailed.

The engine was totally demolished, instantly killing Engineer David Kramer of Fort Wayne, aged 50 years. He did not leave his seat and was found under the engine. Fireman Grabel of Fort Wayne was seriously injured. He fell under the tender. Baggage Master Martin Minch of Fort Wayne was also injured. S. W. Mundy, express messenger, of Grand Rapids, was slightly injured.

The smoker and other coaches were not damaged. No passengers were hurt. Heat is supposed to have caused the spreading of the rails.

BRIGHTER PROSPECTS.

Iron Companies Resuming Business After a Term of Idleness.

Pittsburg, June 15.—The puddling, finishing and nail departments of the Oliver Bros.' Tenth street mill have resumed operations after an idleness of a week, due to lack of orders. About 300 men are benefited by the resumption.

The Lockhart Iron and Steel company has also started three furnaces in the 16-inch bar mill, and a large number of men were put to work in the puddling department. The mill has been idle for some time, owing to lack of orders. More men will be put to work in the near future. The mills of the Jones & Laughlin Steel company, limited, on the south side, present a normal appearance.

All departments affected by the recent strike are again in full operation, and everything about the plant betokens industry and quiet.

RUSH FOR PENSIONS.

Extra Clerks Had to Be Appointed to Look After the Claims.

Washington, June 15.—The war veterans are rushing forward their applications for pensions under the new administration, and the increase in the volume of such business has been so extraordinary as to necessitate the detail of 30 additional clerks to the record division of the pension bureau to look after the claims.

These employees were taken from the various adjudicating divisions. In the ten days ending last Saturday the number of applications of all kinds for pensions aggregated 14,200.

During the 82 days subsequent to March 8 last the record division of the office disposed of 84,100 applications. The approximate number of such claims now pending in the bureau is 35,000.

LAW STUDENT KILLED.

Struck by a Log From a Badly Prepared Blast.

Utica, N. Y., June 15.—In Boonville, this county, John J. Burroughs received injuries from which he died. Mr. Burroughs was 24 years of age and a student of Columbia College Law school. He had been home for some weeks on account of ill health and was out to see the operations of men engaged in building waterworks.

They were blasting in Charles street, and Burroughs stood under a tree 75 yards away. The chain that held the covering to a blast broke, and a piece of log weighing 20 pounds was hurled through the air, striking the young man with great force. Slivers on the log penetrated to his lungs.

THE DAUNTLESS.

She Dodges the Marblehead and Gets Out to Sea.

Jacksonville, Fla., June 15.—A special from Key West says: The Dauntless has left on another expedition. After taking on 33 Cubans she attempted to go through the northwest passage and ran ashore. Assistance was sent for, and the tugs Clyde and Childs pulled her off. About half past 4 o'clock in the morning the Dauntless changed her course in returning to the harbor, and, passing the Marblehead, put to sea. The Marblehead started in pursuit.

The schooner Adams took 40 tons of merchandise from the Biscayne and went to sea to meet the Dauntless.

Imprisoned by a Bicycle Chain.

Nashua, N. H., June 15.—While William Robichaud, a bicyclist, was about to chain his wheel to a post opposite Odd Fellows' hall a stranger came up behind him and, snatching the chain, slipped it around Robichaud's arms and body and snapped the padlock. Robichaud could not move his hands and was securely imprisoned for two hours. Finally a policeman secured a hammer and a cold chisel, with which he cut the chain. If the stranger intended robbery, he must have been frightened away.

Children Burned to Death.

Dayton, O., June 15.—When the firemen extinguished the fire at the home of Frank Prestel, a laborer, on Nassau street, they found the badly charred bodies of Rosa, aged 6, and Albert, aged 2 years, locked in each other's arms. The children had played with matches and set fire to the upper part of the house. So rapid were the flames in their deadly work that the mother discovered the danger of her children too late to save them.

Foreclosure Suit Begun.

Chicago, June 15.—A bill has been filed to foreclose a trust deed for $190,934 on the property of the Cheltonham Beach company. The deed is dated June 25, 1891, and was given to secure a loan. The company was organized in 1891 to create a summer resort and bathing beach on Lake Michigan just south of Jackson park. About 160 acres were purchased and a hotel and minor buildings erected. The place was never a financial success.

Cubans Escape to Jamaica.

Kingston, Jamaica, June 15.—Dr Viete, chief surgeon of the Cuban insurgent army commanded by General Garcia, arrived at Rio Buena, this island, on Saturday, accompanied by 11 Cubans. They had escaped from the province of Santiago de Cuba in an open boat and brought with them dispatches for the Cuban junta at New York. These dispatches were seized by the Jamaican officials.

TALK STILL ON SUGAR

Mr. Hoar and Mr. Tillman Have a Tilt During the Discussion.

ONE VOTE TAKEN DURING THE DAY.

Lindsay's Amendment Has Been Rejected. Senator Tillman Submits a Report on His Bill For the Amendment of the Wilson Law.

Washington, June 15.—The senate debate on the sugar schedule of the tariff bill proceeded with only one diverting incident to relieve the monotony into which the discussion has lapsed. This was the sharp exchange between Mr. Hoar of Massachusetts and Mr. Tillman of South Carolina, representing the two extremes of senatorial procedure.

Mr. Tillman again referred to published charges of irregularity in connection with the sugar schedule and asserted that the senate would stand convicted before the American people if it failed to investigate the charges. Mr. Hoar calmly and impressively repelled this statement, his tone and language being calculated as a rebuke.

He declared that the vague charges of irregularity were not only preposterous, but infamous. Mr. Tillman reiterated that senators would stand convicted by the people if they sought to hide behind the senatorial toga.

Allison Makes a Speech.

Mr. Allison, in charge of the bill, made another speech in defense of the schedule, presenting tables which he declared proved that the sugar refiners received less protection under the senate schedule than under the existing law. Mr. Pettigrew of South Dakota spoke at length in favor of his amendment to place on the free list articles controlled by trusts, severely arraigning the various large trusts. Mr. Allen of Nebraska urged legal procedure against the trusts. Only one roll call occurred during the day, on Mr. Lindsay's amendment to place all sugars on the same basis. This was rejected—26 to 29—Mr. McEnery of Louisiana voting with the Republicans in the negative and Senators Pettigrew and Mantle with the Democrats in the affirmative.

Senator Tillman from the committee on interstate commerce has submitted a report on his bill for the amendment of the Wilson law concerning the commerce in liquor between the states. His bill is intended to legalize the South Carolina system, and the report just made says its enactment in view of the recent decision of Judge Simonton is necessary to protect the state from the evils of intemperance.

The report also says: "If the state of South Carolina is to be flooded, as it will be, by liquors under the pretext that they are for private use, when in fact they are for sale without analysis, it is readily seen what obstacles are thrown in the way of state control."

The conclusion is drawn that no remedy is left for restricting intemperance except prohibition, and that, the report adds, is a pronounced failure.

Republicans Hold a Caucus.

Washington, June 15.—The Republican senators were in caucus for more than three hours last night, and when adjournment was reached not very much progress had been made. Three propositions only were under consideration. These were the question of what to do with the Hawaiian reciprocity treaty, the advisability of giving a bounty on beet sugar and the question of an antitrust amendment.

The Hawaiian treaty question was passed over, the beet sugar bounty proposition was withdrawn, and the antitrust amendment was referred to the Republican members of the judiciary committee.

In reference to the Hawaiian treaty proposition several senators expressed the opinion that if it was true that a treaty of annexation was to be sent in that it would be absurd to enact legislation looking to the abrogation of the treaty of reciprocity. Senators who were aware of the progress of the annexation treaty did not feel at liberty to give the caucus full information.

Millionaire Charged With Abandonment.

Mount Vernon, Ills., June 15.—The young millionaire James E. Berry was arraigned before Judge Wells on a charge of wife abandonment preferred by his wife, Mrs. Sadie Miller Berry. The case was set for trial tomorrow, and Berry was required to give bond for $300 for his appearance. Great excitement ensued when Berry objected to furnishing bond and began displaying all kinds of bills and saying that he would furnish the bond himself without the aid of other people, and this not being permitted he made things lively by tearing a $500 bill in two while the spectators stood struck with awe at his actions. Several people signed the bond.

Swindlers Sentenced.

Boston, June 15.—J. Richard Mulrey, convicted in two trials of obtaining money from the city of Boston by false pretenses, has been sentenced in the superior court to eight years in the state prison. P. J. Finneran, convicted with Mulrey at the first trial, received a sentence of 28 months in the House of Correction and a fine of $1,400.

Fire on Ellis Island.

New York, June 15.—The main building for the reception and clearance of immigrants at Ellis island was burned this morning. This building contained the valuable records relating to the passage of immigrants into this country through this port, many of which were destroyed.

Small Town Ablaze.

Detroit, June 15.—A special from Weidman, Mich., a town of 400 inhabitants in Isabella county, says: The town is all afire. A high west wind is blowing. There is no hope of saving the main part of the town.

Heavy Rains Affect Crops.

Saratoga, June 15.—Agriculturists complain of the frequent heavy storms that have drenched this section of late, seriously affecting growing crops. The rainfall during the past four weeks has been unusually heavy.

Rev. Dr. Conway Resigns.

London, June 15.—The Rev. Dr. Moncure D. Conway, minister of the South Place Ethical society, has resigned his pastorate, owing to the health of his wife.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 4:28 a. m.
Sun Sets: 7:32 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 8:32 p. m.

GOSSIP OF THE CYCLERS.

TEMS INTERESTING TO DEVOTEES OF THE STEEL STEEDS.

The Popular Exercise Provides Incidents and Expressions That are of Especial Moment When Wheeling is the Rage

The Select Few enjoyed a run to Princeton, Sunday.

The Boys' Bicycle Brigade of the Y. M. C. A. held a run on Saturday afternoon to Dunellen to see the baseball game there. Walter Long was in command.

The Prospect Wheelmen, of Brooklyn, to the number of about 50, Sunday enjoyed a club run to Elizabeth and New Brunswick, returning by way of this city. At Scott's Printing Press Works, they dismounted and were photographed in a group.

Captain T. A. Cuming and Physical Director C. E. A. Hayward of the Y. M. C. A. Cyclers went over the route for the Patriotic Holiday trip, Friday, and picked out the roads and measured the distance. The distance will about sixty-five miles by going the shortest way. The trip takes in Rahway, Perth Amboy, Tottenville, S. I., South Beach, Fort Wadsworth, Fort George, New York City, Riverside Drive, Grant's Tomb, Fort Lee, the Hudson County Boulevard, Bergen Point, Elizabeth and back to Plainfield. The run will be held on July 5th, and will be captained by Thomas A. Cuming. The cost of the entire trip will be less than one dollar, including everything. The colors are blue and white.

AROUND THE BASES.

McLarney, of Staten Island, has been signed as pitcher by the Crescent management.

The Westfield team will meet the Crescents in this city next Saturday. The former has been playing good ball.

In the last game of a series of three, the Plainfield High School team defeated the Leal's School team, Friday afternoon, by a score of 15 to 9. Sutphen and Lederer were the regular battery for the High School. Dupee and Moore, both outsiders, were the other battery. The game was played on the Crescents grounds.

There should be a rule on the Crescents grounds that a hit knocked into the chicken yard should entitle the batter to two or at the most three bases. In the opening game of the season, Charley Mumford batted one in there and made the complete circuit of the bases. In the High School-Leal School game, last week, Charley Denise did the same with the same result. In either case had the ball been fielded promptly, it would have been but a two base hit.

Pitcher Cox was in hard luck Saturday in his game for the Crescents. There is no doubt but that the Somersets found him an easy prey at that time but then every pitcher has an off day and Cox is not differ from the rest. McLarney, who pitched the last few innings for the Crescents, is from the New Jersey State League and he has been signed to play regularly for the Crescents. The only trouble Saturday was that Kipling could not hold him and so he could not let himself out. Bolsterli will be tried behind the bat this week and it takes a pretty swift ball to be too hot for him.

George Schoonmaker will retire from the diamond for a time on account of water on the knee. He started the season as third base for the Crescents but he was unable to play last week and Bolsterli took his place. John Cooney, one of the well-known local players, has been signed to play third for the Crescents hereafter. It is with sorrow that a good bye is said to Schoonmaker as he has been a prominent figure on the amateur diamond for several years. He was one of the best hitters to be found and was always to be counted on for something in time of need. His abilities as a base-runner and infielder were well known.

Heretofore, there has been a lack of good baseball in this city but this year, there promised to be more than enough. It is probably a good thing for the sport and all the teams concerned that the Y. M. C. A. has at last decided not to put a team on the field. When the Crescents were organized early in the year, many of the best players of the Y. M. C. A. were taken into that team. When Mr. Hayward talked of organizing a nine, some of these players said that they would return to the Y. M. C. A. if needed. Then there were other players who wanted to play on the Y. M. C. A. team. Mr. Hayward has been on the best of terms with the Crescent management and did not wish to take away their players. As there were no available grounds and two strong teams on the field already from this city, it was finally decided to give up all thought of a team this year. Then the financial part of the plan had to be be considered and altogether it was deemed best not to play this year.

WHIST.

The Park Club challenge whist trophy was played for last week and the Passaic Gun Club four succeeded in takin it away from the Roseville Athletic Association representatives.

STATE COMMITTEE TO MEET.

Money Question, It Is Said, Will Play No Part in Democrats' Fall Campaign.

The Democratic State Committee, over which Colonel E. Livingston Price presided during the campaign, will hold its first meeting since last fall, in Newark on Wednesday. The object of the meeting is to consider a plan for action for the coming fall contest and to secure the co-operation of all the democrats in the State.

It is said that only State issues will be discussed and that the money question will play a part in the campaign. The sound money democratic committee, of which former State Senator Henry C. Winton is chairman, are to hold a meeting to decide whether to continue the organization or to join with Colonel Price's committee and work for the election of a United States Senator and democratic Governor.

The democrats believe they are in a fair way to secure both, because of factional quarrels in the republican party. Former Vice Chancellor Bird, Quartermaster General Donnelly, Judge Job Lippincott and Mayor Seymour, of Newark, are considered available men.

The Union county democrats are going to have a harmony dinner in Elizabeth on June 28. Senator W. D. Daly, of Hudson, is to be the orator. He says that the democrats who stood by the organization last year will not allow the gold democrats to come back into the camp unless they show repentance.

FROM PULPIT TO SANCTUM.

The Desire to Become an Editor Tempts a Good Man.

The Rev. J. A. Wells, pastor of the Liberty Corner Presbyterian church, who last year caused so much comment by running for Congress in the Third District on the Silver Democractic ticket, has branched forth as an aspirant for editoral honors. A short time ago he sent in his regination to the elders of the church, to take effect the first of October next. He has announced that he intends to become the editor of the "Bernardsville News," a Democratic weekly, now run by his son, J. E. Wills.

He is now doing most of the editorial work on the paper. Bernardsville is only a short distance from Liberty Corner. Considerable comment was prevalent among his parishoners last fall by his action in accepting the nomination and touring the country in quest of votes. There was some talk of asking for his resignation, but this was forgotten when he was defeated. He returned home and took up the charge after the campaign.

It is not known who will be called to fill his vacancy.

His Hand Operated On.

Nathan Titsworth, of Madison avenue, was obliged to undergo an operation a few days ago for the removal of a growth on the hand. The growth was the result of an accident Mr. Titsworth met with a few days ago when he fell off of his wheel.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Armstrong, of Duer street, enjoyed a call yesterday from their cousin, Charles Wright, of Philadelphia.

THE MAYOR'S FIRST VISIT.

He Found the City Court an Interesting Place.

Mayor Fisk paid his first visit to the City Court this morning and found much to interest him. Bridget Cunningham, one of the city's charges, was arraigned for swearing at Councilman Westphal, chairman of the alms committee, because he wanted her to live on the city farm. Sentence was suspended.

John Smith, a cigarmaker, was drunk and disorderly on Somerset street, when found by Patrolman Saffron and locked up. He was fined $5. Sentence was suspended on Max Hanson, who was helplessly drunk.

Joseph Konkosy didn't "know nothing," according to his own statement. The police knew that he had been drunk and he was fined $19. He came from Bound Brook.

W. D. Hazeltine was arrested for being a suspicious character and for peddling without a license. Sentence was suspendud on him.

A Bicycle Party.

Miss Daisy Elsberg, of Prospect place, gave a bicycle party to about thirty of her friends, last evening. The party started from home on Prospect place in the borough and rode over to Park avenue and out that wide thoroughfare to Pumptown and Metuchen. Some of the party went all the way to Metuchen while others waited at Pumptown. On the return refreshments were enjoyed at Miss Elsberg's home and all the party adjourned to the Park Club house where an informal dance in bicycle costume was held.

Died in the Far West.

The many friends of Insley Gardner will learn with sorrow of his death which occurred at his home in Helena, Mon., Monday, May 31st, after an illness of a year, with paralysis. During the past year Mr. Gardner was unable to work and was confined to his home continually. He leaves a wife and two children, one of whom, a son, is in Yale College. Mr. Gardner many years ago was a resident of Plainfield and carried on the butcher business. There are many older people who will remember him for he was well known in this locality.

Death of James F. Billett.

The death of James F. Billett, aged 75 years, occurred last evening at his home, 32 Elm place. He was a native of Canada and had lived in this country about three years. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock from the house. Interment at Whitehall, N. Y.

VanNest Discharged.

Frank VanNest, who was engaged in a row in Charles Bock's restaurant on Somerset street last Saturday night, was arraigned before Recorder Thomas last evening. Owing to the fact that no one appeared against VanNest the Recorder discharged him with a reprimand.

Violated a Health Ordinance.

Mr. Duffy, of Manning avenue, was arraigned yesterday before Justice Mattison charged with violating the health ordinance of the borough in keeping a nuisance about his cow sheds. The Justice fined Duffy $17, it being his first offense.

Fall Broke Her Wrist.

Miss Bessie L. Reynolds, a sister of H. P. Reynolds, while taking a lesson at bicycle riding on Washington avenue, this morning, fell and fractured her left wrist. Dr. George W. Endicott was called and set the injured bone.

—The case of Brady against Hunter, on contract, which was to have been tried in Justice Mosher's court today, has been postponed to July 6th.

—The Sunshine Mission Band of the Crescent avenue church will hold an ice cream and cake sale on Friday evening from 4 to 6 o'clock in the church parlors.

—A summons was issued from Justice Mosher's court, yesterday afternoon, in the case of William D. Johnston against George S. Rockwell, on contract, returnable on the 24th inst.

—A sale of valuable real estate will take place Thursday afternoon at Carey's auction room. The sale comprises a number of desirable houses and lots, which is made to settle up the estate of the late James Jackson.

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—Plainfield Lodge No. 44, I. O. O. F., met last evening and witnessed the drill of its new team for conducting initiatory services.

—The Sunday-school mission band of Crescent avenue Presbyterian church will hold a candy and cake sale on Friday from 2 until 6 o'clock.

Miss MacCracken, daughter of Chancellor MacCracken, of New York University, left town yesterday, after a visit of several days with her friend, Miss Shreve, of Grove street.

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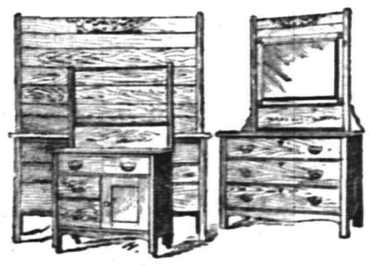

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FINE MUSICAL PROGRAMME GIVEN AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

"The Daughter of Jairus" Rendered by Talented Local Vocalists Under Direction of Messrs. McCutchen and Fitzhugh.

The large audience that gathered at the First Baptist church last evening was a critically musical one and the general opinion expressed was that the musical service presented was one of the finest ever listened to in this city. It was given under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of the church and Charles W. McCutchen, who has charge of the music, offered the services of the members of church choir for the production of that very musical cantata, "The Daughter of Jairus," by Sir John Stainer, of Cambridge, England. The cantata was written for a certain festival held in England and while it has been produced in this country a number of times it was entirely new to Plainfielders. The entire service was under the leadership of E. J. Fitzhugh, who has charge of the church choir, and at the close Mr. Fitzhugh deservedly complimented the members who took part.

Part first of the service was devoted to the rendition of two very pretty anthems, "Whoso Dwelleth Under the Defence of the Most High," and "Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee," while the organ prelude, "Fiat Lux," and "Andante," by Howard Case, organist, preceded the above selections. The last anthem contained an alto solo which was given by Mrs. S. A. Ward, contralto. The rendition was perfect and the rich sweet voice of the singer has never been heard to better advantage.

The last part of the programme was given to the presentation of the cantata which was given in its entirety. The solo parts were taken by Miss Harris, soprano; G. W. Smith, tenor; and William Holmes, basso. Especially noteworthy was the rendition of that part entitled "The Wailing," by the chorus of women, and the duet for soprano and tenor, while the parts given by the chorus were equally effective.

The cantata contains a great deal of work for the soprano and Miss Harris performed her part with credit. She has a most pleasing voice and it has improved wonderfully since she made her first appearance in this city It has a sufficient volume while the quality and tone is rich and full. Regarding Mr. Smith, tenor, and Mr. Holmes, basso, it can be said that their work was fully up to the standard. Their work last evening was highly praised by all. In the part where Miss Harris and Mr. Smith sang the duet a grand effect was obtained. The chorus work throughout was superb, being clear and strong. The choir was assisted by Miss Petrie, Miss Bowers, Miss Carman, Miss Carroll, Mrs. Biglow, Maxwell Honeyman, John Steiner, Everett Peck, W. K. Dwight, A. J. Moore, of this city; Herbert Forrest and J. A. Rumrill, tenors, of Brooklyn.

The last two named persons are members of Mr. Fitzhugh's Choral Society, in Brooklyn. They strengthened the chorus very much, as did also the others who are not members of the choir.

A very pretty effect was obtained through the decorations, which consisted of potted plants and flowers, arranged about the pulpit platform in front of the singers.

Much praise is due Mr. Fitzhugh and Mr. Case for the very efficient manner in which they assisted in the service.

A Caveat Filed.

The will of Rachael B. Clark, of Rahway, who died recently, was offered for probate to the Surrogate of Union county Monday. A caveat has been filed against the probate of the will and the same will be contested in court. James Clark, of West Seventh street, is the executor named in the will and former Mayor John H. Van Winkle, of the borough, is his counsel. The will involves an estate of considerable value.

To Be Sentenced Tomorrow.

John Risberg, who was convicted last Thursday by a jury in a Newark court, will come up before Judge Fort tomorrow. He was charged with being implicated in the death of Mrs. Mary Noble. He has retained Senator Charles A. Reed and Judge G. W. DeMeza, of this city, to represent him. An appeal will be made for a new trial.

Secrecy About This Marriage.

Monday evening at 6:15 o'clock Justice Mosher was summoned to a Plainfield residence to marry a couple from out of town. As all the formalities had been complied with and the parties were of full age, the Justice performed the ceremony and the couple left town rejoicing.

SWEET GIRL GRADUATES.

EXERCISES OF GRADUATING CLASS AT THE SEMINARY.

Two Bright Young Ladies Receive Diplomas Testifying to Their Accomplishments in the Great World of Books.

The exercises of the graduating class of the Plainfield Seminary were held held yesterday morning in Seminary Hall, when Miss Caroline Edith Boone, daughter of Dr. W. C. Boone, and Miss Jennie L. Churchill, of Dunellen, received their diplomas, surrounded by their comrades in the school, relatives and a few friends. A pretty back ground to the hall was made by screens draped with vines and roses, against which the girl graduates, in dainty white dresses, made a very pleasing picture. A hymn sung by the school and the repeating of the Lord's prayer were followed by instrumental music, Miss Harriet Efner Strong rendering effectively "The Shepherd's Tale" and "Papillon" on the piano.

Miss Jennie L. Churchill read a deeply interesting thesis on the subject, England's Poets Laureate." She referred briefly to the origin of the poet's laurel crowning in ancient days of Greece and Rome, out of which grew the custom of appointing a poet to sing to order of the notable events of England's King and Kingdom. The impossibility of commanding inspiration was hinted at, and the criticism made, that instead of unrivalled genuis being the necessary qualification to the office, sympathy with the policy of the government had often controlled the choice. Of the fourteen poets laureate who had served the crown in their verse writing, she referred to the five more distinguished than the others, Ben Jonson, Dryden, Southey, Wordsworth and Tennyson, giving the influence of the poet on the office and the office on the poet. Of these, Dryden was the only one who degraded it, Southey the only one who took it ever seriously. Wordsworth and Tennyson were the only great poets who had honored the office and been honored by it

Miss Kenyon, the principal, explained that according to the custom of the school a graduate in preparation for college was excused from writing a thesis, and therefore Miss Boone was excused from this task. Two instrumental selections, charmingly executed by Miss Ruby Kieb preceded the presentation of diplomas by Miss E. E. Kenyon. In a few well-chosen words Miss Kenyon referred to the thesis that was read, showing that worldly honor sometimes came when well deserved, and sometimes without merit, but she wished for these graduates an ambition above worldly honor, the faithfulness to duty and loyalty to truth that would gain the approval of One higher than any earthly potentate, and would win an unfading crown. The exercises closed with the singing of "Roses Blow," the farewell of the school to the class.

Miss Churchill intends to enter the Conservatory of Music at Boston for musical training, and Miss Boone is planning to enter Cornell University in the autumn.

FAVORABLE FOR THE TROLLEY.

Fifty Per Cent of the Consents Said to Have Been Secured.

The trolley magnates have secured nearly all of the 50 per cent of the property owners' signatures along the proposed route, says the Elizabeth Journal, and is now probable that the franchise will be asked for at the next meeting of the township committee.

The proposed route of the Elizabeth and Plainfield trolley line is as follows: From the union depot at Elizabeth, out Morris avenue to Sayre street, to Westfield avenue, which is the county road; along said county road through North avenue at Cranford, directly into Westfield by Picton street, to Elmer, to Broad street, down Elm to the depot and thence out North avenue to Plainfield. Surveyors have been very busy surveying all the streets in the township, but the above named route is the one most desired by the trolley company.

Weather Against Crops.

The following is Weather Observer Neagle's report of crops in this vicinity for the past week: The weather for the past week has been much against the advancement of crops; corn not doing well and troubled by cut worms; grass and grain fine.

A Venerable Parrot.

P. Marron, of West Second street, has a venerable parrot which he says is over 100 years old. The bird was the property of Mr. Marron's grandparents, and in all its actions it displays a wisdom befitting its great age.

A Master in Chancery.

Francis J. Blatz, of Somerset street, has been appointed Master in Chancery by Chancellor McGill upon the recommendation of ex-Mayor John H. VanWinkle.

RECTOR STAYED TO RUIN

THE PASSING OF A FAMOUS AND COMPLICATED CHURCH QUARREL.

A Once Prosperous Westfield Church Sold by the Sheriff Today After Passing Through a Career of Dissensions.

The sale of the Grace Episcopal church property, in Westfield, which took place today, is the last chapter in the history of one of the most remarkable legal struggles ever passed through by a church corporation in this State. The story is that of a rector who was distasteful to his congregation, but who would not leave when asked to do so. An effort was made to compel him to go, and the struggle involved the church in a maze of legal difficulties which grew denser from year to year, and resulted in the dispersion of the congregation and the loss of its once valuable property.

The history of the case is a long one. The land upon which the church edifice stood was originally donated to the corporation known as the Rector, Warden and Vestry of Grace church, Westfield, by the wealthy Mills estate, whose representatives live at Summit. In the deed of gift there was a condition that the land should be forever devoted to maintaining the worship of the Episcopal church. At the time of the gift, $1,500 was borrowed on bond and mortgage from the Mutual Life Insurance Company, of New York, and this mortgage upon the land was consented to in the Mills deed.

The affairs of the little congregation prospered until the vestry in 1890 called Rev. J. B. Jennings to the pastorate. Then a change came. It was soon evident that the church was no longer prospering.

The attendance and revenue were falling off, so the vestry met and requested Mr. Jennings to resign. To this letter the rector paid no attention, and the vestry took the matter to Bishop Scarborough who tried, without success, to arbitrate between the parties.

Some grave things began about this time to be whispered about concerning the rector. Members of the congregation found themselves differing quite often with him upon questions of fact. Another appeal was now made to the Bishop of the diocese, and he, treating the complaint as one affecting the moral character of the rector, appointed a commission in the name of a grand jury to investigate the matter, and report whether or not a trial was necessary. The commission after holding its hearings reported that the charges were not proved and refused to make a presentation

Not discouraged by this decision the vestry again appealed to the Bishop. This time the appeal was classed differently, and the case was considered merely as one of difference between a rector and his congregation. In such cases the canon law gives the Bishop the right, where he cannot arbitrate, to make such a decision as may seem to him right and just. In accordance with this right, the Bishop made a decision to the effect that Jennings should leave within thirty days and should receive his salary up to the date of his going. The salary had run considerably in arrears and amounted at this time to about $700. The vestry gladly accepted the decision but Mr. Jennings appealed from it. The appeal was tried by the standing commission of the diocese, consisting of clergymen and laymen, and the Bishop's decision was confirmed.

Jennings now carried the matter into the Supreme Court of New Jersey and there obtained a decision to the effect that the Bishop and the commission had not followed the canon law, and that the order removing the rector was therefore void.

This decision was rendered early in 1893. Up to this time the interest upon the mortgage of $1,500 had been paid by individual members of the congregation, but upon the announcement of the Supreme Court's verdict, payment of interest ceased, and foreclosure proceedings were begun by the holders of the mortgage. The congregation had before this all deserted the church, and nothing remained of the corporation except the pastor. By advice of his counsel he went regularly to church on Sunday, rang the bell, and went through the form of conducting services. Elections had not been held; no vestry was in existence, and there was no one who could by law make a new appeal to the Bishop for Jennings' removal.

During all this time the pastor's salary had been running at the rate of $1,000 a year. When it reached the amount of $2,700 he made an assignment of the claim to William Davidson, who easily secured judgments for the amount, as no defense was made.

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FIRST C. E. BICYCLE RUN.

A TRIPLE ALLIANCE OF BICYCLING, RELIGION AND SOCIABILITY.

An Innovation in Local Church Circles Proves a Great Success—The Ride to Mt. Pleasant Followed by Brief Service.

A triple alliance was formed of bicycling, religion and sociability, last evening, by the Christian Endeavorers, and it proved to be a powerful one, indeed. The bicycling squad of the Christian Endeavor Local Union held its first run to Mount Pleasant, and successfully combined a prayer meeting, a sociable and a bicycle ride.

Church runs were inaugurated in this city last year, but it was merely the gathering of the congregation for a little spin on the fine roads. Monday night the Epworth League of the First M. E. church held its first bicycle sociable. Last night the long talked-of visitation run of the Endeavorers was scheduled to be held. It was held and its complete success, so far as those who went were concerned, gave the officers of the Local Union something to think about. Certain it is that many went on the run and attended the meeting who could not have otherwise been persuaded to attend a service last evening. The novelty of the affair had its effect, while the bicycle drew many there who would not have otherwise come.

Weather Observer Neagle promised showers for yesterday afternoon and evening. The showers came in the afternoon all right and laid the dust, but in the evening they were luckily absent. The rain of the afternoon had its effect, however. Many who had planned to go on the run gave it up when they saw the dark clouds. Then the reputation of the road to Mount Pleasant from Avon Park had spread among the Endeavorers and some did not care to ride over the narrow side path or experiment with the rocky and sandy places in the dark. Both these facts combined to lessen the number of participants.

At first it looked as if the Endeavorers were going to be scarce, indeed, and the captain, Miss Ernestine Smith, was in despair. The party grew, however, in numbers, and finally Captain Smith decided that it was time to start.

Headed by Miss Smith and her aide, Robert Randolph, who acted in the capacity of lieutenant, the column of wheelmen and wheelwomen started. Following closely came Miss Elizabeth Allis, the color bearer, carrying the pretty green and white silk pennant of the Local Union. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mosher acted as chaperones of the party, which at the start from the Seventh day Baptist church, numbered twenty-three. New recruits joined the procession as it continued up Park avenue, stopping a moment at the Park avenue Baptist church to pick up the Endeavorers who had gathered there. Some had ridden on ahead and others followed and caught the column before it arrived at its destination.

It was still light when the long line of wheels turned off Park avenue and up the road to Mount Pleasant. There was a side path most of the way which was fairly smooth, but, to tell the truth, it was by no means the best riding that could be found. The experienced riders had no difficulty, but the others found side-path riding no easy task. The riders were carefully separated by La Rue Bliss and Stanley Mosher, who acted as aides, and kept the required distance, ten feet, between them. Dismounts were frequent, but the careful managament of the run prevented accidents.

The brightness of the setting sun in the west was fast fading as the single line of wheelmen and wheelwomen, numbering fifty, rode up the hill that led to the chapel. The pennant waved gaily in the breeze as the officers dismounted and advanced to meet DeWitt DeForrest, president of the Mount Pleasant Christian Endeavor Society, who was waiting to receive them. The other members of the Mount Pleasant Society grouped themselves on the steps of their pretty little chapel and made a charming picture. A welcome hand was extended to the visitors and they were directed to store their wheels in the large barn in the rear of the home of Mr. DeForrest, which is next to the chapel. Miss Florence G Hawkins, secretary of the Local Union, who had driven up with a number of other Endeavorers, joined the group.

The visitors were all in wheeling costume, quiet and modest, a trifle dusty, perhaps, for the rain of the afternoon had hardly laid the dust.

The bicyclists tramped into the chapel and the meeting was opened by Mr. DeForrest with a song service. After a short address by the leader, an enthusiastic service of testimony

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FIREMEN THEIR GUESTS.

DRUMMER BOYS CELEBRATE THEIR FIFTH ANNIVERSARY.

City, Borough and Somerville Fire Laddies Invited to Assemble Around the Festive Board—A Jovial Time Was Enjoyed.

The fifth anniversary of the Independent Fife and Drum Corps was celebrated last evening in an appropriate manner and to make the event an auspicious one the corps invited the members of No. 2 Engine Company, of this city, Warren Engine Company, of North Plainfield, and Central Hook and Latter Company, of Somerville, to join in partaking of a supper at the Hotel Tuilleries. The members of the Corps were attired in their handsome new uniforms. After meeting their guests they held a short parade about town after which they proceeded to the hotel where they set down to the feast. While seated at the table there were speeches by Chief Schenck, ex-Chief John Wherley, and Mr. Vandeventer, of Somerville; Chief T. O. Doane, Andrew Jennings, of this city, ex-Chief Fairchild and J. D. Anderson, of the borough, and Councilman Newman, of this city.

The social part of the affair was marked. An unlooked for surprise was given when Mr. Vandeventer, on behalf of Central Hook and Ladder Company, of Somerville, presented the corps with a picture of the members of his company together with their apparatus and horses. The presentation was made in a neat speech. The gift was received for the Corps by Major Frank Manchester with a few appropriate remarks.

After the supper the guests were escorted to the various fire department houses where they expressed many compliments on the fine appearance of everything. Later in the evening all hands visited the headquarters of the North Plainfield company and here the good time was continued. It was rather late when the Somerville boys departed for home but they all agreed that they had been treated royally by their friends.

BIDS FOR SCHOOL ADDITION.

Hummer Brothers Awarded the Contract for $1,562.

A meeting of the commitee on buildings and repairs of the Board of Education was held last evening and revised bids were received for the addition to the Stillman School. The committee decided that the successful bidder should be required to furnish a bond in the sum of $1,000 for the faithful performance of his contract, and also decided the amount of the contract should be paid in two payments.

The bids were opened and were as follows: Henry H. Jessup, $1,571; John Emmons, $1,789; Mundy Bros., $1,600; Hummer Bros., $1,562; John Abbott, $1,725. It was decided to award the contract to the lowest bidder, Messrs. Hummer Bros.

The committee discussed the question of repairs on the various school buildings, and decided to obtain estimates in order that the same might be acted upon at the next meeting.

MISSIONARY ENTERTAINMENT.

Interest Taken by Junior Endeavorers in a Good Cause.

A missionary entertainment was held at Warren chapel, yesterday afternoon, under the auspices of the Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the chapel. The programme consisted of recitations by Edith Squires, Jennie Smith, Jennie Everitt and Frankie Whitely. The superintendent Mrs. McKelvey, read a letter from Mrs. Edward Taylor, formerly a member of the chapel, but now living in the west. Mrs. Taylor enclosed $3 for the society.

The programme concluded with the singing of "Why I Love Jesus," by ten little girls, members of the society. The last part of the afternoon was devoted to the serving of refreshments. Gussie Seader, Minnie Frieze and Mary Seader served the cake, while Theodore Kohler and Henry Wilson passed the lemonade. Mrs. William Wilson had charge of the cake and she was assisted by Miss Hattie Taynor. The pastor, Rev. J. McKelvey, acted as master of ceremonies.

—Carried unanimously—the fans sold at Peck's.

—The latest of the exhilerating summer drinks to be offered to the sweltering public is the "fruit ices" now being served at Armstrong's model pharmacy at the corner of Park and North avenues. On a real warm day this decoction seems to strike just the right spot for the thirsty person. It not only has a cooling effect, but tickles the palate as well. The ingredients are perfectly pure and wonderfully enervating to the system. Step in and give it a trial.

CRUSHED BOTH HIS LEGS.

EDWARD SMITH SEVERELY INJURED BY COLLIDING COAL CARS.

Caught Between Two Cars and Saved His Life by Jumping and Having His Feet Pinioned and Crushed in a Cruel Manner

In his efforts to stop a collision between two empty coal cars, at South Plainfield yesterday morning, Edward Smith had both legs crushed and narrowly escaped with his life. Smith is the man who was robbed some time ago of $500 by his son and several small boys from Plainfield.

Smith lives on the road between South Plainfield and Holly's Corners and is employed by the Lehigh Valley Coal Company. He was working in the yard, yesterday, when the accident occurred. In one place in the yard two tracks run side by side for a distance and then cross each other. Smith was on an empty coal car that was coming down one of the tracks with considerable speed. On the other track was another coal car moving very slowly. Smith waited until the two cars almost reached the crossing and jumped to the ground in front of the slowly moving car and tried to stop it. Before he could do it, the car was on the crossing and the other car close at hand. Smith was between them. He did not see his predicament until too late to run. As the cars came together, he jumped hoping to grasp one of the cars. The effort was made in time to save his life for instead of having his body crushed between the two heavy cars, he was pinnioned fast by the legs.

There were a number of other employes in the yard at the time but they could not reach the cars in time to prevent the crash. They soon released Smith from his very painful position and an engine was sent to Metuchen for medical aid. Smith's lower limbs were frightfully crushed just above the knee and it is probable that he will lose both of them. The bones were ground to powder. The cars were wrecked a little by the crash and a heavy hickory beam on one of them was completely ground to splinters by the force of the collision.

Drs. Andress and Dana, of Metuchen, were brought as soon as possible and did all in their power to relieve the injured man. After his wounds were dressed, he was conveyed in a train to St. Michael's Hospital, in Newark

Smith is fifty-five years old. He has a wife and two children, who will be looked after by the Relief Association of the Lehigh Valley Railroad. He has lived near South Plainfield for twelve years.

THE DANDY POLICE.

They Are Now Attired in Stylish New Uniforms.

The Plainfield police made their initial appearance in their new summer uniforms, last evening, when the members of the Plainfield Police Board inspected the patrolmen and roundsmen of the force. The inspection was held at the Pierce Cycle Academy.

All the members of the Police Board and several of the other Councilmen were present. The entire regular force, including Chief Grant, Sergeant Kiely, Roundsmen Frederickson and Flynn and twelve patrolmen, were present and passed through some simple evolutions under the command of Councilman Barrows.

The new uniform consists of a blue single breasted frock coat, instead of the old sack coat; blue trousers, with white stripe at the side, and grey helmets. All the day patrolmen turned out for regular duty in their new uniforms this morning.

ANXIOUS FOR A CLEAR TITLE.

Trinity Reformed Church Members Hope to Avoid a Mortgage.

The committee appointed by the Consistory of Trinity Reformed church to solicit subscriptions to defray the expenses of building the new Sunday school room under the present church building, met for conference last evening in the lecture-room of the church. Robert Clark, Jr., was elected permanent chairman of the committee and F. S. Cutter secretary. In the absence of Mr. Clark, George L. Van Emburgh was elected temporary chairman for the evening. There were eighteen members of the committee present and all seemed thoroughly enthused on the subject of raising the entire amount necessary to complete the improvement, and thus not place a mortgage on the church property. Each one present was given a subscription blank to solicit money for the object and today a start will be made by those in possession of the subscription blanks to try to raise the amount necessary.

Look Out For Oscar.

Oscar Vaughn, the new borough dog catcher, is meeting with great success.

GREAT STRIDE MADE

Consideration of Sugar Schedule Nearly Completed.

THE HAWAIIAN PROVISION PUZZLE.

Mr. Pettigrew, Whose Antitrust Amendment Was Laid on the Table, Offered Another—Mr. Chilton Also Has an Antitrust Article.

Washington, June 16.—The senate has made a great stride forward by completing the consideration of the sugar schedule of the tariff bill except the provision relating to Hawaii, which went over. This schedule has been the storm center of the entire bill, and with it disposed of there is better prospect for speedy action on the bill as a whole. The first paragraph of the sugar schedule has served to bring out all the speeches and the test votes, and when this was passed the other paragraphs of the schedule were agreed to without further opposition.

As agreed to the schedule places on sugar not above No. 16, Dutch standard, 1 cent per pound and .03 of a cent for every degree above 75 and on sugars above No. 16, Dutch standard, 1.95 per pound. The other provisions of the schedule relate to maple sugar, maple sirup, candy, etc.

Only one yea and nay vote was taken during the day, on the amendment of Mr. Lindsay of Kentucky, to make the rate 1.8 cent per pound on sugar above No. 16, Dutch standard. The amendment was defeated—32 to 35.

The Pettigrew amendment relating to trusts was then taken up and discussed at length. It developed considerable divergence of view on both sides of the chamber, the two Alabama senators, Messrs. Morgan and Pettus, joining Mr. Hoar of Massachusetts in opposition.

Mr. Allison finally tested the sense of the senate by moving to table the amendment, which motion prevailed—yeas, 35; nays, 32—two Democrats, Morgan and McEnery, voting with the Republicans to table and thus turning the scale against the amendment.

More Antitrust Amendments.

Immediately after Senator Pettigrew's antitrust amendment to the tariff bill was laid on the table he gave notice of another amendment of the same character in the shape of a proviso, as follows:

"That none of the increased rates of duty provided for in this act shall apply to any articles or commodities the sale or manufacture of which is controlled by trusts in this country."

Senator Chilton of Texas also offered an antitrust amendmen, as follows:

"If any manufacturer, dealer, carrier or other person knowing that any article or articles of like character to those upon which duties are levied under this act are manufactured or their sale controlled or their price affected by a trust or combination shall send or transmit any such articles from one state to another, such manufacturer, dealer or carrier shall, upon conviction before any circuit court of the United States, be punished by imprisonment not more than three years."

Senator Pasco gave notice of an amendment which differs from Senator Pettigrew's original amendment only in detail, principally as to the means of proceeding in court to determine the existence of a trust. One of the provisions requires the court to determine whether a trust proved to exist affects the raw material or improved article. In case the court finds an article to be the product of a trust the secretary of the interior is to make an order directing the customs officers to permit its admission free of duty.

United Workmen's Doings.

Milwaukee, June 16.—The supreme lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen has reached final adjournment. After a lively fight Asbury Park, N. J., was selected as the next meeting place. J. G. Tate was engaged as a supreme lecturer for the order for the coming year. A move to amend the constitution so as to have a "suicide" clause, refusing to pay death benefits in cases of suicides, was laid over without debate until the next annual session. The supreme master workman was empowered to recognize the order in Oklahoma, where it has been conducted in a clandestine manner for some time.

Alleged Fugitives From Justice.

Providence, June 16.—William Smith, alias Connors; Frank Emerson, alias Gilchrist; James Sheridan, James Morrisey and Harry C. Mills, the five men who were arrested as suspicious persons by detectives three weeks ago, were brought into the district court and were rearraigned on two warrants charging them with being fugitives from justice from Albany, where, it is stated, they were wanted for safe breaking. The men pleaded not guilty and were held under $5,000 each for trial next Tuesday.

Ex-Congressman's Father Dead.

New York, June 16.—Benjamin Fairchild, father of former Congressman Benjamin L. Fairchild, died at his home in Pelham. Mr. Fairchild was a southerner by birth and an officer in the United States treasury department at Washington under the administrations of Presidents Lincoln and Grant. He was 68 years of age and is survived by two sons.

Railroad to Issue Bonds.

Concord, N. H., June 16.—At the special meeting of the Concord and Montreal railroad stockholders it was voted to issue bonds to the amount of $650,000 at a rate of interest not exceeding 2 per cent semiannually, to reimburse the Boston and Maine railroad for whatever sums it might pay upon the claim of the Manchester and Lawrence road.

Boston's Naval Prison In Good Order.

Washington, June 16.—Judge Advocate General Lemly has just returned to Washington from Boston, where he made the annual inspection of the naval prison, with the result that the institution was found to be in admirable order and the prisoners hearty and strong.

A Veteran Drops Dead.

Saratoga, June 16.—John Reed, aged 53 years, of Ballston Spa, dropped dead at Rock City Falls. He was a veteran of the late war. Coroner Varney is investigating the case.

HAWAII ANNEXATION

The Treaty Ready For Signatures of Negotiators.

THE ISLAND'S DEBT TO BE ASSUMED.

The Question Will Probably Go Before Congress This Week—No Action of the House Can Change the Situation if Ratified by the Senate.

Washington, June 16.—The Hawaiian annexation treaty is now ready for the formal signatures of the negotiators, Secretary Sherman for the United States government and either Minister Hatch or Mr. Lorin Thurston as a special commissioner for the government of Hawaii. It will probably be sent to the senate this week.

At a cabinet meeting, in the course of the discussion of the treaty, it was decided that its pendency in the senate would not necessarily cause any considerable obstruction to the progress of the tariff bill, and while there is every disposition on the part of the president to avoid any interference with the rights of the senate in the matter it can be stated that the treaty will not go in with any idea that it is not the wish of the executive that it should be acted on promptly. While the treaty is in the senate, either in the hands of the committee on foreign relations or on the calendar of executive business, it is the expectation that the people of the United States will have an opportunity through the press and other mediums to declare their sentiments upon the matter, and if, as is expected, there is an overwhelming declaration for annexation, it is believed that the senate will be quick to respond to the demand. In this case the treaty, it is believed, can be taken up and ratified in the course of one or two executive sessions, while the regular tariff debates are in progress daily.

To Assume Hawaii's Debt.

The manner in which the Hawaiian treaty will come before the house is in the paragraph which provides that the United States shall assume the present debt of Hawaii. This will not in any way affect the treaty or interfere with its adoption. Irrespective and before any action will be submitted to the house will come the ratification of the treaty by the senate. If the treaty is ratified, no action by the house can change the condition. Failure of the house to appropriate money to pay the debt or the interest on it may become a future complication, but the ratification of the treaty by the senate will annex the islands.

The treaty which made Alaska a part of this country carried with it an appropriation of several million dollars. There was a most bitter contention in the house about making the appropriation, but the senate had by treaty ratified the agreement. Of course, if congress by action of the house had refused to make the appropriation, then Russia would have held possession of Alaska. The refusal of the house to appropriate funds for the debt of Hawaii or the interest thereon will not, it is said, prevent annexation, but the payment of the debt or the interest would be a subject for future consideration and a question between the province, colony or territory of Hawaii and the holders of the debt if congress should not pay it.

No Annuity For Queen Lil.

The one point of importance in which the treaty differs from the convention negotiated by Secretary Foster in President Harrison's administration is in the omission of any provision for ex-Queen Liliuokalani and the Princess Kaiulani.

In the original treaty it was provided that the government of the United States should pay the ex-queen the sum of $20,000 cash and the same amount of money as a pension each year during the remainder of her natural life, provided she in good faith submitted to the government of the United States and the local government of the islands.

The Princess Kaiulani, being the next in line of royal blood, was to receive a cash payment of $150,000, but no pension under a similar proviso, as in the case of the ex-queen.

It is understood that any objection that might have been expected to the annexation of the islands based on the large proportion of coolies in the population has been forestalled by an article not only prohibiting the further emigration of such laborers to the Hawaiian Islands, but also prohibiting the coming of any of the Chinese from the islands to other parts of the United States.

Attorney Exonerated.

Geneseo, N. Y., June 16.—The indictment of forgery against John N. Bates, an attorney of Beloit, Wis., has been nolle prossed in the county court on the motion of Bates' attorney. Mr. Bates was attorney for Mrs. Curtin, who bequeathed several thousand dollars to Charles Lewis Robinson, a minor. After Mrs. Curtin's death Mr. Bates still continued to look after the estate. Young Robinson's legacy was in the county treasurer's infant fund. In the fall of 1895, it was alleged, Mr. Bates came to Geneseo and forged an order for $855 on young Robinsen's estate. The indictment which has been nolle prossed was issued on this allegation.

Death of a Prominent Judge.

St. Marys, Kan., June 16.—Judge J. S. Fitzgerald died here yesterday after a short illness. He was prominent in Kansas Democratic state politics, as he had been in Ohio before coming here. While police judge of Cincinnati several years ago he drove the gamblers out of that city, and his life was several times endangered by them. He was formerly prominent in national Irish affairs.

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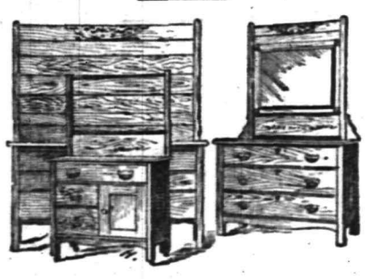

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Former Mayor W. L. Saunders and wife, of Washington Park, will leave July 1st for Wolfeboro, N. H., where they will spend their vacation.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman fo the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—Plainfield Council, Royal Arcanum, held a meeting on Monday evening, and one candidate was initiated.

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New York, June 16.—A half million dollars of the Costa Rican counterfeit money, with which plotters planned to flood that country and ruin its government, was brought by secret service men to this city concealed in an ordinary sofa.

It arrived on the Atlas line steamer Alene, which was docked at pier 6, North river. Eight witnesses to the conspiracy were also brought by the detectives.

Patrick Looby and Owen Owen are the names of the men who brought the telltale "queer" in the strange package in which it was consigned to Central America. They were met on the way up the bay by Chief Hazen of the United States secret service bureau.

The half million in bad money was found in the custom house at Port Limon after the story of the conspiracy to overthrow the government came out in this city through the arrest of Ricardo de Requeseus and his sweetheart, Eugenia Reineman. They were charged with the counterfeiting. Requeseus had a printing plant in Long Island City and did business under the name of the Spanish-American Printing union.

After the discovery of the counterfeiting the United States secret service men were sent to Costa Rica to trace the money and if possible prevent it from being floated.

Found the Notes In a Sofa.

The detectives had apparently received a hint to look out for a sofa. They found it waiting to be claimed in the custom house and without ceremony began to rip it open.

No sooner had they torn the cover off than they beheld layer after layer of bright, stiff, new notes of the Bank of Costa Rica—fifties and one hundreds mainly—all forming an excellent stuffing for the innocent looking sofa.

The Costa Rican officials shivered as they thought of the harm that counterfeit laden sofa would have caused had it not miscarried.

Among the witnesses brought here were Gerardo Iglesias, a cousin of the president of Costa Rica; Cresanto Fernandez, cashier of the Bank of Costa Rica, and Prospero Chaloni, an Italian, the proprietor of a hotel at Port Limon.

The sofa containing the notes was removed to Chief Hazen's office, on the fourth floor of the Federal building. The witnesses from Costa Rica were also taken there, and Chief Hazen held a long conference with them. The Costa Ricans unhesitatingly pronounced the notes to be counterfeits.

The sofa in which the Costa Rican counterfeits were concealed is an ordinary piece of furniture, covered with red plush. The back was removed from the sofa before it was shipped here, for convenience in handling, and both parts were covered with thick canvas. This covering has not yet been removed.

American Alcohol Sent to Japan.

San Francisco, June 16.—Alcohol is now being shipped to Japan under circumstances which promise that the American article will be able to come into profitable competition with the German product. The latter has almost a monopoly of the trade, as with the advantage of an export bounty it has been laid down at rates that could not be met by the makers of American corn spirits. Recently, however, reduced transportation rates have been obtained, making it possible to ship alcohol to Yokohama from Peria at a profit. Thus far three carloads have been forwarded to their destination. This is expected to be the opening of a trade which will amount to millions annually.

Good Price For Iron.

Duluth, June 16.—Thomas B. Arden of Ashland, one of the managing directors of the Pioneer mine at Ely, is authority for the statement that the entire allotment of the Pioneer under the Bessemer ore pool, amounting to 225,000 tons, has been sold at about $3 a ton, the highest price paid for Lake Superior ore this season. This sale insures the operation of the mine for the balance of the season. Shipments are being made direct from the shaft, the stock pile of 160,000 tons remaining untouched.

College Professor Elected.

Lexington, Va., June 16.—Ex-Representative Harry St. George Tucker has been elected by the board of trustees of Washington and Lee university to fill the chair of constitutional and international law made vacant by the death of his father. Mr. Tucker will accept. William Reynolds Vance of Shelbyville, Ky., was elected assistant professor of law to succeed Professor John W. Davis, resigned.

GUARD OUR PATENTS

Proposed Tariff Addition to Prevent Misuse of Them.

FOREIGNERS OFTEN UNDERSELL US.

By Means of Cheaper Methods of Manufacture They Can Use Our Ideas and So Get All the Trade Away From Us.

New York, June 16.—Acting Collector Couch, Appraiser Bunn and Colonel Phelps of the law division of the custom house held a conference regarding the provisions of a proposed section to the tariff act, which has for its main object the protection of American patentees, more especially manufacturers of coal tar products.

The proposed act was referred to the secretary of the treasury by the finance committee of the senate. Secretary Gage turned it over to the customs officials of this port for an opinion as to its practicability.

The act directs that the collector of the port of entry shall take and retain samples of any product brought into the United States and shall keep them for one year, together with the customs papers, so that American manufacturers may be enabled to ascertain whether or not their protests have been infringed upon.

Claim That Foreigners Infringe.

It is claimed that certain German and Swiss manufacturers of drugs like phenacetine, antipyrine and like mixtures, have for a long time infringed on the rights of domestic manufacturers and have smuggled in large quantities of these drugs, selling them at prices way below the market price.

At the conference no decision was reached, but it was the opinion that not only will the act, if it becomes a law, add materially to the already arduous duties of the customs officials, but will also enable unscrupulous merchants to get an inside track of the business of their foreign competitors, many of whom are of the highest standing.

Wouldn't Stand Hazing.

West Point, N. Y., June 16.—Bertram Sanders and a youth from Arkansas whose name could not be learned, have returned to their respective homes and declined to further take part in the examination for cadetships on the ground that they had been severely hazed. They entered the examination with a class of 1896 to undergo the examination for admission to the United States Military academy, but later resigned their nominations and immediately left West Point. They alleged that Cadets Scott, Maginnis and Nesbit had hazed them; that they were unwilling to submit to it and would no longer put themselves in the way of such experiences. Sanders comes from the Sixth Indiana district.

Firemen's Association In Session.

Newburg, N. Y., June 16.—The Firemen's association, representing river counties, also Newburg, Kingston, New Paltz, Catskill, Hudson, Coxsackie, Saugerties and Valatie, is in session here. The Newburg fire department is celebrating the centennial of its organization. About 65 companies, mainly from the river counties, and nearly as many bands, will be in the parade. Races between hose and hook and ladder companies will take place at Ramsdell park, and prizes will be awarded. The city is resplendent with flags and decorations in honor of the event.

Montreal Preparing For the Jubilee.

Montreal, June 16.—Montreal is assuming a holiday appearance. The work of decoration and illumination for the jubilee, which has been going on for some days, is progressing fast, and the bunting and electric globes are being strung everywhere. The electric light companies have orders for 25,000 extra lights for private illumination and will illuminate Dominion and Victoria squares and Mount Royal in addition with 1,500 lights each at their own expense. Immense stands for the purpose of viewing the procession are also being erected.

Boston Working For an Elevated Road.

Boston, June 16.—The directors of the Boston Elevated Railroad company have held a meeting to take preliminary steps toward the construction of an elevated railway in Boston. President William A. Gaston presided, and the executive committee was authorized to get estimates for the complete construction of the elevated railway structure and to prepare a complete schedule of the value of the property to be affected, with a view to estimating accurately the entire cost of the system.

Retiring Minister Starts For Home.

Constantinople, June 16.—Mr. Terrell, the retiring American minister, has started for Athens en route for the United States. Representatives of all the foreign legations and consulates, as well as of the American colony, paid Mr. Terrell complimentary visits at the embassy, and much regret is expressed at his withdrawal. The retiring minister had been accorded a personal audi-

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Threatening Weather, Followed by Showers on Thursday; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 81 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

June 22—Town Improvement Association meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Hall at 10 a. m.

Subscribers to The Daily Press who are leaving town for summer vacations can have the paper sent to their temporary address without extra expense by simply notifying the business office

THE CITY'S OWN FAULT.

The editorial reproduced from the Newark Advertiser in these columns yesterday, concerning the enforcement of the Martin Act, was evidently written without an understanding of the situation in Plainfield. Those citizens who have taken the initiative in opposing the provisions of this law in their cases—innocent holders of encumbered property—have good ground to make a fight on The opposition does not come, as The Advertiser intimates, from tax-shirkers or real estate speculators, but from honorable men who purchased property with supposedly clear titles and who had exhausted every reasonable means in learning what they understood was true until the disgraceful condition of the city's own method of bookkeeping previous to 1880 was brought to light. Much of the delinquent taxes previous to that year are simply and solely in existence because of the neglect of city officials in not keeping a legible record during the time they were accumulating. If a proper record had been at hand when the transfers were made to the present holders the encumbersnces would have been wiped out in many cases. As it was, Tax Collectors of late years have informed intending purchasers that there were no taxes due on properties, which were afterward purchased and are now coming under the enforcement of Martin Act for collection of sums ranging from small amounts to several hundred dollars.

With reference to those properties that are now in the possession of the same owners as when the encumberances were created before 1880, it is generally conceded that they should be compelled to pay, for they are in no way innocent debtors of the city.

EARLY INTELLIGENCF.

—Tomorrow Edward White will put on sale fifty fine bicycle skirts for ladies at a very low price.

—It is rumored that ere long a prominent young married couple living in this city will figure in the courts in an action for divorce.

—Rockfellow, Plainfield's popular grocer, sells the celebrated Fifth Avenue Mocha and Java coffee as well as a full line of staple and fancy groceries.

—Those who drove to the Fete Champetre, last Saturday, found the arrangements for the arrival and departure of carriages, excellent. Frank Hedden had charge and co operated with the police in their efforts to keep the street clear. His efforts were successful.

—The City Market Meat Company, 104 North avenue, opposite The Daily Press office, under the new management of Messrs. Benjamin F. Moore and George H. Scheelein, are daily adding customers to their shop. They ask you for a trial order if you have not already done so.

EARLY CHILDHOUD STUDY.

Its Importance Shown in the Work of Miss Hellwig's Pupils.

The importance of studying foreign languages in early childhood was demonstrated at the closing exercises of the Plainfield French Kindergarten, which is connected with the Misses Scribner & Newton's school. The three points especially commented on were: Purity of pronunciation, extensive amount of work accomplished, and last, but by no means least, the evident fondness of the children for their work which has been a happy feature of the year's course throughout. Miss Hellwig, who is one of the principals, has given this matter careful consideration and the results achieved certainly prove that the riget chord has been struck.

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For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Mrs. Chamberlain, of Westfield, is visiting her parents in this city.

Mrs. H. Van Middlesworth visited relatives at Somerville yesterday.

Mrs. W. C. Ayers, of West Second street, is confined to her home by illness.

Bert Rockwell, of East Front street, is home from military school at Sing Sing.

Miss Fannie Hayes of West Seventh street, has returned after a visit in Virginia.

Miss Etta Blatz, of Somerset street is home after a visit with friends in New York.

W. R. Rowland and family, of West Seventh street, are sojourning at Norfolk, Conn.

Miss Manning and Miss Hall, of Westfield, have been visiting Plainfield friends.

Mrs. Steiner, of Somerset street, has been entertaining friends from South Orange.

E. C. Perkins and family, of Central avenue, have gone to Newport for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey Blair, of East Second street, are staying at Belmar for the summer.

Miss Florence Martin, of West Front street, spent yesterday with friends in South Plainfield.

Wm. A. DeLong and family, of Sandford avenue, have returned after a trip through Europe.

Tomorrow, Rev. B. W. Hand will visit W. H. Morse, M. D., superintendent of Disciple Mission at Cranford.

Merton J. Coates, of Edmeston, N. Y., is the guest of his old college friend, S. Clinton Crane, of East Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Fairchild who have been stopping at the Hotel Hunterston, drove down to Long Branch Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jackson, of Crescent avenue, have left the city for the Thousand Islands where they will spend the summer.

C. C. Howard, of this city, who is now sojourning at his summer home in the Adirondacks, was a guest of friends in Plainfield yesterday.

Rufus Case, formerly, of East Ninth street, is now employed at a Philadelphia electric power house, where he has a good position as an engineer.

A number of residents of Plainfield and North Plainfield went to Brooklyn, last evening, to attend a musicale given by Miss Katheryn Krymer, of that city.

John H. VanWinkle, Jr., of Duer street, has completed his post graduate course at the North Plainfield High school and has entered the law offices of his father as a student.

Mrs. George C. Needham, wife of the evangelist, will address the Christian and Missionary Alliance tomorrow evening at 7:45 o'clock at the rooms of the W. C. T. U., on Watchung avenue. All are invited.

George Serrell, of Plainfield avenue, who has been seriously ill for some months past with appendicitis, has so far recovered that he left yesterday morning for Dansville, N. Y., where he will further recuperate at the Jackson Sanitarium.

Former Mayor B. A. Hegeman, Jr., and wife, of Washington Park, are registered at the Victoria Hotel, Asbury Park, for two weeks. At the expiration of that time Mrs. Hegeman will go to Duluth, Minn., where she will visit her friend, Mrs. Marshall, formerly a resident of Plainfield. The first part of July, Mr. and Mrs. Hegeman will go to Wolfeboro, N. H., where they will spend the summer.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Baptist Delegates.

Rev. Mr. Johnson, pastor of the Mt Zion A. M. E. church, and Spencer Conway, of the Mount Olive Baptist church, left today for Hartford, Conn., as delegates to the New England State Convention of Baptists. They will be absent until June 22d.

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ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—Unity Lodge, No. 102, Knights of Pythias, will hold a regular meeting this evening.

—The closing exercises of Leal's School wil be held in Y. M. C. A. Hall, Thursday evening.

—Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, met Monday evening and initiated three candidates.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of Mt Olive Baptist church will hold a social in the lecture room, this evening.

—Francis J. Blatz, of Somerset street, has just purchased a black trotter, named "Fritz," with a record of 2:36.

—The Berean class-room at Warren chapel has just been newly papered and painted and it presents a very attractive appearance.

—The work of repairing Front street has now reached Plainfield avenue The street where repaired has never been in such good condition before.

—Harry Bowers and Charles Haggerty have established a wheelmen's rest on Park avenue above Randolph road that they keep open every Sunday.

—The new residence of Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, on West Seventh street, is rapidly nearing completion and will be ready for occupancy about the first of August.

—"Uncle Ike" Brown, of Watchung avenue, has a Damask rose bush in his garden that is known to be over one hundred years old, and is in full bloom, too.

—The Ladies Society for Christian Work of the Seventh-Day Baptist church will hold its last sewing meeting this afternoon in the parlors of the church.

—A strawberry festival will be held in the parlors of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, this evening, under the auspices of the Ladies' Society for Christian Work.

—Goodwill Lodge, No 15, Knights of Pythias, will initiate seven candidates this evening. Grand Chancellor Huggs, will be present and conduct the ceremonies.

—The slander case of Neal against Sherman was to come up for trial at Elizabeth, tomorrow, but it has now been adjourned indefinitely on account of the absence of one of the counsel.

—The work of tearing down the steeple to the old Seventh-Day Baptist church edifice, which is to be converted into a schoolhouse, has been begun and the steeple is rapidly being dismantled.

—The work of building the new residence of Mrs. Weigman on West Front street, near Oxford place, is going rapidly forward and the house will probably be ready for occupancy about September 1st.

—A fire alarm ticker is being placed in the West End hose house to-day. The company has made arrangements to have the use of Mr. Klinsman's horse for the hose wagon. The horse will be put on duty today.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of Warren chapel will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival tomorrow evening on the lawn of George Kesselring, of Chatham street, opposite the chapel. The admission will be free.

—The contract case of Reed et als against Frey was tried before Justice Newcorn yesterday and a verdict for the full amount claimed given to the plaintiff. The contract case of Hand against Connoly was adjourned for a month.

—The members of the King's Daughters Circle of Miss Linda Butler's Sunday school class of the First Baptist church, enjoyed an outing on the mountains yesterday. The day was passed in a very profitable manner to all.

—A complaint has been made against John Keeley, one of the well-known hackmen of this city, for violating the hack ordinance by soliciting passengers at the curb. His trial is set down for Saturday morning. The complaint was made by another hackman.

—A large number of young men are availing themselves of the special summer rates offered by the Y. M. C. A. by which they may secure membership in the association from now until September 15th, 1898, with all the privileges of the athletic department included.

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Jennings assigned the claim because he himself was all that was left of the corporation against whom the action for salary was brought. After he had assigned his claim, process in the suit to collect the salary was served upon the pastor himself, which was a rather humorous situation.

While these judgments were being secured, the mortgage foreclosure proceedings were also being carried on, and the judgment creditors were made co-defendants with Grace church corporation in the suit.

During these foreclosure proceedings something startling to the rector happened.

A new and surprising movement was made by Mr. Mills, the representative of the estate which had originally donated the land for the church.

Mr. Mills appeared in Chancery and prayed that whatever surplus remained after the payment of the mortgage should be used for the original purposes specified in the deed of gift—namely, to maintain the worship of the Episcopal church.

Chancellor McGill held that Mr. Mills had no case.

The suit was then carried to the Court of Errors and Appeals, the highest tribunal in the State, and there a decision was rendered about six months ago in Mr. Mills' favor.

This decision renders the judgments against the church property worthless, and means the defeat of Jennings' cause.

For a long time no Episcopal services whatever were held in Westfield as Grace church was wholly deserted by its congregation and was frequented only by the rector.

In March, 1894, however, the remnant of Grace church congregation met and organized religious services. St. Paul's parish was erected and incorporated in April, 1895, and the following month it was admitted into union with the diocese as a church in regular standing. There are, therefore, in existence at this time two Episcopal churches in Westfield, the rector, wardens and vestry of Grace church, which is Mr. Jennings, and the rector, wardens and vestry of St. Paul's church. The latter has an efficient rector in Rev. Wm. S. Barrows. Its services are held regularly in Etta Hall, on Broad street.

Today the property of Grace church is sold to satisfy the mortgage Under the decision of the Court of Errors and Appeals, the proceeds in excess of the amount needed to pay the mortgage, will be used for carrying on Episcopal services in Westfield. It will as a matter of fact be placed in the hands of St. Paul's church, which will be the natural custodian of such a fund.

Grace church is in a ruinous condition from the years of neglect that it has suffered.

A Birthday Surprise.

A birthday surprise party was given to Mrs. Morris at the residence of her son-in-law, John Doty, of Greenbrook, Monday evening. Mrs. Morris was the recipient of many costly and useful presents. Dinner and supper were both served on tables spread on the spacious lawn. Games, recitations, music and singing were enjoyed, the day ending with a straw-ride to Dunellen. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. D. Randolph, Mrs. Stites, Mr. and Mrs. John Doty and family, Mrs. Will Morris and family, of Greenbrook; Mrs. Cannon, of Dunellen; Mrs C. H. King, Mrs. J. S. Kriney, Mrs. A. F. Clarkson, Mrs. Jas. Clarkson, Miss H. Clarkson, Mrs. Chas. Bilyeu, Mrs. S. VanFleet and daughter, Miss Clara, Mrs. Tyrrel and daughter, Miss Milly, all of Plainfield.

—Rev. C. E. Herring will give the last of a series of illustrated sermons on "Rome" in the First Presbyterian church Sunday evening.

—A lecture on Camp Life, illustrated by stereopticon views, will be given in Y. M. C. A. Hall, Friday evening. Every school boy over ten years of age is invited to attend with his parents.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mrs. S. P. Brown enjoyed yesterday with Plainfield relatives.

Will Lorton, of New Market, is visiting friends in Roselle.

Watson Emery is preparing to erect a house for himself at West Dunellen.

Mrs. Brown, of New York, was the guest of friends in the borough yesterday.

Mr Field and children, of North avenue, Plainfield, spent yesterday in the borough.

At the meeting of the Foresters last Monday one application for membership was received.

J. H. Wyckoff, the contractor, has moved from Plainfield to the Lowrie house, West Dunellen.

Miss Nellie Buckley, of the borough, is spending a short time with friends in Brooklyn.

J. B. Conover is one of the many Dunellenites that are confined to the house with chills and fever.

There was a sale of horses at Taylor's Hotel yesterday afternoon. Most of the horses brought good prices.

Miss VanMiddlesworth expects to open a kindergarten in a short time. The school bids fair to be successful.

Next Saturday will be "Ladies' Day" on the Schepflin bowling green, and the event promises to be a notable one.

Mrs. J. E. Thompson, of the borough, is entertaining her friend, Miss Burdick, of Westfield, for a few days.

A lecture will be given at the M. E. church Friday evening under the auspices of the Junior Christian Endeavor Society.

County Superintendent Brewster Willis, of public schools, of New Brunswick, was in the borough yesterday on business.

Mrs. Mary A. Martin, of Front street, has returned after a two-weeks visit with her son, Joseph Y. Martin, at Centreville, Hunterdon county.

Miss Nancy Thomas, while riding her wheel yesterday afternoon on North avenue, lost control and was thrown with considerable force into the roadway. Fortunately there was no serious damage.

Edison Brown, one of the public school graduates this year, will deliver an essay on "Motive Power." Master Brown has developed great talent in the line of electricity and has a bright future before him.

Last evening a large audience gathered in the M. E. church to hear Rev. Frank Fletcher give his interesting lecture on "Sherman's March to the Sea." The lecture was one of the best ever heard in Dunellen, and those present thoroughly enjoyed it. The proceeds will be devoted to repairs on the parsonage and the receipts were most gratifying to the women of the church under whose auspices the lecture was given.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Rev. J. S. Braker is visiting friends in New York city.

A clam bake will be held at Lee's hotel Saturday afternoon and evening.

Alexander Harris, of New Providence, has been spending a few days in town on business.

H. De C. Richards, one of the owners of the stone crusher, accompanied by Mrs. Richards and a lady friend, spent yesterday as the guests of Landlord Blimm.

The commencement exercises of the public school will be held in the Baptist church Wednasday evening, the 23d inst. The graduating class numbers six, and Miss Florence Bettman will deliver the valedictory. After the exercises a reception will be given the graduates in the school building.

A trio of young marauders climbed one of the cherry trees on Justice Clark's place Monday evening, about 9 o'clock, and were making way with the luscious fruit when the Justice discovered them. He fired his shot gun into the air several times and the boys dropped quickly to the ground

WESTFIELD

RUNAWAY SPILLED MILK

HORSE OF JOHN DICKSON TOOK A WILD FLIGHT ON BROAD STREET.

False Alarm of Fire From Garwood—Rays for a Bullet—Bicycle Parade on July 5th—Other Items of Interest.

A runaway, which caused considerable damage, happened on South Broad street at an early hour this morning. A horse, attached to the milk wagon of John Dickson, proprietor of the Willow Grove Dairy, ran away at 5:30 o'clock, while Mr Dickson was in the house of a customer delivering milk. The animal headed for the railroad crossing, but before reaching there it encountered another horse and wagon and turned out to avoid it. The swing overturned the wagon and threw the horse to the ground. Before the animal could rise upon its feet again it was caught. The wagon was badly smashed and about 100 quarts of milk was spilled. Seventy-two bottles that were in the wagon were broken. As soon as possible Mr. Dickson secured a new wagon and more milk and started to supply his customers.

The Westfield Fire Depariment went to Garwood last night in response to a false alarm. Passengers who alighted from the westbound train reaching Westfield at 8 o'clock called out that the hotel of Michael Huber at Garwood was on fire. The alarm was sounded and the firemen made quick time to Garwood, to find when they reached there that the fire was only a blazing brushheap near the hotel building. A large crowd which had followed the firemen from Westfield in the expectation of seeing an exciting fire, watched the bon fire for a short while, and then returned home dejectedly.

John McCormick, the member of the high school graduating class who has been going about for two weeks with a revolver bullet in his right leg, had a practical demonstration of the value of the X-ray, on Sunday evening. All efforts of the physicians to find the ball by probing have proved useless. Sunday evening McCormick was taken to Dr. Allen of Cranford, who has an X-ray machine, and a search was made for the bullet. It was discovered about two inches above the right knee. The surgeons will now have no difficulty in removing in by an operation.

A meeting of the wheelmen of the town was held last evening to determine the question of a bicycle parade on July 5th. The sentiment was strongly in favor of the parade, and preparations will be made to secure the co-operation of all cyclists, thus making the event a noteworthy feature of the day's celebration.

The I.O.O.F. will meet in its lodge rooms this evening.

The Union County Band held a rehearsal last evening.

Mrs. William Clark, of Newark, is the guest of Mrs. Joseph Moffett.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Woodruff spent Sunday with friends in Bound Brook.

Mrs. Cheoplin, of Scranton, Pa., is visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Harrison.

A complete history of the Grace church case will be found on the first page.

Mrs. L. G. Venn and daughter have gone to Greenport, L. I., for the summer months.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church meets in the church parlors this afternoon.

The Grace Episcopal church property was sold by the sheriff under mortgage foreclosure proceedings today.

A meeting of the Westfield Building and Loan Association was held in the Public Library rooms last evening.

The case of Barton against Weidner, on contract, will be tried by a jury in Justice Toucey's court tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Emma Starr, of the Trenton State Normal School, is spending the summer vacation at her home on North Broad street.

The annual excursion of the Methodist, the Congregational, the Episcopal and the Bethlehem Sunday schools will go to Ocean Grove, Thursday, July 15th.

An illustrated lecture entitled "A Trip to Ireland," will be given in Holy Trinity church tomorrow evening by the Rev. John J. Boylan. A selected choir will sing Irish melodies.

Roland Randolph has been asked to give the cantata "The Great Light," in Rahway. The production was given in Westfield a short time ago under Mr. Randolph's direction with great success.

The I. O. S. will hold its regular meeting tomorrow evening at the residence of W. I. Neafie, on Park street. The question of taking part in the Fourth of July parade will be discussed.

J. S. A. Wittke and Miss Gertrude Wittke left today for Bordentown, where they will attend the commencement exercises of the Bordentown Military Academy, where Chas. Wittke is a student.

Dr. Wm. Gale has appealed the case of Edgar against Gale, in which judgment was rendered last week by Justice Collins in favor of the plaintiff The suit was brought to determine who was responsible to Edgar for services rendered by him upon the lawn of Gale's clubhouse while the premises were occupied by the Y. M. C. A. The defendant failed to appear in court when the case was called, and judgment was given to Edgar by default.

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—The Christian Endeavor Society of the Church of Christ will hold their meeting next week on Wednesday evening instead of Tuesday on account of the Christian Endeavor Union meeting in the Congregational church.

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For Women's Work has the following books for sale: "Mothers and Daughters," by Dr. Cook; European and American Cuisine, how to live well on 25 cents per day, by Mrs. Gesine Lemke, of Brooklyn Cooking College.

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The continued cool weather makes it imperative that makers should sell now, and to unload quick they sell at a loss. Values will surprise you here.

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40 in black and blue Etima cloth..... 25c
54-in all-wool Cloth..... 39c
40-in all-wool Cashmere..... 33c
54 in silk and wool Mixture..... 49c
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Ladies' hose, extra fine quality..... 14c
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Men's fine black half hose..... 13c
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When Gov. Atkinson was suffering with the attack of appendicitis that came near proving mortal last year Uncle Bob sat on the doorsteps in front of the sanitarium where the Governor was being treated night after night, and never left his post unless he was required to go on an errand for his sick master. When the operation was performed he sat up the whole night, and his was among the first voices to cheer the Governor in his convalescence. One day the Governor was indisposed and Uncle Bob heard of it and went to the mansion to spend the night with his master and to cheer his lonely hours. The Governor was restless. Uncle Bob began to recount the occurrences of his past life so as to help while away the hours, and for the first time related his war experience. He was sent to the front with Gov. Atkinson's eldest brother, John B. Atkinson, who was a member of the Seventh Georgia Regiment, and he recounted the story of his master's death and his own fidelity, apparently unconscious of his own heroism in the affair.

"Hit was on de mawnin' of de fus' Manassas," said he in his old plantation lingo, "an' we had stopped to get breakfus. I wus busy wid de camp fire tryin' to hurry up de breakfus, 'case dem wus sich squally times dat we didn't know w'at minit we'd hatter jump and run, w'en de Gin'l ordered de Sebent Geawgy to forrerd. I watch Mars' John as he lip to his feet an' grab his musket an' fall inter line.

"In er mighty few minits de ridgment come tearin' back, but Mars' John was slow 'bout comin', an' des fo' dey got to de camp de Eight' Geawgy wus ordered to forrerd, an' dey bein' er lot o' Mars' John's kinfolks 'mong dem Eight' Geawgy people, w'en he meet 'em he turned an' started back inter de fight. I wus whar I could keep my eye on 'im, 'case I done promus ol' Missis I gwine ter watch out fo' de young Marster, an' I seed 'im way in front er de flag des er chargin' an' er hurrayin', an' den dey wus er flash lack lightnin' in front an' he fall.

"I neber had such feelin's in all my borned days. De bullits wus er flyin' thick as hailstones, an' I seed de men waver an' fall back, an' I knowed dat dey'd done let dat po' boy all lone on de fiel', and I look roun' fo some way ter git to 'im. Dey wus er little ravine dat led off in erroun'erbout way, an' I slid inter dat an' crawled fo' er quarter uv er mile, tell I got nigh 'nough ter retch 'im 'dout 'sposin' myse'f ter de bullits. I crope up ter whar he laid, an' he wus er tryin' to load 'is muskit. Er great big ball done struck 'im in de side an' tore er hole w'at look lack I could ram my fis' in, but he wusn't payin' no 'tention to de woun', but wus er tryin' to load de gun. I 'splained to 'im how bad hurt he was, an' 'suaded 'im ter git on my back and hol' on ter me twel I could git out er dat place. De bullits wus er singin' roun' my head, an' I had ter crawl back ter de ravine wid him on my back, an' den creep erlong twel I got over de hill an' out er range er de bullits.

"He was bleedin' tur'ble an' I knowed dat ef I didn't get he'p soon dat he'd bleed ter die. So I walked an' run as fas as I could go fo' six miles ter de station an' den I had ter wait eber so long fo' de train come gwine ter Richmon'. De ball wus lodged in 'is lef' side an' I des knowed dat 'is insides wus all tore up, an' I give 'im water an' sot an' fanned 'im an' bathed 'is face all dat long Sunday mawnin' twel de train come.

"Well, sah, at las' de train come an' I managed ter git de po' boy on boa'd an' we started on dat ride ter Richmon'. W'en we got dar de hospitals was so crowded dat I t'ought I'd never git er comfo'terble place fo' Mars' John. He was out'n 'is head an' kep' er talkin' 'bout home and de home folks and hit almost bruk my heart to lis'n ter his child talk. Hit was late Monday night 'fo' I could git er surgeon to dress de woun' an' den hit was too late. Death done struck de po' boy w'en de doctor 'examined de woun' an' shuck 'is head an' said mortification done sot in. All dat I could do wus ter set by de bed an' wet 'is lips an' for'ed an' bresh back de long ha'r dat looked so boyish an' curly as he laid dar gaspin' fo' breath.

Hit wus 'way pas' midnight, an' I wus des drappin' inter a lil' doze, w'en he spoke ter me, an' he ax whar he wus, an' I tol' 'im dat he wus safe an' I wus dar to see dat he wus tuck good care uv, an' den he ax me w'at time hit wus, an' I tol' 'im hit's soon be daylight. I ax 'im ef he feel better, an' he sorter smile lack an' say he feel fus' rate. Den he 'gun ter tell me w'at to tell he maw w'en I git back ter Geawgy, an' I couldn' keep down de tears, an' he tol' me I mus' be er better sojer dan dat, an' ter tell de folks dat he done 'is bes'.

"I gin 'im some water an' he drink a sip an' den tell me ter tell all de folks good-by fo' he'd never see ol' Geawgy no mo', an' den I des bruk down. He beg me ter raise 'im up an' I lif' 'is head an' he fetch one long breff and was gone."—New York Sun.

TO PLAY NEWCOMB.

A New Ball Game Invented by a Woman for Women.

For the game called "Newcomb," which originated with Miss Clara Baer of Newcomb College, New Orleans, La., a limited space, either in or out of doors, and a football are all the essentials. It teaches lightness, alertness, the ability to remain on one's feet, good judgment in a sure aim, gives strength to throw, and power to hold.

The method of procedure is as follows: Divide the space at command, the lawn, say, into two equal parts, by means of lines of white paint, as for a tennis court. This is the division line. About seven feet each side of the line draw shorter lines for the bases. The spaces between the bases, separated by the division line, is called the "inside" of the base, beyond where the players stand "outside." The boundary line must also be marked out. The players are designated by colors; one team, for instance, play pink, the others blue. The blues guard the ground of the pinks, and the reverse. The players are arranged at irregular intervals beyond the bases, which they are not permitted to cross except where the ball is thrown up by the referee. This is done at the beginning of the game to decide which side shall have possession of the ball, and after each foul. In order to prevent too great a rush for the ball, each side has a captain, and the captains alone are permitted to cross the bases.

The object of the game is to make the ball touch the opposite ground be-

yond the base, when it is called a "touchdown," and counts for the side sending the ball. At first, touchdowns are easily made, but when the players become expert in handling the ball, it is seldom permitted to reach the floor, and the interest in the game increases proportionately. A touchdown counts one for the side sending the ball. A majority of points, within a given time, decided upon beforehand by the players, decides the game.

The following are the rules:

The players must stand outside of the bases.

The players must not stop inside of the bases, except when the ball is thrown up at the beginning of the game and after each foul.

The ball must be thrown by the hands; it may be thrown by one or both hands; it cannot be kicked.

No player may catch or throw the ball while on her knees; she must be on her feet.

No player must fall on the ball.

The referee must throw the ball directly upward from the division line at the beginning of each game and after each foul. The referee decides the time of play, keeps account of touchdowns and fouls.

Throwing the ball between the division line and either base is a foul; also kicking a ball or falling on a ball.

As the object of the game is to guard the ground on which you stand, cover it as effectually as possible by an even distribution of players. For a long distance, throw high, or the ball may be intercepted. A low ball, when well sent, is very effectual, for, unless a player has her movements well under control, in stooping she is apt to fall on the ball, which is a foul against her side.

ZIMMERHACKLE'S OBSERVATIONS.

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The only way you can get even on some shows is to buy your ticket with a bogus quarter.

The Lord helps those who help themselves, unless they help themselves to what belongs to other people.

The man who does five hour's work in three, and then spends the other two hours in blowing about it, hasn't gained any time.

It is now announced that the bride, not the groom, should pay the minister. Where will this women's rights movement end?—Dansville N. Y., Breeze.

The young man who prides himself in being a "brick" should remember that the ordinary brick can't stand very much soaking, without disintegrating.

Nature doesn't clean up the last year's rubbish she simply puts down a new green carpet and covers it all up. Nature would make a good wife for men who hate housecleaning.

When you ask an editor to suppress an item of news because it does not please you then go and ask your grocer to exclude pickles from his store because you can't eat them, or your butcher not to keep bologna because it goes against your stomach. There is just as much fairness in one as in the other. News is an editor's stock in trade. So are pickles a grocer's and bologna and nockwurst a butcher's.—Dansville N. Y., Breeze.

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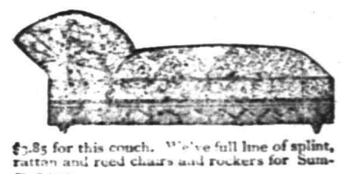

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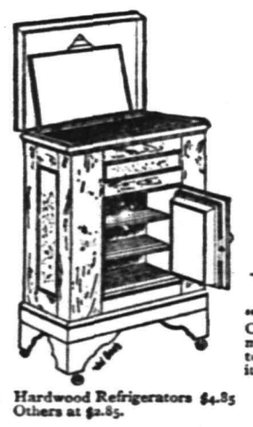

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 28, 7 30, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 25, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28, p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 28, 10 17, p m.

Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 3 00, 3 30, 5 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 P. except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, (5 00 except Saturdays) 5 30, 6 00, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p.m., 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 57, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 3 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 1b, 7 18, 7 55, 8 28, 9 03, 10 05, 11 35, a.m; (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30, 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 50

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 3 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 05, 6 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 15, 7 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night, Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 39 5 09, 6 35, 10 15, 7 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 38, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 15, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 3 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 2 11, 4 56, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 9 28, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 30, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 32 a m; 6 30, 8 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

8 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

9 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

3 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 56 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

9 2b a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

3 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton. Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

FOR LONG BRANCH, OCEAN GROVE, ETC.

Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m. 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 10.27, a.m 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 03, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 32 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44 a. m., 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 37* 1 17 night. Sundays—5 17, 5 45, 9 55 10 44 a. m., 2 26, 4 55, 5 09* 6.45 p. m. 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 4 26, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a.m., 2 26, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m., 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 10 44 a. m., 5 09*, 6 45, p. m., 1 17 night.

For Buffalo, Chicago and all points West, week-days at 9 54 a. m., 8 21 p. m. Sunday 6 35 p. m.

Plainfield passengers by trains marked (*) change cars at Bound Brook.

Through tickets to all points at lowest rates may be had on application in advance to the ticket agent at the station.

J. H. OLHAUSEN,
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General Passenger Agent.

LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD.

In effect June 13, 1897.

LEAVE SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

WESTWARD.

7 44 a. m. and 1 44 p. m. Daily (Sundays 80 1) Local for Mauch Chunk.

9 10 a. m. Daily express for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Chicago, and principal intermediate stations.

10 07 a. m. 3 34, 5 22, 7 32 p. m. daily except Sunday, (Sundays 11 39 a.m.) Local for Bound Brook.

11 54 a. m. Daily except Sunday. Local for Mauch Chunk.

12 52 p. m. daily except Sunday, "BLACK DIAMOND EXPRESS" for Rochester and Buffalo.

3 34 and 4 58 p. m. daily except Sunday, express for Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Pottsville, Hazleton, Shamokin, and principal intermediate stations.

6 25 p. m. daily. Local for Easton.

7 10 p m., daily except Sunday, for Slatington and principal intermediate stations.

7 52 and 9 58 p. m. daily, solid vestibule express for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Chicago, and principal intermediate stations.

9 32 p. m. daily except Sunday. Fast line for Buffalo.

2 15 p.m. Sundays, local for L. & B. Junction.

EASTWARD.

For New York and Brooklyn-Local-6 47, 7 15, 7 43, 9 40, a. m. 2 29, 4 45 and 7 10 p. m. Sunday 7 55 9 03 a. m., 2 21, 7 10 p. m. Express—7 25, 8 27, 10 02 a. m. 12 13, 2 17, 5 11, 7 07 and 9 06 p. m. Sundays—7 25 a. m. and 7 07 p. m.

For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 6 48, 7 50, 10 05 a. m. 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. m Sunday 8 00, 9 00 local a. m. 2 20 and 7 10 p. m.

For Metuchen only 6 25 p. m. except Sunday

For further information consult Ticket Agent.

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Arrival and Departure of Mails.

NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:30 a. m., 2:30, 5, 5:30, 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:30, 9:20 a. m., 1:30, 5, and 7:30 p. m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:30 a. m., and 4:30 p. m.

PHILA. WASH. and WESTERN—Direct.

Arrive—1 p. m.
Close—5 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

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Some gowns are so dainty in the weave, so delicate in tint, that they seem to soil by being looked at—one or two wearings making them unpresentable, NOT USELESS. We make a specialty of cleaning fine fabrics, the more delicate the material, the better the results. Sometimes an accident will ruin a gown, without injuring the texture We dye them then, sometimes we get a prettier effect than the original color. Fine goods stand redyeing. The finer the material the better the new color. We charge so little for cleaning or dyeing, that even if you are in doubt as to the result, it's worth while to experiment. Want a new evening gown for a dollar or two? Laundry drivers will receive your work.

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A Special Markdown Sale in Graniteware.

Granite Washbasins, 10c.
10 qt. Granite Dishpans, 38c.
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Double Rice Boilers, 47c.
Preserve Kettles, 23c.
Sauce Pans 17c.
Granite Covered Stew Pans, 21c.
Granite Tea Pots, 15c.
3 and 4 qt. Coffee Pots, 25c.
Granite Chamberpails 49c.
Granite Tea Kettles, 33c.
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FIRE! FIRE!

The balance of Stock from the Insurance Companies, which has received a Thorough Renovating, has just been received and we will dispose of them at Your Own Figures. The sale will continue until all is disposed of, at the most Sensational Price Reductions Plainfield has witnessed for many years. Good Goods for Little Money. We quote a few prices.

Odd Trousers, formerly sold for $2.50, now 95c; odd Trousers, formerly sold for $3.50; now $1.65; odd Trousers, formerly sold for $5 and $6, now $2.35; 75 suits now going at $2.95; 150 suits in plaids and checks at $3.65; 75 suits in tweeds and homespun at $4.85; 150 suits in worsteds and cassimeres at $5.45; 100 suits in Washington Mills and Livingston at $6.65; 150 boys' suits, formerly sold for $8, $10 and $12, at $3.95; 500 children's suits, formerly sold for $2.50, $3 and $3.50, at 95c and $1.15.

P. S.—150 Clay Diagonal Coats and Vests, 22 ounce goods, lined throughout with Skinner Satin, known the world over for its wearing qualities, former price $15, now $7.45. Furnishing goods and hats. Car fare paid. Look for the name

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All the straw shapes heretofore sold at 79c-98c up to $1.49 have been repriced to 69c. 20 varieties of flowers heretofore 39c-49c-59c, repriced to 29c.

Remarkable Values in Wash Fabrics:

A thousand yards of wool challies at 17c yard, worth 30c. A thousand yards of Lawn at 3 1-2c, worth 6c. 300 yards Linen Lawn at 19c. yard, worth 30c. About 1,000 yards Lawn in remnants of 5 to 12 yards to be sold at 4c yard, regular price 10c.

Shirt Waists:

Just placed on sale an assortment of plaid Lawn waists entirely new in design and coloring, price $1.29.

FREE SHINES

That's what you get if you buy your shoes at

SHERWIN'S, 149 West Front St.

Our $3.00 line of Mens' Tan Shoes are something elegant. All shapes of toes. Come around and let our artist polish up your shoes and take a look at our new ones.

STRAW HATS FROM 3c to $3.00.

UP-TO-DATE FURNISHINGS
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ACTIVITY IN COAL MINING.

A General Order Goes Into Effect Increasing the Time Schedule.

Scranton, Pa., June 16.—An order, which is so general as to include about all the large operating companies in the upper valley of the Lackawanna, and which has put the mines on a five day per week schedule, has just gone into effect. For over two months the working average has been but two or three days per week.

The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western collieries are all included in the order. The Delaware and Hudson mines will work about four days a week for three weeks, when the time will be increased to five days.

It is believed here that the activity will continue until the latter part of September and that the present 12 months' state production will exceed that of 1896, which was 3,000,000 tons less than in 1895. The mines from Pittston to Carbondale have begun increasing their output in response to the general order.

NIAGARA ELECTRIC POWER.

Satisfactory Transmission From That Place to Buffalo.

Buffalo, June 16.—Seven months ago the transmission to Buffalo of electric power generated by the cataract of Niagara was begun, the Buffalo Street Railway company receiving some 2,000 horsepower at the street car powerhouse in this city. The transmission of this power was looked upon as an experiment, and no further contracts for its delivery in Buffalo were made.

The power has come to Buffalo so steadily and regularly that the experimental stage has now been passed, and other contracts are being entered into. Arrangements have been made for 1,250 horsepower by the Great Northern Elevator company, which has now in course of construction in this city one of the largest grain elevators in the world.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At New York—

New York	1	0	0	7	0	0	1	0	*	9
St. Louis	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	3

New York—Hits, 8; errors, 2. St. Louis—Hits, 10; errors, 5.

At Brooklyn—

Brooklyn	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	4	8
Chicago	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4

Brooklyn—Hits, 9; errors, 6. Chicago—Hits, 10; errors, 1.

At Boston—

Boston	1	2	1	2	3	0	0	1	0	10
Cincinnati	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	4

Boston—Hits, 15; errors, 2. Cincinnati—Hits, 11; errors, 7.

At Baltimore—

Baltimore	0	3	3	1	0	0	0	0	*	7
Louisville	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	0	5

Baltimore—Hits, 10; errors, 1. Louisville—Hits, 9; errors, 2.

At Philadelphia—

Cleveland	3	0	1	0	0	4
Philadelphia	0	0	3	0	0	3

Cleveland—Hits, 5; errors, 2. Philadelphia—Hits, 6; errors, 4.

At Washington—

Washington	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	5	8
Pittsburg	1	0	0	0	5	0	4	0	0	10

Washington—Hits, 15; errors, 4. Pittsburg—Hits, 12; errors, 1.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	31	9	.775
Boston	30	12	.738
Cincinnati	25	16	.610
New York	22	16	.579
Brooklyn	23	19	.548
Cleveland	21	20	.512
Pittsburg	20	21	.488
Philadelphia	23	22	.418
Louisville	17	25	.405
Chicago	16	27	.372
Washington	14	26	.350
St. Louis	8	37	.178

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

The British steamer Sultan, with a large number of Mecca pilgrims on board, has foundered near the island of Socotra. Ten natives were drowned.

The steam yacht Valiant, with her owner, Mr. William K. Vanderbilt, and a party of friends on board, bound for Southampton, has sailed from New York.

President McKinley has declined an invitation of the San Francisco chamber of commerce to visit California this summer owing to a press of official duties.

A child of Martin Colby fell into the water at Jamestown, N. Y., and Mrs. Edith Martin saw the accident. She hastened to the rescue, but before she reached the spot she fell dead. The child was rescued.

Telegrams with earthquake news, the echoes of the subterraneous disturbance of Saturday last, are pouring into Calcutta from every station north of Madras. The postoffice at Chittagong has been swallowed up.

A judgment for $10,000 has been obtained against the James Everard Brewing company in the supreme court, Brooklyn, for injuries inflicted by one of its wagons, which knocked down and ran over 10-year-old Jacob Lacs, permanently injuring him.

Weather Predictions.

Occasional thunderstorms; southerly winds.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western was weak and lower to sell; city mills patents, $4.70@4.95; winter patents, $4.50@4.80; city mills clears, $4.65@4.75; winter straights, $4.10@4.20.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened about steady and sold off under good crop news. Trading was moderate; July, 75@76c.; September, 70 5-16@71⅛c.

RYE—Easy; No. 2 western, 36c.

CORN—No. 2 quiet and easier under fine weather and in sympathy with wheat; July, 29¾c.; September, 31@31 1-16c.

OATS—No. 2 dull and easy with the other markets; track, white, state, 25@32c.; track, white, western, 25@32c.

PORK—Quiet; mess, $8.50@9; family, $9.50@10.50.

LARD—Dull; prime western steam, $3.90 nominal.

BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 10@14½c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Quiet; state, large, 8¼c.; small, 7¾@8c.

EGGS—Steadier; state and Pennsylvania, 12@12½c.; western, 10½@11½c.

SUGAR—Raw firm; fair refining, 3c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c.; refined firm; crushed, 5⅝c.; powdered, 5⅛c.

TURPENTINE—Steady at 27½@28c.

MOLASSES—Quiet; New Orleans, 22@28c.

GENERAL MILES IN LONDON.

Guest at Dinner of Mr. Whitelaw Reid, the Special Envoy.

London, June 16.—General Nelson A. Miles, who will represent the United States army at the queen's jubilee, and Rear Admiral J. N. Miller, who will represent the United States navy upon the same occasion, have arrived in this city. General Miles, Admiral Miller, their staffs and Mrs. Miles, were the guests at dinner last evening of Mr. Whitelaw Reid, the special envoy of the United States at the jubilee.

General Miles, in addition to visiting the Turkish and Greek armies, inspected the ordnance made at the Armstrong factory at Naples for the Italian, Spanish and Argentine governments. He also inspected the gun factories and coast defenses of Austria, Italy and France and was courteously treated everywhere.

General Miles did not find any of the governments secretive in regard to their military equipment. He thinks Edhem Pasha is a great general and that his troops are a fine lot of men. The Greeks, the general adds, are glad at the prospect of peace, but they are good soldiers, and the junior officers and men showed a wonderful devotion to their cause.

AN ALLEGED CONFESSION.

A Colored Man Said to Have Acknowledged Committing a Crime.

Boston, June 16.—A great sensation was caused at West Kingston, R. I., when it became known that William Brown, colored, had surrendered to Police Officer Joseph T. Northup and confessed that he murdered Aunt Martha Watson, also colored, Oct. 5, 1885.

On the night referred to a one armed burglar went into the house, seized the woman by the throat and beat her with the stump of the other arm. The burglar demanded money, and Aunt Martha said she would get it if the burglar would let her loose.

She was released, and when a candle was lighted the woman, although she was then 86 years of age, jumped out of a window and escaped to a neighbor's.

The burglar fled. Three days later Aunt Martha died of her injuries. In an ante mortem statement the woman said Brown was her assailant.

Brown has been taken to Cranston prison.

TIN PLATE STRIKE.

Statistics of the Industry That May Be Affected.

Pittsburg, June 16.—A strike in the tin plate industry seems certain, and the conference on the wage scale is not likely to accomplish anything tending to a settlement, as both sides are firm and assert that no concessions will be made.

There are 39 tin plate plants in the United States, operated by 38 companies, the American Tin Plate company operating two plants, one at Ellwood and the other at Montpelier, Ind. These 39 plants represent 188 mills, but nine of them are small affairs and do not figure to any great extent in the industry.

The total number of skilled workmen employed in the industry is 2,327, of which 273 are nonunion men. The number of workers outside of the tonnage men employed at tin plate plants is 6,265, and a strike for the new wage scale will throw about 8,000 people out of employment.

CIVIL SERVICE QUANDARY.

The Syracuse Fire Department Is Unable to Fill Vacancies.

Syracuse, June 16.—The inability of the civil service commissioners to revise their regulations to comply with the new state civil service law and the result of that law in wiping out the eligible lists in all city departments has caused a dilemma that threatens trouble in the fire department.

Chief Nicholas Eckel died last week, and First Assistant John P. Quigley is acting as chief. Second Assistant Thomas F. Ryan is ill and off duty. The fire board is unable to fill any of the vacancies, even temporarily, and all of the work consequently devolves on Acting Chief Quigley.

It will be several weeks before the trouble can be repaired.

THE SAILORS' STRIKE.

The Demand of the Men Is For a Regular Scale of Wages.

Boston, June 16.—The sailors of the port of Boston, who are on strike for higher wages, now number about 300 men. Their demands have been made known. They are that a minimum scale of wages be fixed at $22 per month for long southern trips and $25 per month for short coasting trips, such as to Philadelphia, New York, etc.

Incidents of the strike inspired considerable hope. One ship, the Massasoit, bound for a coasting trip, signed a crew for the desired $25 per month. Two other coasters offered $20 and $22, which was refused.

A mass meeting will be held in the rooms of the Seamen's union, when addresses will be made by prominent labor men.

MONEY IN SUBTREASURY.

Experts Finish Counting the Cash In the Subtreasury Vaults.

New York, June 16.—The experts who came on from Washington some three weeks ago to count the money in the vaults of the subtreasury have completed their labors. The experts counted exactly $195,383,000, divided as follows:

Notes, $64,465,000; gold, $77,940,000; silver coin, $52,739,000; minor coin, $239,000. The weight of the gold handled was 155 tons, and the silver weighed about ten times as much more. The accounts were "straight," save for a discrepancy of something like a dollar in the petty cash.

Suicide Caused by Ill Health.

Worcester, Mass., June 16.—Eldon B. Watkins, aged 45 years, committed suicide by taking a solution of cyanide of potash. He was janitor of Sons of Veterans hall and was found by two members of that order in the hall shortly after he had drunk the poison. He died on the way to the hospital. The cause of the suicide is ascribed to ill health.

Rumors About Barnato.

London, June 16.—The papers publish columns of obituary, reminiscence, anecdote and history as to the late Barney Barnato. It is said that he thrice attempted to commit suicide before he left Cape Town.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 4:28 a. m.
Sun Sets: 7:33 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 8:33 p. m.

GOSSIP OF THE CYCLERS.

TEMS INTERESTING TO DEVOTEES OF THE STEEL STEEDS.

The Popular Exercise Provides Incidents and Expressions That are of Especial Moment When Wheeling is the Rage

John Giles, of East Sixth street, has purchased a Victor wheel and finds it very handy in his business.

The Plainfield Cycle and Sporting Goods Company have just received a lot of fifty Keating wheels which they are offering at prices to suit all.

Rogers, the North avenue cycle dealer, deals in one of the best cycle lamps on the market. One only has to examine it to be convinced of its superiority over other makes.

A QUIET MARRIAGE.

Popular Young Couple Joined in Matrimony by Father Miller.

A quiet wedding was solemnized last evening by Rev. Father Miller, rector of St. Joseph's church, when Miss Margaret Fosbrey, of the borough, and William Nichols, of this city, were united in marriage at the home of the rector. A reception followed at the home prepared and furnished by the groom on West Sixth street, where a few intimate friends gathered to congratulate the happy couple. A fine supper was served to the guests during the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Nichols received a large number of useful and handsome presents from their friends.

The bride was formerly in the employ of former Mayor B. A Hegeman, Jr., of Washington Park, while the groom is an employee at the Pond Tool Works.

NOW OWNED BY THE COUNTY.

Sheridan House Will Soon be Utilized for Official Purposes.

The old Sheridan House property adjoining the Court House in Elizabeth, was purchased yesterday by the county and was turned over to Warden Blore, as Custodian of Buildings.

The property is nearly one hundred and fifty years old. The Freeholders had been trying to purchase it for fifteen years. During the life of the late Postmaster Sheridan all offers were refused, but since then the executors have consented to part with the property.

A wing to the Court House will be erected as soon as the old hotel is torn down.

Feast of Corpus Christi.

Tomorrow will be an important day at St. Joseph's church. In the morning, at 7 o'clock, there will be communion in honor of the Feast of Corpus Christi. In the evening, at 8 o'clock, there will be the confirmation of the class, numbering between forty and fifty children. The Sacrament will be administered by Bishop McFaul, of Trenton, who will also confirm the class.

Profits of the Fete

The profits of the Fete Champetre of the Woman's Town Improvement Association, which was held last Saturday, will be about $1,500, which will be used to improve the condition of the city park. The Fete will probably become a permanent feature of summer life in Plainfield.

Cut His Knee Pan.

Charles Mason, aged seven years, living at 525 West Third street; was taken to the hospital yesterday afternoon suffering with a deep and severe cut in the knee pan caused by a fall over a large stone. Dr. Long closed up the wound by taking several stitches in it.

—Additional local news on the third page.

—Look at the Vive camera at Doane's jewelry store. Makes beautiful pictures and costs only $5.

—If your spectacle frames fit you and the glasses do not we will replace the lenses at a moderate cost and guarantee them to fit. Leech, Stiles and Co., at 107 East Front street, every Thursday.

FIRST C. E. BICYCLE RUN.

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and prayer was held in which the true Endeavor spirit prevaded. After the meeting, the visitors were invited to stop for a social time and refreshments which were bountifully served.

The clouds had almost entirely disappeared and the full round moon was just peeping above the horizon when the visitors gathered in front of the chapel once more. Everybody was pleased with the success of the run and experiences of the ride were exchanged.

The Society at the Seventh-Day Baptist church was most largely represented. All the other societies in the city, except three, had one or more members in line. There was only one tandem in the party and that came from the Society at the First Presbyterian church.

Near the chapel, the road was particularly rough and sandy so many of the party walked to the home of Mrs. Reune Randolph, half a mile away, where a halt was called until the moon rose sufficiently to light the road. Soon, the moonlight made the scene almost as light as day, and the party started on their return trip. The ride was enlivened by bright remarks from the Endeavorers. Nobody wanted to go home when Park avenue was reached and so the run was continued to Oak Tree and Pumptown, a delightful spin in the moonlight, and then back to Plainfield where the party disbanded.

NOT ABLE TO GET ENOUGH VOTES.

Dissensions About Building a New School at Washingtonville.

A meeting of the taxpayers of Washingtonville was held last evening in the schoolhouse for the purpose of ascertaining whether it was their wish that a new schoolhouse should be erected at an expense of $3,000.

The law requires that a two-third vote of the taxpayers present be secured to adopt or reject such a proposition, and as there was such a division among those present, it was impossible to secure the desired vote. There was considerable dissension among the taxpayers and very few seemed to be agreed as to what should be done. Robert Clark, Jr., was chairman of the meeting, and W. H. Morris, secretary. There were about thirty persons present, and after spending a good deal of time doing nothing and adjournment was made to July 6th, when an effort will be made to reach some decision in the matter.

A Noonday Borough Fire.

While William Barry, coachman for M. I. Cooley, of Rockview avenue, was working in his employer's yard today forenoon at 11:40, he discovered a fire in the top of the barn on the property occupied by Mr. Perry. He ran at once to box 154 and sent in an alarm. The West End Hose Company was the first to arrive. The upper part of the barn was destroyed, including a number of things belonging to Mrs. Morgan Taylor. The building and contents were insured. While Warren Engine Company's hose wagon was being taken to the fire by a team of horses owned by the Plainfield Ice and Cold Storage Company, one of the horses was thrown while turning from Somerset street into Linden avenue, and his hind legs were sprained. From that point the wagon was taken to the fire by hand.

Falling Window Crushed Two Fingers.

Mrs. Josepn Humble, of Somerset street, met with a painful accident this morning while attempting to raise a window at her home. One hand was on the window when the weight-cords broke allowing the window to fall on the hand. Three fingers were caught and severely crushed. Mrs. Humble called to her husband who hastened and assisted her in extracting her hand from beneath the window. The injured fingers were dressed at once, but Mrs. Humble suffers great pain as the result of the accident.

Chattel Mortgage Foreclosure.

Judge George W. DeMeza has commenced foreclosure proceedings under a chattel mortgage held by Baumann Bros., of New York, upon the goods of Dr. John D. Wood, of this city. This news comes as a surprise to those who have secured attachments upon Wood's property, as they are practically shut out by this proceeding.

Ministers Met on the Mountain.

The members of the Plainfield Ministers' Association were entertained at Hilltop Cottage, Mrs. F. O. Herring's cottage on the mountain, yesterday afternoon, by Rev. E. M. Rodman. Rev. Dr. D J. Yerkes read a paper on "The Names of Our Saviour," after which there was a general discussion of the subject. Supper was served under the charge of Mrs. E. M. Rodman, Mrs. F. O. Herring and Mrs. C. E. Brooks, assisted by Mrs. E. M. VanBuren and Miss Rodman.

—Assemblyman W. R. Codington gave notice in the Court of Chancery, yesterday, of a motion to fix the date for the hearing in the case of Stansbury against Baker, in which he represents the plaintiff. Vice-Chancellor Emory postponed the fixing of the day until the defendant has joined issue.

AUK AND THE DODO GONE.

Of All Birds Extinct None More Interesting than the Great Auk.

Before the white man came there was a large and clumsy bird on the island of Mauritius called the "dodo." It was related to the family of pigeons. Being incapable of flight and good to eat, the species was destroyed wholesale by sailors, and the eggs and young were eaten by hogs. So it disappeared and not a single specimen remains in any museum to tell its melancholy story. Mauritius had also a small but peculiar owl and a big parrot, a large heron with short wings, and a big rail, all of which are now extinct, as well as a good many other birds which are now only known by the stories of early voyagers and the bones found in caves on the island. Far to the eastward of Mauritius, on Rodriguez Island, dwelt a near relative of the dodo, called the solitaire. It became extinct about the beginning of the eighteenth century.

Of all birds recently extinct none is more interesting than the gare fowl, or great auk. The last two living specimens were seen and taken on a rocky islet off the southwestern point of Ireland. A single egg of a great auk was sold not long ago at auction for $1,500. And yet sixty years ago birds of this species were found on Funk Island, off the Newfoundland coast, in countless numbers. People from the mainland used to go over to the island in summer and kill them by myriads to eat and for their feathers. They were so fat that they served as fuel. Ships used to land there and get boatloads of the auks by the simple process of placing a plank between the boat and the shore, and driving the helpless creatures over it. The Smithsonian Institution has practically a corner on their bones. A while ago it sent an agent to Funk Island for the purpose, and he brought back nearly a barrelful of auk bones. If you want a skeleton you will have to send to Washington for it, and it will cost you about $600.—Washington Post.

FEATS OF HINDOO PORTERS.

Hardy Hill-Men Climb Steep Mountains Carrying Cumbersome Packs.

Darjeeling tea, said Mr. George W. Christison, in a recent lecture before the British Society of Arts, is all carried by the hardy hill-men up the steep mountain roads to the nearest railway station on the way to market. It is no unusual day's work for a coolie to carry from 110 to 130 pounds a distance of five or six miles, making at the same time an ascent of from 2,500 to 3,500 feet in sheer vertical elevation.

There can be no deception about a task like that, and we can not but have an admiration for the powers of endurance of those who perform such a feat. Of course these people are trained to load carrying and mountain climbing from their very infancy, and hence the peculiar set of muscular faculties required for them are fully developed, if not actually called into existence at a cost of others—so much so that walking on a level, after a few miles, becomes positively painful to them.

In the prosecution of their own trade, or in domestic affairs, they frequently undertake long, arduous journeys over ridges and along and across hot valleys, varying many thousands of feet in elevation, occupying many days, carrying heavy loads of from 150 to 200 pounds and over, and in addition to their food and bedding most cheerfully lighting a fire, cooking and eating their scanty meal, and going to sleep by the wayside.

There is a story still current of a Bhootean in old times having carried a grand piano up a hill to Darjeeling, a distance of fifty miles forward, and involving a rise of more than 5,000 feet in elevation by the old road. These hill tribes are a hardy people, capable of performing marvelous journeys without partaking of food, or on the most meagre fare.—New York World.

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In order to settle up the estate of James Jackson, deceased, the undersigned executor will sell at public auction on the

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the following valuable pieces of real estate.

First Tract. Known as 409 East Sixth street, being 74 feet front and rear by 98 feet deep, containing dwelling house with ten rooms, modern improvements and in good repair, also barn in good repair.

Second Tract. On Lee place 100 feet southerly from South avenue; being 50 feet front and rear by 100 feet deep, containing two dwelling houses, No. 211 and 213. Will be sold jointly or separately to suit purchasers. Dwellings contain seven rooms each and are in good repair.

Also three houses on East Second street near Berkman street, 33½ feet front and rear each by 240 feet deep. These properties are in good repair and nicely located. Dwellings contain seven rooms each, and are known as No. 717, 719 and 721 East Second street.

Also the following vacant lot located on the corner of Lee place and South avenue and is 100 feet front by 100 feet deep. Is a corner lot and a valuable piece of property.

The above premises will positively be sold to the highest bidder and will afford a grand opportunity for investors as well as parties desiring a home.

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Parties desiring particular information regarding any of the above premises may call upon the undersigned executor at any time before sale.

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In Better Business.

"Why did I cease to be an agitator, a socialist and an advocate of utopian ideas?" echoed the man of affairs to a former friend who is still working on the problem of making this an ideal world.

"I'll tell you just as frankly as I can. While I was sentimentalizing about the masses and grinding out humanitarian cant wherever I could get an audience, I made the startling discovery that I was not making my own home as much of a heaven on earth as it might be. I was neglecting my household in an effort to reclaim the world..

"But such sacrifices must be made in the great cause."

"Not a bit of it. Our first duty is to those akin to us. What awakened me was a wife working night and day to get along on scanty means, one little one staying at home from school because he had no shoes, another wearing clothes that excited ridicule of other children, the coal bin empty and a very short allowance in the larder. I concluded then and there that the rest of the world would have to get along the best it could until I had created some sunshine in my own home. I've been kept very busy in this new line of work, finding some time, however, to afford relief where immediate relief was needed."

The visiting agitator looked much paler than when he had entered and went out chewing his mustache.—

Sweet Peas to Drive Away Flies.

The odor of the sweet pea, according to a contributor to the Medical Record, "is so offensive to flies that it will drive them out of the sick room, though it is not usually in the slightest degree disagreeable to the patient." It is, therefore, recommended that sweet peas be placed in the sick room during fly time.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Limit.

"How much do you weigh?" said a friend to Speaker Reed the other day.

"I weigh 200 pounds," he replied slowly and smilingly.

"Oh," said his friend, "you weigh more than that. You must weigh nearly 300 pounds."

"No," said the speaker, "no gentleman weighs more than 200 pounds."—New York Tribune.

At the Zoo.

Little Elsie (looking at the giraffe at the Zoo)—Oh, mamma! They have made that poor thing stand in the sun, haven't they?

Mamma—Why do you say that my dear?

Little Elsie—Look at all his freckles.—Philadelphia Times.

Impaneled a Lunatic.

A Kansas City doctor, who was looking for a crazy patient whom he was to lock up in an insane asylum, found the lunatic serving on a jury in the circuit court.—Boston Globe.

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MARTIN ACT INJUSTICES

A REVIEW OF THE TAX PROBLEMS CONFRONTING THE CITY.

Fred C. Lounsbury Advances Many Strong Points Why Innocent Property Owners Should Not Pay Back Taxes.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—In accepting your invitation to present my views on the Martin Act and its application to the city of Plainfield it shall be my endeavor to acquaint the public with certain facts which seem to have been lost sight of heretofore.

Some have been led to believe that the recent act of the Common Council was to result in simply a rounding up of dead beats who had studiously and persistently neglected to pay their just debts; in a measure this may be so, but it applies to only a very small portion of those who are affected. It is the opinion of those in a position to know, that a large portion of the property upon which taxes are in arrears for the year 1881 and prior thereto, has changed hands, some of it many times, since the said taxes were levied, and as much of the property has been subdivided and resold, the result is that of those who are affected at the present day a large majority are absolutely innocent purchasers, and it is to this class that I belong and for whose rights I propose to put forth every effort in my power. It is somewhat difficult to conceive that those who framed and passed the socalled Martin Act ever intended that it should apply under such circumstances as exist in connection with our city, and until the Supreme Court of the State finally passes upon the question involved we shall feel compelled to believe that our Common Council acted hastily and without due consideration of the rights of others in attempting to apply this act so far as it concerns taxes for 1881 and prior thereto

In 1880 and 1881 the city of Plainfield found themselves in a very serious predicament regarding the collection of taxes, and the local newspapers at that time set forth this difficulty in no uncertain way. I quote from an editorial of the Central New Jersey Times as follows:

Plainfield is in great danger. Our tax system has been stirred up during the past two years and been found utterly rotten. In the first place this appears in regard to city taxes. In the beginning of 1880 the Common Council attempted to compell City Judge Runyon, then just elected, to issue his warrant for the forcible collection of city taxes at that time unpaid for the year 1879 and previous years, and the Supreme Court decided upon the hearing of that case that the City Judge had no power to issue any warrant for the collection of taxes assessed previous to his term of office.

But when we come to look for the oridnary power given to other communities in the State to collect taxes assessed against real estate our plight is still worse; the Charter of the City of Plainfield does not contain a provision authorizing in any way, shape or manner the collection of city taxes out of the real estate upon or against which it is assessed.

Then again, during the past year, the Corporation Counsel in mere desperation has attempted to collect those taxes which could not be collected by warrant, by civil suit, and thus far the courts have decided that the city cannot maintain any such suits. Secondly, when we turn to State and county taxes the condition is still worse. The Mayor and Common Council, lawyers in New York, and one of the most eminent counsellors in the State of New Jersey, have for a year past been engaged in a fruitless search for some legal authority which enables the city of Plainfield or its officers to collect the State and county taxes.

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Mr. Cortland Parker in an opinion to the Council dated Nov. 28th, 1881, points out the defects in charter and mistakes of city officials and recommends that the Legislature be requested to pass an act to correct the difficulty, and under such act the taxes since 1881 have been made a lien upon real estate and against the collection of these taxes no reasonable man can enter a protest; the old taxes, however, were considered a dead letter. Council after Council has been organized and disbanded without any attempt to resurrect these old matters principally because they believed it to be impossible to obtain any particular result through such an effort. It remained for the Council of 1897, seeking to cover themselves with the glory commonly supposed to be associated with antiques, to discover or claim to discover that the Martin act passed more than ten years ago would really apply to this case, and hence we have today this unprecedented act on the part of the city of Plainfield in which innocent parties are invited under threats of losing their property to step up and pay a debt a quarter of a century old, and due in many instances from parties who have long since been in their graves. Such an act on the part of an individual would not be considered legal for a moment. A city is simply a combination of individuals and as such should not have any such extraordinary rights, and should be held accountable as an individual

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BRYAN MEN IN CONTROL

MEMBERS ON THE STATE COMMITTEE FOR "NO COMPROMISE."

Chairman Price Refuses to Name Any One Who Deliberately Aided and Abetted Republicans in Any Contest.

Every county in the State was represented at the meeting of the Democratic State Committee at Trenton yesterday, and more interest was manifested in the gathering than was displayed toward any held during the last National campaign. This was largely because it was expected that the committee would definitely decide what recognition, if any, should be given the sound money wing of the party, and on that score there was no disappointment.

No resolutions were adopted, but action was taken and sentiment expressed during the selection of members of the several county boards of election, which declared emphatically for "no compromise," and established a rule that while the present committee is in control, no Democrat who opposed the cause of Bryanism and free silver last year should be given a voice in the party councils.

"Personally, I cannot recognize as a Democrat any one who deliberately aided and abetted the Republican party in either a National, State or local contest," said Chairman Price, "and I will not knowingly name such a person as a member of the election board of any county, unless a majority of the committee so orders."

Inasmuch as the law required that list of county election officers should be submitted to the Governor not later than July 1, the chairman said he had called this meeting to settle the question. He asked the committee to bear in mind that the Chicago platform was and would remain, at least until 1900, the Democratic doctrine, and one antagonistic to it could not be classed as a Democrat.

The committee approved the following list of county election officers every one of them an approved silver Democrat or one credited to be such by the representative from his county:

Union—John L Crowell and Patrick J. Ryan.

Somerset—J. H. Madison and Jacob Shurts.

Middlesex—Hendrickson S. Brown and St. George Kempson

Morris—Paul Revere and Oscar Lindsley.

Neither Johnston Cornish, Senator Daly nor General Donnelly had a word to say relative to the Gubernatorial nomination except that it was rather premature to discuss it.

Very little was said relative to the candidacy of Senator Smith for re-election, except by former State Senator Keys and a few other warm friends of the Senator.

No action was taken with reference to the pending constitutional amendments, the committee deciding that the questions involved were not properly party issues.

CYCLIST TOOK A TUMBLE.

THE RIDER RAN PELLMELL INTO FARMER MARTINE'S RIG.

Thrown High in the Air and Landed on His Face—A Deep Gash in His Forehead and a Broken Thumb Result of the Fall.

Free silver did not have anything to do with it, but "Farmer Orator" James E. Martine was the indirect cause of considerable of the tumble last night. A young man from New Brunswick, was the victim of the accident. He did not see the Democratic statesman and Mr. Martine did not see him until he rose in the air and set sail for the opposite side of the road.

Mr. Martine went out for a drive, last evening. He was returning on Park avenue, in the vicinity of Avon Park, when a bunch of wheelmen approached from the rear. The moon had not risen and the streets that overhung the road made it rather dark and Mr. Martine drove on the right side of the road to allow them to pass.

The wheelmen were coming at a lively pace and one of them evidently did not see the carriage, for he struck the rear wheel squarely and was sent flying across the road. His wheel was a complete wreck and when Mr. Martine and his comrades reached him, they found the rider half-stunned from the fall and bleeding profusely from a deep cut in the side of the head. His right thumb was broken.

He was carefully lifted up and placed in the carriage together with the remains of his wheel, while his wounds were dressed. Mr. Martine then brought the injured man to Plainfield where his wounds were carefully dressed at a drug store and he was then sent home to New Brunswick by train under the care of a companion while the rest of the party set a slower pace home on their wheels.

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A JERSEY JUNE BRIDE.

A CHURCH WEDDING CELEBRATED IN DUNELLEN LAST NIGHT.

A New Market Girl Becomes the Better Half of a Prosperous Red Bank Merchant—Details of the Nuptial Event.

The Dunellen Presbyterian church was the scene last evening of a pretty wedding when Miss Helen Coriell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Coriell, of New Market, and Clarence White, a prosperous merchant of Red Bank, were united in marriage by Rev. D. W. Skellinger, of Washington, D. C., who was formerly a pastor of the church in which the ceremony was performed. A pleasing arrangement of choice flowers, ferns and palms made the church beautiful and attractive. Those present to witness the ceremony comprised the best people in Dunellen and New Market, while there was a large number of out-of-town guests. Previous to the appointed hour Joseph Neuman, of Dunellen, rendered a programme of classical selections on the organ, and while the bridal party were entering the church the Lohengrin wedding march was played.

The ushers, Gilbert Boughton Fletcher, of Dunellen; William Wallace Coriell, Harry Johnson, of Plainfield, and Frederick Coriell, of Bound Brook, made their appearance first, followed by the bridemaids, Miss Kate Coriell, sister of the bride, of New Market, Miss Evelyn White, Miss Maide L. White, sisters of the groom, of Red Bank, and Miss Mary Giles, of Plainfield, all gowned in white organdie over green, and carrying baskets of carnations The maid of honor, Miss Florence Coriell, niece of the bride, of Dunellen, came next, gowned in white and she carried a mother-of pearl tray bearing the wedding ring. Lastly, came the bride leaning on the arm of her father who gave her away in marriage. She wore a gown of white satin en train, also a tulle veil held in place by a diamond and pearl cluster, the gift of the groom.

At the altar the bridal party were met by the groom and best man, James S. Martin, of Brooklyn, and the officiating clergyman. The beautiful and impressive Episcopal service was used and the responses were very distinct. While the service was being performed pretty selections were rendered on the organ, and as the bridal party left the church the favorite Mendelssohn wedding march was played.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents in New Market from 8 to 10, and only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties were present. The house was attractively decorated in pink and white, the same colors as were used at the church. During the above hours Mr. and Mrs. White received the congratulations of those present and a bountiful wedding supper was served. The bride and groom left early enough to catch the 10:17 train at Plainfield for New York. This morning they left for a two weeks' wedding trip to Niagara Falls, Thousand Islands, White Mountains, to Boston, thence to Red Bank where they will reside.

They received a great many costly and useful presents from their relatives and friends. The groom's gifts to the ushers were gold stick pins set with torquoise.

RENTED WHEEL IS GONE.

A Sharper's Clever Trick Found One Victim.

There is one less wheel in the rental department of the Eldridge Bicycle Company at present. Last Saturday afternoon a man came into the salesrooms of the company on Park avenue and said that he wanted to hire a wheel. He said that his name was George Goodwin and that he lived at 37 Washington avenue. He wanted to hire the wheel for over Sunday, so he said. He took the wheel and rode away and not a sign of Goodwin or the wheel has been seen since. The wheel was a '96 Columbia.

The man also called at one of the local livery stables and represented himself as a guest of Mayor Gilbert. The little game did not work, however, and the liveryman refused to let him have the rig he wanted.

Stole His Employer's Rig.

Tuesday afternoon last George Hilbert, a farmer living at Myersville, Morris county, had a bay horse attached to a black buggy, stolen from his place by an employee named David Morris, who had worked for Mr. Hilbert for a few weeks. The rig was traced as far as Demler's store at Washingtonville and there all trace of it was lost. The matter was reported to the borough police and the police of the city, both of whom are now on the lookout for the stolen property.

THE PLAY WAS THE THING

ENTERTAINING DRAMATIC EFFORTS OF SCRIBNER & NEWTON PUPILS.

Closing Exercises of the School Held Yesterday Afternoon and Witnessed by a Large and Appreciative Audience Present

The closing exercises of the Misses Scribner & Newton's school, 303 LaGrande avenue, were held yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. The room was attractively adorned with ferns and roses, and a large and appreciative audience was present.

The programme opened with a song, "The Violet's Plea," by a chorus of young ladies, followed by a recitation, "Cicely Croak," by Eleanor B. Williams, which showed ability on the part of the young lady, as well as careful training by her teacher.

A French play came next on the programme, "Le Testament de Madame Patural." This was acted in a sprightly, intelligent manner by the young performers, who showed great readiness and ease in the parts as signed them. The cast was as follows:

Madame Robin..... .....Helen Louise Brown
Madame la Marquise de Rocencoef.
Josephine Herrick Lapsley
Madame de Lorieux.....Margaret Goddard
Jeanneton.....Florence Ball Patterson
Gertrude.....Mary Lee Mann

The song, "Well-a-day," was very effectively rendered by the following chorus of young ladies: The Misses Mary Anderson Reinhart, Harriet Goddard, Margaret Goddard, Constance Salstonstall Patton, Josephine Herrick Lapsley, Georginna Hpadley Smith, Marie Newman, Florence Taylor, Jessie Little, Stephanie Krom, Mary Chapman, Sara Richards, Mary Lee Mann, Elizabeth Goddard, Charlotte Suydam and Elsa Pfeiffer. The instructor, Miss Anna O. Marsh, deserves especial praise for the excellent drill she has given the class in this work.

The last exercise of the afternoon was a play in which the members of the intermediate department took part. By the aid of a wonderful machine, the Chronothanatoletron, which recalls the dead to life, we are made to see many famous women of the past, "in their habit, as they lived." The parts were taken with great success, and the perfect adaptation of of each to the character she represented was remarkable. Miss Green is the teacher who selected the characters and trained the children for this play. The cast was:

Genius of the Nineteenth Century.
Dorothy Fleming
Inventress.....Elizabeth Goddard
Sarah.....Margery Fleming
Pharoah's Daughter.....Anna Louise Borsum
Cornelia.....Ethel Kyte
Cleopatra.....Florence Taylor
Queen Elizabeth.....Marie Louise Finch
Mother Bickerdick.
Georgianna Hoadley Smith
St. Cecilia.....Anna May Richards
Hypatia.....Katharyn Langhorne
Pocahontas.....Eva Gregg Browne
Joan of Arc.....Alice Marion Moodey
Martha Washington.....Ida Caroline Borsum
Priscilla.....Rosa Woltmann

Miss Bertha Virginia di Zeriga has completed her course of study in the school and enters Wellesley College next fall.

AN OLD CITIZEN PASSES AWAY.

William Britton Moore Finally Succumbs to a Long Illness.

The death of William Britton Moore, aged seventy-seven years, occurred last evening at the home of his son, Fred S. Moore, of Orchard place, after a long illness. Mr. Moore was well known in this locality where he has resided for the past twenty-five years, and for the most part followed the trade of a painter. He was taken several months ago with a paralytic stroke and from that he never recovered. He was a patient sufferer throughout his entire illness and his last days were made as comfortable as possible by kind and loving hands. The funeral services will be held from the house, 433 Orchard place, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and interment will be at Rahway. A widow, one daughter and three sons survive the deceased.

Wedding Party Drove to This City.

People in the city were much interested last evening about 8 o'clock when a coach passed through Front street toward the North Avenue station. The coach itself was the same as any other, but the fact that it was gayly decorated with white satin ribbons, while on top floated a streamer, attracted the attention of those on the street. Inquiry revealed the fact that the coach contained Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wagoner, of Bound Brook, who a short time before were married at the home of the bride, who was formerly a Miss Stryker. The married couple took the 8:20 train from this city to Philadelphia, where they will spend their honeymoon.

W. L. Fursman, formerly of this city, is now connected with the management of The Clark, Elizabeth, where the Democratic harmony dinner will be held.

CRESCENT'S TO BUILD

THE WHEELMEN OF THE CITY WILL BE ASKED TO SUBSCRIBE.

A Committee was Appointed at the Meeting of the Crescent Wheelmen Last Evening to Decide About Building.

The Crescent Wheelmen are unanimously in favor of having a club house of their own. That was very evident at the club meeting held at the present quarters of the club last evening. All that now remains to be done is to raise the rest of the funds necessary to assure the building of the house. Some has already been pledged, and more will undoubtedly be given by the members and friends of the club who have not already come forward.

There was a large attendance at the meeting and all the members present seemed to be very much in favor of the scheme. There was considerable discussion regarding the details of the question. It was the sentiment of the members that it was far better to buy the ground for the new club house outright instead of leasing it as was first spoken of by the committee. The club could then mortgage the property if the subscriptions did not reach the amount needed to buy the land and pay for the erection of the house.

The only definite action was the appointment of a committee to select the suitable place on which to build the new club house, to decide on plans for the new building and to canvass the members of the club and the business men of the city for subscriptions. The committee was appointed to consist of the following: Edward White, chairman L. B. Woolston, former Judge W. A. Coddington, Judge George W. DeMeza, Councilman Tunis J. Carey, William H. Rogers, J. D. Runyon, Ralph I. Tolles, William M. McClintock, and J. A. Haynes.

Regarding the location of the club house it is understood that it is to be on Park avenue in the neighborhood of the Crescent Oval so as to be within easy walking distance of the Oval. The house itself will be left to the discretion of the members of the committee.

The meeting adjourned and the members decided to have another meeting in two weeks when the committee will makes its final report regarding the finances. If the necessary money has been raised, the location of the house will be adopted as will be the design for the club house, and work on it will proceed immediately so as to give the members a chance to use it as soon as possible.

ALMOST A FATAL DOSE.

IODINE GIVEN AS RHUBARB TO A CHILD BY MISTAKE.

Both Liquids in Similar Bottles—A Strong Emetic Admistered and the Life of the Little One was Thereby Finally Saved.

It was almost a fatal mistake that Mrs. William Tragman, of Somerset street, made this morning when she gave her three-year-old daughter, Luella, a teaspoonful of iodine in place of tincture of rhubarb, for a severe cold.

The accident happened soon after 8 o'clock this morning, after Luella had just awakened from her sleep. Mrs. Tragman went to the closet where she keeps both iodine and rhubarb in bottles that are exactly alike. She took up what she thought was the bottle containing the rhubarb, and pouring out a teaspoonful gave it to her daughter. Almost instantly the mother realized what she had done, and grasping her child ran hastily across the street to Dr. Mattison's drug store. The doctor gave a strong emetic. In a few seconds the child began to vomit the deadly stuff and it was not long before it was entirely out of the stomach. The child was in a weak condition and it was sometime before she rallied from the effects of the poisoning.

In the meantime Mrs. Tragman was half crazed with grief as for a time it looked as though the child might succumb to the evil effects of the iodine. After an hour or so the child began to recover and regain her strength and she is now out of danger.

Mr. Tragman is a baker in the employ of Mr. Voehl on Somerset street.

Graduates Danced.

The last of the events of Commencement week at the Seminary was held at the Seminary Hall last evening. It was the graduation dance, arranged by the young women in the school. It proved a very pleasant affair. The hall was crowded, nearly a hundred guests being present. The music was furnished by Miss Morgan on the piano. The committee from the school by whom the dance was arranged consisted of the Misses Corlies, Helen Talmage and Agnes Minford.

NO NEED TO BE ALARMED

A SLIGHT EPIDEMIC OF SCARLET FEVER PREVALENT IN TOWN.

Twenty-eight Cases of What is Termed Scarletina Reported to the Board of Health—Not Necessary to Close Schools.

There is no use of denying the fact, Plainfield is experiencing a small epidemic of scarlet fever, which is, however, of a very mild form. While there have been times when Plainfield has had a greater number of cases than at present within the city limits, yet the mystery of the origin of the present cases is unusually perplexing to the health officials of the city.

While on May 28th there was not a single case of contagious disease reported in all the borders of the city, today there are twenty-eight cases reported to the Board of Health. None of the cases are serious, however, but are in a very mild form.

Neither are the cases confined to any one locality, set or color. Rich and poor are suffering alike. One of the first to come down with the disease was a lad living in a tenement on Stiger's alley, and today one of the sons of Mayor Chas. J. Fisk is reported ill with it.

There have been several cases in the public schools, but they were so isolated that the Board of Health has decided not to take any action to close the schools at present unless new cases appear. At present there is one case at the Franklin School, one at the Washington, five at the Bryant and one at the Parochial. As already stated, none of the cases are at all serious, and the victims are able to be around the house reading and enjoying themselves as best they can under the circumstances.

It has only been within the last few weeks that there was any sign of the disease and then it appeared all over the city simultaneously. Nine cases were reported yesterday. The Board of Health immediately investigated and tried to ascertain, if possible, how it was spread. The members have been unceasing in their efforts to locate the source, but so far they have been unsuccessful. The remarkable manner in which it has been spread among all classes quite baffles solution.

An officer of the State Board of Health will arrive in Plainfield today and will assist the local Board to trace it.

Dr. Murray, of the Board of Health, and Dr. Probasco, of the Board of Education, visited the Bryant school, this morning, and decided that it would not be necessary to close the schools for the present at least. Each case in the city has been thoroughly quarantined and will remain so until the patient has completely recovered from the effects.

While the Board of Health is anxious to locate the source of the trouble, the members are by no means worried about the spread of the fever. It comes in such mild a form, commonly known as roseola or scarletina, that there is little to fear from it if properly taken care of.

To the Editor of The Daily Press: As some fears have been expressed regarding the danger of contagion from scarlet fever in the public schools, I desire to state that I have conferred with the health authorities and President of the Board of Education, and am satisfied that all the cases in the city are of an extremely mild nature; that but few of them are pupils in the public schools, and that little, if any, danger exists to other pupils. Every precaution has been taken and all public school buildings will be regularly and thoroughly inspected.

Chas. J. Fisk,
Mayor.

LAST OF THE SEASON.

Seventh-day Baptist Women Arranged a Pleasant Time.

The Ladies Society for Christian Work of the Seventh-day Baptist church gave its last social affair for the season in the church parlors last evening. A strawberry festival was held instead of a regular sociable. The night was one that made ice cream very popular, and so there was a steady trade at the tables that were arranged about the rooms.

The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. A. M. Ross, chairman; Mrs. F. A. Dunham, Mrs. George Titsworth, and Mrs. Arthur L. Titsworth. The waitresses were the Misses Elizabeth Allis, Ernestine Smith, Matie Green, Louise Clawson, Ida Randolph and Anna Wooden.

Nate Laing Very Sick.

Nathan Laing, a veteran newspaper reporter and compositor of The Daily Press, who has been seriously ill for some time, is no better, and he seems to be gradually growing weaker. Mr. Laing is confined to the house at 417 Central avenue, where he has the kind and affectionate care of his mother.

WOODFORD FOR SPAIN

The President Selects Him For Minister at Madrid.

PROMINENT NEW YORK REPUBLICAN.

Has Been a Representative In Congress, United States District Attorney, Presidential Elector and Lieutenant Governor—Has a War Record.

Washington, June 17.—The president has nominated Stewart L. Woodford of New York to be minister to Spain.

General Stewart L. Woodford has been conspicuous in the Republican councils of Brooklyn and the state of New York for a generation.

He has been a representaive in congress, United States district attorney, Republican presidential elector and lieutenant governor.

In 1870 he was the unsuccessful candidate for governor against John T. Hoffman, and in 1876 he was a candidate in the Republican national convention for vice president, receiving 60 votes.

General Woodford was born in New York city Sept. 3, 1835. He is descended from early settlers of Connecticut. His grandfather fought in the Revolution and in the war of 1812. General Woodford entered Columbia college at 15, but spent the sophomore year at Yale, completing his education at Columbia and graduating in 1854. He delivered the centennial oration of the college.

Woodford's War Record.

He was admitted to the bar in 1857 and entered politics in the first Lincoln campaign, 1860. Later he became assistant United States district attorney. He resigned to enter the army as a volunteer in company H, One Hundred and Twenty-seventh New York volunteers.

He was made captain and served till 1864 in Virginia, South Carolina and the District of Columbia. He was judge advocate general of the department of the south, provost marshal general and chief of staff of General Gilmore.

He rapidly rose and was brevetted brigadier general for gallantry in action. After the war he was military governor of the city of Charleston and later of Savannah, putting the affairs of those cieties in splendid shape.

He resigned his commission Aug. 22, 1865, and resumed his law practice. In 1866 he was elected lieutenant governor. He presided over the Grant electoral college of the state in 1872 and defeated W. W. Goodrich for congress the same year.

He nominated Arthur for vice president in 1880. Under Grant he was United States district attorney. General Woodford is president of the Phi Beta Kappa Alumni of New York, a member of the New England society and of the G. A. R.; has been vice president of the Society of the Army of the Potomac.

He is an officer of the City Savings bank, Sprague National bank and Farragut Fire Insurance company and stands high in financial circles. Yale, Columbia and Trinity have bestowed the degree of M. A. upon him, and the latter gave him the degree of L.L. D.

A Friend of Mr. Platt.

Mr. Woodford is an old friend of Senator Platt, and the two have been on intimate terms since they were colleagues in congress a score of years ago. The incident in the early eighties, when Mr. Woodford refused to support for governor Judge Folger, later secretary of the treasury, saying he would not support a Republican nominated on a "forged telegram," put him at odds with the Republicans of the state for some years, but he finally went back into the fold. Senator Platt vigorously urged him for a cabinet position, trying to have him made secretary of the interior. Mr. Woodford has made a fortune in his law practice, and Republican friends speak of him as a natural diplomat.

His nomination has been foreshadowed in gossip about the office for some weeks, but the actual decision to appoint him was not reached until last evening. The cabinet talked the matter over, and the president referred to several persons suggested for the post and intimated that the preference was for Woodford. Secretary Bliss was called to the White House, and shortly after the nomination was sent to the senate. There is excellent authority for the statement that Mr. Woodford will accept.

Washington and Lee University.

Lexington, Va., June 17.—The commencement exercises of Washington and Lee university have closed. Degrees and diplomas were delivered. Walter S. Logan of New York made the address before the literary societies. Hon. Harry St. George Tucker telegraphed his acceptance as professor of constitutional and international law. Lieutenant Colonel J. P. Sanger, U. S. A., inspected the corps of cadets of Virginia Military institute.

Earthquake Reports Confirmed.

Simla, June 17.—The reports that all the buildings at Shillong had been destroyed are confirmed. Mr. McCabe, the British resident deputy commissioner, was killed by a falling house, and the English ladies and children are suffering intensely from exposure. The towns of Sylhet and Cherrapunji were leveled to the ground, and whole villages submerged.

Prominent Railroad Man Ill.

St. Louis, June 17.—S. H. H. Clarke, president of the Union Pacific railway and one of its receivers, is quite ill at his home in this city. He is under the treatment of a specialist in diseases of the throat and lungs. As soon as possible it is the intention to move the patient to some place in the west where the climate is dry.

Eclectic Medical Association.

Minneapolis, June 17.—The National Eclectic Medical association has begun its twenty-seventh annual session at the Hotel St. Louis, Minnetonka. More than 150 eclectic physicians from all parts of the country are in attendance. Dr. McLean of San Francisco is the president.

Rainstorm Causes Great Damage.

Bucharest, June 17.—Great damage has been done in Roumania by the recent rainstorm. The Danube has overflowed its banks, and an immense lake nine miles long has formed between Fetesti and Tchernavoda.

A HIGHWAY ROBBERY

Rich Man's Son Charged With Holding Up a Companion

THE VICTIM WAS A HOTEL MANAGER.

Found Near St. Louis Dazed and Wounded—About $4,000 Was Taken From Him—The Accused a Well Known Southern Society Man.

St. Louis, June 17.—C. B. Collins of Nashville, who said he had but recently disposed of his hotel in that city and had the proceeds, $6,000, on his person, was found badly wounded at Meramec Highlands, 15 miles from this city.

He was bleeding from several wounds and was so badly injured that he could not be moved. He told the watchman of the inn near which he was found that he had been stabbed and robbed of the $6,000 by Martin Ensley, a traveling man, whom he had met in Nashville.

Shortly after Ensley was arrested while waiting for a car. He denied the robbery and said a third person had held up both him and Collins. Ensley's vest was covered with blood, so the officers say, and they found several hundred dollars on his person. Ensley registered at the Southern hotel as from Memphis.

Martin Ensley's father was Colonel Enoch Ensley, a man of more than national fame and regarded until his death three or four years ago as the richest man in the south.

An Intimate Friend of Carnegie.

Colonel Ensley was a leading spirit in the development of the mineral resources of the south. He was largely interested in the Tennessee Coal and Iron company, established works at Bessemer, Ala., helped make Sheffield, Ala., a great mining place, founded several towns, one of which bears his name; owned several big cotton plantations and was an intimate friend of Andrew Carnegie.

He had two children, Martin, who is almost 32, and Lady, a year or two younger. For the latter he named the Lady Ensley mine, one of the largest in Alabama.

Martin occupied a high position in the social circles of Memphis, Nashville, Birmingham and other southern cities during his father's life. He was married to Betty E. Selden, daughter of a wealthy Memphis man and regarded as the handsomest woman in the state. When Colonel Ensley died, it developed that his estate was encumbered so heavily that it was doubtful if anything would be saved.

About two years ago southern society was startled by the announcement that Martin Ensley's wife was suing him for divorce on the ground of nonsupport. Since the divorce Martin has divided his time between Memphis, Nashville, Birmingham and other cities where his father had interests.

Bicyclist Attacked by Soldiers.

Cheyenne, Wy., June 17.—Charles S. Erswell, a telegraph operator, while riding home on his bicycle, was attacked by a party of 10 or 12 soldiers from Fort Russell. After he had been knocked from his wheel Erswell shot one of the soldiers. He then managed to get inside his home, which the soldiers immediately bombarded with rocks and pieces of timber. They broke windows and forced in the kitchen door. As they rushed into the house Erswell shot a second time, dropping another of the soldiers. The city police arrived at this time, and the soldiers retreated. Both the wounded men belong to company G. One of them is seriously wounded. Erswell was allowed to go on his own recognizance.

Steamer Damaged In Collision.

St. Johns, N. F., June 17.—The British steamer Torr Head, from Montreal June 10 for Belfast, laden with grain, has arrived at St. Pierre in a damaged condition, having struck on Miquelon island, near Point Platte, during a thick fog. The fact that she had six tanks of water ballast below the hold saved her from total destruction, as they were all pierced by jagged rocks. The main compartments, however, are making no water. The Torr Head has a crew of 48 men.

Sailors Win Their Strike.

Boston, June 17.—The seamen at this port who struck on Monday for $22 and $25 per month believe that they have gained their object. Six vessels engaged in the coastwise trade shipped crews for $25 per month. As nearly as the picket committees of the Seamen's union can judge, none of the ship owners and masters is endeavoring to hire sailors for lower wages than those now demanded by the strikers.

Carriage Company's Troubles.

Cincinnati, June 17.—Nicholas Curtis, vice president of the Anderson-Harris Carriage company, has petitioned the court for a receiver. The capital stock is $100,000. The petition says no dividends have been paid for seven years, and the company is in arrears for taxes. Other stockholders oppose the application for a receiver.

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Another Victory

In Paterson. This Endorses What Others are Saying.

Mr James Booth can be found at 155 Ward street, Paterson, N. J., where our representative learned the following facts of his case, which are published here for the benefit of the public; his experience had been the same as that of many other citizens, and it is no wonder they have set people talking. Mr. Booth says: "I have been troubld from my back for about six years. Being a bookkeeper I am on my feet most of the time and it appears to me that this has much to do with my troubles. Besides the backache in the region of the kidneys there are many minor ailments. They have, however, all disappeared in this way: I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and having sufferered so long from my back I thought I would try them. I began taking them and found within two weeks that they were helping me greatly, I had suffered with headaches but they are very rare now, stooping over or any strain across the back would always hurt me; but since using Doan's Kidney Pills I can stand on my feet or take long walks without any inconvenience whatever. I also sleep well at nights now and feel good generally. I consider Doan's Kidney Pills an excellent remedy and think it worthy of highest recommendation."

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Dr. R. J. Shaw, of East Front street, has gone to Camden for a few days on business.

Something to Know.

It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or $1.00 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's Drug Store.

Miss Lena Smalley, of Somerset street, is able to be about again after her recent illness.

The Grandest Remedy.

Mr. R. B. Greeve, merchant, of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottles free at L. W. Randolph's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Robert Wyckoff, of Arlington avenue, visited friends in New York, last evening.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are to-day its warmest friends. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Edwin Beekman, who has charge of the freight station at Plainfield avenue, has been suffering with an ulcerated sore throat.

"There's no use in talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, La Cygne, Kas., "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy does the work. After taking medicines of my own preparation and those of others, I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—A party of young people from Evona will attend the strawberry and ice cream festival to be held at Finderne Friday evening.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman fo the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss Gertrude Snodgrass, of Central avenue, is home from the Newark High School for a few days before graduation.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

CITY EMPLOYEES INJURED.

A Derrick Falls Upon Men Working In a Trench.

Boston, Mass., June 17.—Three city employees have been seriously injured by the falling of a derrick in the Roxbury district while engaged in laying water pipes. The names of the injured are: Timothy Donovan, 21 years, of South Boston; Patrick Hurley, 38, and Michael McDonough, 32, of Boston.

The derrick, a comparatively light affair, worked by hand, was set across a trench. A heavy 12 foot water main, weighing 2½ tons, was being lowered into the trench when one of the legs of the derrick slipped from its position, capsizing the whole affair.

Hurley was struck on the head by the derrick in its descent, and his skull was fractured. Donovan was thrown into the trench, striking on a water pipe below; McDonough was struck on the head by a leg of the derrick.

INDIANS AS WITNESSES.

They Appear In a Murder Case In Canandaigua, N. Y.

Canandaigua, N. Y., June 17.—When Judge Coxe of Utica took his seat in the United States circuit court here, the room was filled with dark, solemn faced Indians, who listened intently to the proceedings. One of their race was on trial for his life.

The prisoner is George F. Wilson, who is accused of killing George Greenblanket, another Indian, on Dec. 5, 1896. It is alleged that Wilson and Greenblanket quarreled on that evening while in the village of Irving. Late that night, it is alleged, Wilson overtook Greenblanket in the Cattaraugus reservation and stabbed him so badly that he died. About 20 Indian witnesses were examined and told what they knew of Wilson's connection with the killing of Greenblanket.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At New York—

New York	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—2
Cleveland	1	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	2	—7

New York—Hits, 6; errors, 5. Cleveland—Hits, 10; errors, 2.

At Brooklyn—

Brooklyn	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	2	—6
Cincinnati	0	12	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	—15

Brooklyn—Hits, 10; errors, 6. Cincinnati—Hits, 14; errors, 3.

At Boston—

Boston	0	1	3	2	3	0	3	2	*	—14
Chicago	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	—3

Boston—Hits, 16; errors, 3. Chicago—Hits, 8; errors, 4.

At Philadelphia—

St. Louis	0	0	2	3	2	0	0	0	0	—7
Philadelphia	3	0	0	0	0	2	1	2	*	—8

St. Louis—Hits, 9; errors, 4. Philadelphia—Hits, 11; errors, 4.

At Baltimore—

Baltimore	2	5	0	3	0	0	0	0	*	—10
Pittsburg	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	—3

Baltimore—Hits, 11; errors, 3. Pittsburg—Hits, 5; errors, 5.

At Washington—

Washington	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	*	—4
Louisville	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	—2

Washington—Hits, 9; errors, 2. Louisville—Hits, 6; errors, 2.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	32	9	.780
Boston	31	12	.721
Cincinnati	26	16	.619
New York	22	17	.564
Brooklyn	23	20	.535
Cleveland	22	20	.524
Philadelphia	24	22	.521
Pittsburg	20	22	.476
Louisville	17	26	.395
Washington	15	26	.366
Chicago	16	28	.363
St. Louis	8	38	.174

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

General Stewart L. Woodford of New York has been selected as minister to Spain.

Four bombs, or infernal machines, have been discovered in Paris during the past month.

Queen Victoria's alleged blindness has been denied by the highest medical and other authorities in England.

The Lorillard-Beresford stable's 3-year-old brown gelding Sandia won the Fernhill stakes at Ascot heath, London.

The steam collier Susannah, Captain Kelly, has foundered in a hurricane which passed over Belfast lough. Ten members of the crew were drowned.

Howard Dunning of Cedarhurst, N. Y., a first year special student, has confessed to the desecration of the pedestal of the statue of John Harvard on May 29 in a public letter.

Frank Younger, an inmate of the reformatory at Concord, Mass., escaped by jumping into a creek near which he was at work and swimming to nearby woods. Officers are now in pursuit.

Death of an Old Postmaster.

Cape May, June 17.—Word has been received here of the death at Media, Pa., of James McCartney, postmaster of Cape May Courthouse from 1858 to 1887. Mr. McCartney was for 50 years a merchant of Cape May Courthouse.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western quiet and barely steady; city mills, patents, $4.60@4.85; winter patents, $4.50@4.75; city mills, clears, $4.60@4.75; winter straights, $4.05@4.20.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened easier and declined under good crop news from the southwest; later was steadier on the higher cables and light northwestern receipts; July, 74 7-16@75c.; September, 70¼@70 9-16c.

RYE—Quiet; No. 2 western, 36c.

CORN—No. 2 easier under favorable weather reports and in sympathy with wheat; July, 29⅝@29 13-16c.; September, 31@31⅛c.

OATS—No. 2 inactive; track, white, state, 25@32c.; track, white, western, 25@32c.

PORK—Steady; mess, $8.50@9; family, $9.50@10.50.

LARD—Dull; prime western steam, $3.80 nominal.

BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 10@14½c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Quiet; state, large, 8¼c.; small, 7¾@8c.

EGGS—Steady; state and Pennsylvania, 12@12½c.; western, 10½@11½c.

SUGAR—Firm; fair refining, 3c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c.; refined firm; crushed, 5⅜c.; powdered, 5⅛c.

TURPENTINE—Quiet at 27½@28c.

MOLASSES—Quiet; New Orleans, 22@28c.

RICE—Quiet; domestic, 4¼@6c.; Japan, 4¼@4½c.

TALLOW—Quiet; city, 3⅛@3¼c.; country, 3¼@3⅜c.

CUBANS WIN A BATTLE

A Force of Spaniards Led Into Ambush and Slain.

ANOTHER AMERICAN UNDER ARREST.

He Will Protest Against Trial by Court Martial—More Men and Arms Landed on the Island to Aid Insurgents.

Havana, via Key West, June 17.—A large force under General Quintin Bandera succeeded in destroying a body of Spanish near Sabana. General Bandera placed his men in ambush and then instructed five scouts to approach a fort where the Spaniards were barricaded.

The Spaniards sallied from the fort in pursuit of the scouts, who cunningly fell back, leading their pursuers into the heart of Bandera's ambush. A hot fight ensued, first with musketry, but finally hand to hand. All of General Bandera's men were negroes with machetes.

Ten of the insurgents were killed and the entire pursuing party of the Spaniards.

At Alguiza, a town of 3,000 souls, 178 died last month from hunger and destitution.

Joaquin Vargas, an American citizen, has been arrested at Remedios. He has retained Jose Pando as his counsel, and the latter will make a protest if the authorities proceed to try Vargas by court martial.

It is reported from Remedios that Pancho Carrillo has directed that the insurgent leader Fanteya, a mulatto, be court martialed and shot.

From Jaruco come reports of the successful landing of an expedition.

Cuban Dispatch Bearer Arrives.

New York, June 17.—On the Ward line steamship Seguranca, which has just arrived from Havana, was F. R. Winn of Sherman, Tex., who for some time has been with the insurgent forces at Pinar del Rio, Cuba. Mr. Winn crossed the trocha and reached Havana last Thursday. He eluded the Spanish officials and got on board the Seguranca. Mr. Winn is the bearer of important dispatches to the Cuban junta in this city. He is quite sanguine of the ultimate success of the Cuban cause and says that the Spaniards are disheartened and weary of the fight.

Reported Surrender of Nunez's Sisters.

Havana, June 17.—It is officially announced that General Fuentes has defeated a force of insurgents, killing 23 and capturing 5 men and 5 dynamite bombs. The Spanish lost 5 men killed and 1 officer and 17 soldiers wounded.

An official dispatch from Artemisa says that two sisters of the insurgent leader Federico Nunez surrendered there to the Spanish authorities.

Advices from official sources at Sagua la Grand, province of Santa Clara, announce that a detachment of Spanish guerrillas has raided several insurgent camps in Gustavo and Zayas, near Manacas.

The Vesuvius at Jacksonville.

Jacksonville, Fla., June 17.—The dynamite cruiser Vesuvius has arrived in port. She was last reported at West Palm Beach.

Released From Quarantine.

New York, June 17.—The passengers of the steamer Advance, which arrived from Colon last Thursday night with cases of yellow fever on board, were released from observation at Hoffman island and transferred to the city, there being no further development among them. Dr. Pena, the ship's surgeon, who has been suffering from malarial fever, visited quanantine at the request of Dr. Doty. It has been a rule established by Dr. Doty to keep such cases of illness under observation when from vessels on which suspicious cases of disease have occurred. Dr. Pena is much better and expects to sail with the steamer on the 21st inst.

To Locate an International Park.

Clayton, N. Y., June 17.—The state fish commission has been here locating points and islands for the international park of the St. Lawrence river. The appropriation of $30,000 will be expended between Cape Vincent and the state line below Ogdensburg. Three days will be spent upon the river by the commissioners to complete their work. Points between Clayton and Cape Vincent have been visited, and places near Alexandria bay will also claim attention. Friday will be spent in the vicinity of Ogdensburg. The commissioners here are President Davis, H. S. Holden, Edward Thompson and W. B. Weed.

Funeral of Charlotte Wolter.

Vienna, June 17.—The funeral of Charlotte Wolter, the distinguished Austrian actress, took place yesterday afternoon, with interment at Hietzing cemetery. The remains were followed to the grave by Prince Lichtenstein, the court chamberlain; Dr. Lueger, burgomaster of Vienna; Baron Bersecny, director of the Court theater, and all the leading lights in Viennese literary and theatrical circles, with a vast concourse of the general public. Impressive addresses were delivered at the grave by Herr von Burckhard, director of the Burg theater, and Herr Sonnethal, the leading actor of the Court theater.

Berlin's Diamond Jubilee Dinner.

Berlin, June 17.—Many Americans, among them United States Consul General Charles de Kay and Mrs. de Kay, attended the diamond jubilee banquet given last evening by the British colony at the Kaiserhof. Sir Frank Lascelles, the British embassador, presided, and the hall was decorated with British, American and German flags and busts of Queen Victoria and Emperor William. There were the usual toasts and patriotic speeches, and a telegram of congratulation was sent to the queen.

Arson Trial Begun.

Reading, Pa., June 17.—Dr. Percy L. Archer of New York, his mother, Mrs. Samuel Snyder and his stepfather have been placed on trial here to answer the charge of burning the house and barn on the Snyder property at Frush Valley, this county. At the time of the arrests, several weeks ago, there was great excitement, owing to the prominence of the accused parties. It is alleged that the buildings were burned for the insurance.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Thunder Storms Tonight and Friday; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 81 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

June 22—Town Improvement Association meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Hall at 10 a. m.

Subscribers to The Daily Press who are leaving town for summer vacations can have the paper sent to their temporary address without extra expense by simply notifying the business office

DO OUR EYES DECEIVE US?

We do not suppose for the 'eenth part of a second that Editor Runyon will lose one of his 47,672,538 subscribers, or that his 603 columns of advertisements will be diminished, or that he will pay his typesetter more than $3 a week, or that he will stop butchering The Press in his dyspeptic editorials, or that he will come off his high horse and be an ordinary citizen of the community, or that he will see how emptily presumptious and egotistical he is in criticising The Press for mistakes which his sheet is rankly prevalent with, or that he will do any of the things that we might suggest that he could do to his credit, by what we are going to say. If we did suppose any of these things, the madhouse would probably claim us, since we know Editor Runyon so well. But here is a sentence, printed in Tuesday's News, that we wish to call attention to:

About forty wheelmen of both sexes were in the party.

Is Editor Runyon conscious, after this, that the News may not be quite such a model and perfection of English as he is wont to infer; or is he propagating a theory that may eclipse Darwin. An editorial on "men of both sexes" would be interesting.

WHAT IS WOMAN?

A novel phase of the woman question is interesting a section of California, bothering the Railroad Commissioners of that state, and bidding fair to worry the courts. The point involved is whether a woman is unqualifiedly a person, or belongs to one of the classes, determined by sex, of which persons are composed. It has arisen through the act of the railroad company, whose road connects San Francisce and San Rafael, in giving woman commuters a monthly $3 rate while requiring men commuters to pay $5. The reason for the discrimination is not specifically stated, albeit it is understood that the reason is the acknowledged inability of the woman to pay as the men, the railroad company proceeding upon the old plan of charging what the traffic would bear. But, whatever the reason, the ungallant men dispute the right of the company to make the discrimination, alleging that it is class distinction. The defence of the railroad company is the interesting one that women are a class, and that under the law which leaves it optional with a railway to discriminate in regard to "class of freight or persons" it has a right to differentiate in favor of women, if it chooses, as in the case of children.

VERY SEARCHING.

Some things which David B. Hill said at Niagara Falls on Friday were very searching. He said: "I have no confidence in financiers without finances, in farmers who do not own farms, in laborers who do not labor, in political women without husbands, or in political adventurers who seek power in time of adversity."—Brooklyn Eagle.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The sale of the Sunshine Mission Band of the Crescent Avenue church, which was to be held tomorrow afternoon, has been indefinitely postponed on account of the illness of several of the members.

—The Plainfield High School Cadets will meet at the home of Captain Edwards next Sunday morning at 10:45 to attend divine service at the Church of the Redeemer. The cadets will appear in full uniforms with white gloves and shoes well polished.

—Harry Werner, the West Front street clothing merchant, will give a free concert in front of his place of business tomorrow evening from 8 to 10 o'clock. Prof. Guttman's full band will render a choice programme. All are invited to come and enjoy this treat.

—Complaint was made against Patrick McNamara, Jr., to the Board of Health for leaving a quantity of meat in the store at the corner of Liberty and West Fourth streets, formerly occupied by him as a market. Inspector Addis visited the place and had it cleaned out.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Mrs. Thorp, of West Front street, is the guest of friends in Philadelphia.

John P. Hutchinson, of Leggett's pharmacy, is ill at his home, 510 Madison avenue.

Miss Libby Joseph, of Manning avenue, is spending a week with relatives in New York.

P. Russell Bond, of Princeton College, is spending the summer vacation at his home in this city.

A son was born yesterday afternoon to the Rev. and Mrs. F. St. John Fitch, of 414 West Eighth street.

Mrs. J. C. MacClymont, of Washington avenue, left the city yesterday for Philadelphia to visit relatives.

Miss Nellie Love, who has been visiting her friend, Miss May E. Howlett, of Elmwood place, returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Windle, and Theodore Huffman, of New York, have been visiting at the home of James Love, of Duer street.

Rev. William Embury, of New York, has been visiting at the home of his brother Edmund Embury, of Washington avenue.

E. H. Booth and family, of Central avenue, started for Boston yesterday to spend the summer among the New England States.

H. G. Runkle and family, of this city, will spend the summer at Hotel Champlain, Bluff Point, N. Y., for which place they left today.

William J. Kitchen, of Somerset street, has resigned his position in J. Hervey Doane's jewelry store and accepted a position with the Campbell Printing Press Company.

Rev. and Mrs. Garrett Conover have returned to their home at Hawthorne, after spending a few days with Mrs. Conover's mother, Mrs. J. K. Van Arsdale, of Grove street.

J. Vincent Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, and Everett J. Peck, of Myrtle avenue, left for Bethlehem yesterday afternoon, where they will take their entrance examinations for Lehigh University.

The address at the closing exercises of Mr. Leal's school this evening at the Y. M. C. A. hall, will be delivered by George Richmond, of New York, who is known as writer and authority on scientific questions.

William Bellis, who has been employed by A. M. Griffen, the East Front street hardware dealer, has resigned his position and will leave town today for Marion, O., where he has secured another position.

Harry McGee, of Orchard place, Washington Park, is home from Stevens Institute after successfully passing his examinations for the senior year. He will return next week to take a supplementary term in the machine shop.

Announcement is made of the approaching marriage of Miss Cora Gardner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Gardner, of Arlington avenue, and Joseph D. Fuller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd D. Fuller, also of Arlington avenue. The marriage will take place Wednesday, June 23d.

Vanderbeek Shotwell, of College place, is going about with one side of his face bandaged as a result of an accident. He was racing with some of his boy friends when he slipped and fell on the stony surface of the road, scraping a greater part of the skin from the side of his face.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Extending Invitations.

A special meeting of the Exempt Firemen's Association was held last evening when by resolution the members decided to invite the officers of the Exempt Associations from Bayonne, Rahway, Westfield, Scotch Plains and Plainfield to their tenth anniversary celebration to be held July 21st, in the rooms of the Plainfield Association. The trustees of the latter association have been given the power to arrange for the celebration which will be a notable one.

—Packer's closing out sale of baby carriages is a genuine sale, as buyers will learn by calling.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—Leal's School closed Tuesday for the summer vacation.

—The commencement exercises of Leal's School will be held this evening in the Y. M. C. A. hall.

—Barzilla Randolph, of Grove street, has improved his property by flagging the sidewalk in front of his residence.

—The summer camp for children, which is located on the mountains back of Plainfield, will be opened next week Saturday.

—Liveryman Corles, of East Second street, has just received a carload of horses from the west and is expecting another load today.

—Thomas Fahey went bass fishing at Bound Brook, Tuesday, and brought home five large fish, weighing two pounds or over each.

—The extension to the car house of the Plainfield Street Railway is almost completed and the curves and track necessary will be laid at once.

—Temporary work was started on the erection of the bridge across Watchung avenue yesterday. In a short time the work will be well under way.

—One of the coachmen employed by J. W. Reinhart, of Belvidere avenue, caught three small opposums in the rear of Mr. Reinhart's home in Netherwood.

—At the recent festival held under the auspices of the Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church the sum of $40 was made as profit.

—Word has been received that the new sprinkling wagon for the city will reach Plainfield in a few days. At present the Union county wagon is being used.

—A rose festival will be held in the chapel of the First Presbyterian church this evening, under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of that church.

—Michael Dunko, a Pole, was given his choice between a fine of $15 or forty days in jail by City Judge DeMeza, yesterday, for indecently exposing his person.

—Some school boy threw a large stone at one of Moy's large show windows yesterday noon and broke it. After the lad saw what damage he had wrought he fled.

—A nest of wee Guinea fowls, raised by Frank Hedden, attracted considerable attention in Hedden's stables yesterday. He succeeded in raising 21 birds from 21 eggs.

—The Epworth League of the First M. E. church will hold an entertainment in Vincent chapel this evening. There will be vocal and instrumental selections and a farce, "The Mouse Trap."

—At the Volunteer tent on Somerset street, opposite Manning avenue, meetings are held every night and all day on Sunday. Thursday Capt. Christoferson, of Orange, formerly of Plainfield, will be present.

—The Holy Name Society of St. Joseph's church will meet in the church next Sunday afternoon and listen to an essay by Arthur Phillips on the subject of "The Causes that Led to the War Between Turkey and Greece."

—While the steam roller was at work on West Front street yesterday it broke a gate box owned by the water company and located near Plainfield avenue. Superintendent Andrews of the latter company had the break repaired very quickly.

—A meeting of the executive committee of the Teachers' Retirement Fund was held at the office of State Superintendent of Schools C. J. Baxter, in Trenton, Tuesday, and the work of caring for the fund was systemized and put on a firm basis.

—Next Sunday will be observed by Crescent Division, U. R., K. of P., as Decoration Day, and they will have for their guests the members of Rathbone Division, of Brooklyn. The graves of deceased Knights in this vicinity will be decorated in an appropriate manner.

—This evening a festival will be held on the lawn adjoining the residence of Mrs. George Kesselring on Chatham street. The festival will be under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of Warren chapel, and admission will be free. Ice cream, strawberries and cake will be the features. If the weather interferes the affair will be held in the chapel.

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Iona Council Chiefs.

Iona Council, Degree of Pocohontas, met last evening and elected the chiefs for the ensuing term. They were elected as follows: Prophetess, Miss Dunap; Pocohontas, Mrs. Edward Bowman; Wenonoh, Mrs. Chas. Dodwell; Powatan, Mrs. Charles Westphal. Mrs. Dodwell was reappointed as trustee. The District Deputy was notified to be present at the next meeting and raise up the chiefs.

How to Study the Bible.

An interesting meeting will be held at the Park Avenue Baptist church, tomorrow evening, by the Christian Endeavor Society of that church. The meeting will be led by Harry Manning. The subject was "How Best to Study the Bible."

DANDY OF THE ORIENT.

Satin His Favorite for Robes and the Jade His Special Fancy in Sontes.

Chang Yen Huan is famous throughout the Chinese Empire as the Dandy of the Orient. Rich and radiant is the far East in color and magnificence of costume, but by the side of the most resplendent of his contemporaries Chang Yen Huan stands out like a peacock in a crowd of barnyard poultry.

Satin is his favorite material, and as far as possible he sticks to satin. But with regard to color there is no exclusiveness in his taste. He has satin robes in all the bright colors of the rainbow, and when he takes a walk in the grounds of his palace in Pekin the populace knows of the circumstance by the reflection of the sky.

And not only in his clothes is he resplendent. His diamonds are the envy and admiration of all the most famous burlesque actresses in China, and his collection of precious stones is the most valuable in the empire. He never wears the same gown twice in the same season, and for every fresh gown he wears a special set of jewels to match. But not his diamonds, nor his rubies, nor his emeralds, are his chiefest glory. Fortune, said the philosopher, is a jade. But Chang Yen Huan's jade is worth forty fortunes. Jade is of all highly prized stones, the one which is most highly prized in China. He has one necklace of the rarest and most beautiful green jade which is valued at over £5,000, and he never wears this except with a special costume which exactly matches in color. He has examples of jade carving which are upwards of 2,000 years old, and he has carved jades which show the progress of Chinese art from the dawn of history down to modern times.

Chang Yen's is a fine figure for the display of glowing costumes and glittering jewels, for he stands over 6 feet in height, is broad in proportion, and, notwithstanding his 57 years, carries himself as erect as a tower.—London Mail.

HER UNHAPPY INFIRMITY.

He Tried to be Sympathetic to the Lady, but She Would not Have It.

He was an angular man with gray ear whiskers. He gave up his seat in the crowded car with an alacrity that spoke well for the cheerfulness of his disposition. The lady who took the proferred seat was stout and haughty. She slipped into the vacant place without a word.

The angular man looked at her thoughtfully. Then he stooped over and said:

"I had an uncle, ma'am, that had just that same affliction."

"Sir!" said the stout lady with an insulted toss of her head.

"Yes," continued the angular man, "he couldn't pronounce any word beginning with 'th' to save his blessed neck. That's right. He'd stutter and stammer, an' the best he could do would be to give it the sound of 's.' It was a dreadful affliction. His oldest son's name was Theophilus, but he always called him 'Sophilus.' Had it long, ma'am?"

The stout lady was red from vexation.

"You are insulting," she snorted.

"Well, I don't wonder you hate to hear anybody refer to it," said the angular man with great cheerfulness. "But I couldn't help noticing it when you took my seat and wasn't able to say 'thank you.' I wouldn't have minded in the least if you'd said 'sank you'—oh, do you get off here? Good day, ma'am—never mind the thanks."

And the stout lady flounced down the street to take the next car.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

J. B. Conover, who has been ill at his home, is now able to resume work again.

The Dunellen Gun Club will hold a regular shoot the last Saturday in this month.

Mrs. W. S. Bullock, of Plainfield, spent yesterday with relatives in the borough.

William Jennings, of the borough, entertained friends from Plainfield yesterday.

Mr. Adams has purchased a new horse, and it is said that the animal can travel pretty fast.

Mrs. Walter Elliott, of the borough, is entertaining her two sisters from Brooklyn and New York.

Miss Anna Gaskill, of Rahway, is spending a few days with her brother, Wesley Gaskill, of the borough.

A car load of horses was received in the borough yesterday. They will be put out to pasture on the Gulick farm.

George Van Nest, of the borough, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Van Nest, of Elmwood place, Plainfield.

It is said that in the fall there will be a large double wedding in which Dunellen and Plainfield people will be the principals.

The annual school commencement will be held this evening in the M. E. church. The exercises promise to be the best ever held.

The work of erecting Watson Emery's new house will commence this week. Mundy Brothers have the contract for the carpenter work.

Charles Dunham is another one of the unfortunates who is detained at home by an attack of chills and fever. He was taken suddenly yesterday.

John Probasco, of Pittstown, this State, was the guest of friends in the borough yesterday. Mr. Probasco is stopping temporarily in Plainfield.

The superintendent and teachers of the Dunellen public schools will spend most of the summer out of town. Some will go to the seashore while others will seek the mountains.

The borough was highly favored yesterday in having a call from three prominent Plainfielders—Drs. Fritts, Carman and Thiers. Two were on wheels and the other used the trolley.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Henry Hand, of Florida, is the guest of Mrs. Eliza Mooney.

Constable Robert Walpole was at Elizabeth yesterday attending court.

Mrs. William Canning and Mrs. David Kelly, of Plainfield, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Blimm Tuesday and yesterday.

Right Worthy Grand Master W. H. Turton went to West Farms last evening to institute a lodge of the Order of the Eastern Star in that place.

Dennis O'Brien, of Plainfield, visited this place Tuesday, and traded horses with William Lee. Mr. Lee expects to enter his animal in the sweepstakes race.

Robert Frazee and Miss Anna Scheffiin, of New York city, were united in marriage last evening at the home of the groom in this place. The Rev. Dr. Parks performed the ceremony.

William Emery is preparing to erect a fine flag pole in front of his hotel about July 1st and the event will be celebrated by an immense clam bake and a jollification to which all his friends will be invited.

Saroni Venizir, an Italian, appeared before Justice Clark Tuesday night to answer a charge of assault upon the highway, preferred against him by John Long, of Westfield. After hearing the evidence the Justice decided that the assault was not committed in malice, and dismissed the case.

Wilbur F. Cornwell, of New York, who was valedictorian and president of the class of '96 at the Plainfield High School, will return to Plainfield next week to attend the commence-

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity.

Clifford Gilbert is on a business trip in the Western States.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Flagg have purchased a new tandem bicycle.

Miss Elda Fink, of Walnut street, is suffering from an attack of measles.

Fred C. Decker entertained a number of friends from Orange, yesterday.

Eugene Brown, of Central avenue, has recovered from a two weeks' illness.

Col. George Starr and family will spend the summer in Livingston, N. Y.

Mrs. S. S. Mapes, of Prospect street, is entertaing friends from New York city.

The Westfield Literary and Debating Society holds its regular meeting, this evening.

Rev. Dr. Moffett spent Sunday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James Moffett, on Carlton place.

Mrs. Davis, of New York city, has taken possession of Mrs. Nellie Hale's house, on Mountain avenue, for the summer.

The sale of the Grace Episcopal church property, under a mortgage foreclosure, did not take place yesterday, but was postponed for one week.

A party consisting of Miss Elsie Welch, Mrs. C. P. Wilcox, Miss Hattie Terry, Miss G. S. Woodruff, Otto Frink and Warren Woodruff attended a fair at Lenox, Tuesday evening.

The teachers of the Congregational Sunday-school held their annual business meeting in the Sunday-school rooms, Tuesday evening, and elected the following officers: Superintendent, E. N. Brown; assistant-superintendent, J. L. Clayton; secretary, A. L. Alpers; treasurer, Theodore Smith.

A horse belonging to James French ran away on North avenue Monday evening while left unguarded before the residence of C. B. Hann. The animal ran across a vacant lot and into Charles street where it was captured by Joseph Blackburn before any damage resulted from its flight. It is supposed that the horse was frightened by children who were at play in the street.

Westfield has two very efficient gatemen in charge of its railroad crossings. Pierce McCormick has had charge of the Central avenue crossing over twelve years, and W. M. Stamets has been at the Broad street crossing 14 years. Each of these men carries a watch presented by the citizens in recognition of faithful service. Mr. McCormick received his watch in February, 1891, and a similar honor was conferred upon Gateman Stamets in July, 1893.

The trustees of the Westfield Public Library have made a change of hours for the summer. Until further notice the library will be open every morning during the week, and on Saturday afternoons. During the month of May the following new books were added: "Farthest North," by Nansen; "The Green Book," by JoRai; "The Sign of The Cross," by Wilson Barrett; "Christine of the Hills," by Max Pemberton; "The Falcon of Lograe," by Isabel Whitely; "The Master Beggars," by L. C. Conford; "In the Tide Waw," by Mrs. Flora A. Steel; and "The Pottery and Porcelain of the United States," by Edwin Atlee Barber.

Preparations for the celebration of Independence Day in Westfield are progressing rapidly. Dr. Fred A. Kinch has been appointed grand marshal of the bicycle parade and will select a number of aides. The parade will be in three divisions, historical and allegorical, family division and grotesque. The fireworks have been carefully selected at a cost of $250. The display will probably be made at the baseball grounds, on North Broad street on the evening of July 5th. A temperance clambake will be held in Henry's Park on Elm street. John F. Darvall will have charge of the bicycle races, which will include a half-mile scratch, a one-mile handicap, a two-mile handicap, a one-mile fat men's handicap, a one-mile race for boys under 15, and a five-mile handicap. Those races are open only for amateur riders. Entries should be made before July 1st.

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CLOSING EXERCISES.

Pupils of Miss Fawcett's School Acquit Themselves Creditably.

The closing exercises of Miss Fawcett's School and Kindergarten were held this morning at the school, on Washington avenue, and like all previous commencements it was a pleasing affair. The scholars of the school very prettily decorated the rooms with roses, ferns and wild flowers.

The exercises were in charge of Miss Fawcett, who was assisted by Miss Harriott, drawing teacher; Miss Carrie Elliott, assistant kindergarten teacher, and Miss Lillian A. Force, who for the past seven years has served as accompanist on the piano.

The programme presented was as follows:

Recitation, "Aunt Tabathia," Miss Edna Smith; recitation, "The Travelers," Miss Ray Hooley; dialogue, "Travelers'," Orvetta Culyer, Marie Penton, Helen Adams, Marguerite Lee, Percy Culyer, Thomas Penton, Jr., Carrie Adams and Russell Lawrence; kindergarten games, "The Farmer," "Swing Cradle, Swing," "The Miller;" recitation, "Our Baby in Church," Reginald Roome; dialogue, Tom's Practical Joke,' Aunt Emma, Miss Mai Faber; Tom, Martin Fawcett; Mary, Tom's sister, Miss Louise Saunders; song, "Piggies," Reginald Fawcett; calisthenics, school; recitation, "Obbie Dobbie," Miss Evelyn Wells; dialogue, "Mary Maloney's Philosophy," Miss Allworthy, Miss Helen Walton; Mary, Miss Blanche Hiedeloff; reading, "The Siege of Calais," Miss Eugenia Hanigan; kindergarten games, "Shoemaker," "Frogs," "Mousie;" recitation, "Cicely Croak," Miss Aimee Emmons; songs, "Burlesque Band," school; marching, school; dialogue, "Three Little Mothers," Anna, Miss Bessie, Van Arsdale, Minnie, Miss Marguerite Serrell; Alice, Miss Mabel Hooley.

The parents of the scholars were highly gratified over the showing made by their children and much credit is due Miss Fawcett and her assistants who have ably conducted the school.

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—A meeting of the directors of the Plainfield Building and Loan Association will be held in the office of Assembylan W. R. Codington, this evening.

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HIS SIXTY-NINTH BIRTHDAY.

An Iowa Man Celebrated the Event in Dunellen.

Willis Willett, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, celebrated his sixty-ninth birth day at the home of his son-in-law, Fred Schaffer, of Dunellen, last evening. Mr. and Mrs. Willett returned from the west some time ago and are now staying with their son, Daniel Taynor, of La Grande avenue. Last evening, the relatives and friends of the aged couple gathered in Dunellen in honor of Mr. Willett's birthday. He was presented with many handsome gifts. Those present beside the host and hostess and Mr. and Mrs. Willet, were Miss Hanna Willett, Miss Cora Willett, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Taynor, Seymour Schaffer, John Schaffer, Mr. and Mrs George Vroom, Mr. and Mrs. John Vroom, Miss Ida Coon, and Louis Vroom.

AVON PARK.

The gypsies have arrived near Avon Park with a new supply of horses.

Mrs. Edward Campbell has returned from a visit with relatives in New York.

The Misses Quinn have gone to Delaware Water Gap to spend several weeks.

Patrolmen Harry Farleigh and Morris Higgins commence their vacation today.

Randolph Runyon,

Funeral Director

and Embalmer.

Residence, Over Office. Office 43 Somerset St., Plainfield, N. J.

DIED.

MOORE—In this city, June 16, 1897, William Britton Moore, in his 77th year.

Funeral services from the residence of his son Fred. S. Moore, 433 Orchard place, Saturday afternoon, June 19, at 2 o'clock. Interment at Rahway. 6 17 2

WANTS AND OFFERS.

BOY wanted to learn printer's trade; not over 16 years of age. Call between 3 and 6 p. m., Foreman composing room Daily Press office.

GOOD work horse wanted. Give price and particulars. Address Horse, care Press. 6 17 2

FIVE room house to let; 123 West Second street. 6 17 3

CHOICE rooms with excellent board; $6 and $7 per week. 417 East Fifth street. 6 17 6

WANTED—Any Plainfielder owning a stylish driving outfit, with single horse, and desiring to make advantageous terms for the care of the rig during the summer months, can communicate with responsible young man who will pay for boarding of such an outfit in first-class boarding stable for the use of it, by addressing Stylish, care Press. 6 17 3

FOR SALE—230 feet 2d-hand picket fence. B., care Press. 6 17 2

WANTED—A girl for general housework; reference required. 1303 Watchung avenue. 6 17 3

NURSE wanted (white) for child 3 years old. Must be willing to go to mountains for summer. 734 Watchung avenue.

A YOUNG woman with a child one year old wishes a situation at housework. Small wages expected. Address Mrs. M. Schultz, care Mrs. Traynor, Fanwood, N. J. 6 17 2

WOULD like a few more table boarders, also large airy front room with good board. 145 West Second street. 6 17 4

$25,000 to loan on mortgage in sums of $100 or more. Clarence Murphy, attorney, Schwed building. 6 16 tf

FOUND—At Casino, March 1st, stick-pin. Owner can have same by calling at this office. 6 15 3

STORE TO LET—On Fifth St., near Watchung Ave.; rent reasonable. Apply 148 E. 5th St. 6 15 6

LARGE pleasant rooms with first class board. 62 Sanford Ave. 6 14-6.

WANTED—Reliable men to travel, salary or commission. Centennial, 152 North avenue. 6 11 5

TO LET—Large alcove room with board, modern improvements, 3 minutes walk from station; shady verandas; terms moderate. Address V. X., care Press. 6 11 6

STRAYED—On June 2d, liver and white Pointer Dog, answers to the name of "Alex." Reward. F. C. Phoebus, City. 6 5 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished, house, No. 92 Duer street. Enquire on premises. 6 3 tf

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

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We sell goods cheaper than any Plainfield store.

It is Well to Remember

That the production of merchandise far outstrips its consumption. This will go far towards explaining the apparent modesty of prices on many seasonable goods. Hardly a day passes but what we have shown to us some special things that the manufacturer is overstocked—he needs money and the goods are offered to us in many cases at less than the cost of production. It's a wise loss for the maker, a good purchase for us, and a big bargain benefit for you.

TAKE WASH GOODS

There never was a season known when the wholesale market has been so glutted with thin, cool, dainty summer fabrics. The result is a price break.

Yard wide Percales..... 5c
Fine Dimities..... 6c
Fine dress Ginghams..... 6c
French Jackonets..... 10c
Pretty Challies..... 10c
Lace stripe Gingham..... 12c
Fine Organdies..... 12c
Mixed Bicycle Suiting..... 10c

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR.

The continued cool weather makes it imperative that makers should sell now, and to unload quick they sell at a loss. Values will surprise you here.

Ribbed Vests..... 7c
Lisle finish vests..... 10c
Silk trimmed vests..... 15c
Fine lisle vests..... 25c
Silk vests..... 50c

DRESS GOODS.

Much of the loss caused by these reductions we take ourselves—its clearing time in this department, and we must have shelf room. If its dress goods you save money by buying here.

40 in black and blue Etima cloth..... 25c
54-in all-wool Cloth..... 39c
40-in all-wool Cashmere..... 33c
54-in silk and wool Mixture..... 49c
54-in all wool Bicycle Suiting..... 49c

HOSIERY.

Business bringing items these, all bought for a quick sale. Fix your hosiery thoughts on this store—we sell nothing but what will wear and give satisfaction.

Ladies' hose, extra fine quality..... 14c
Ladies' lisle hose, very fine..... 25c
Children's plain hose, fine quality..... 15c
Boy's bicycle hose, double sole knee..... 15c
Men's fine black half hose..... 13c
Men's fancy colored hose, value 35c a pair, our price..... 18c.

BIG WEEK AMONG THE MATTINGS.

Not a word of argument, simply the cold facts in the shape of description and prices—by yard or roll, it matters not which—there will be a lot of cool matting sold in this store during the next few days.

20-yd rolls of fine Jap Matting..... $2.48 the roll
Extra fine linen warp matting..... 20c. yd
Extra heavy China Matting, worth 25c., goes for..... 15c
Special low prices in all-wool Art Squares.

MEN'S OUTING SHIRTS.

Another prominent manufacturer over estimated his output or underestimated the uncertainty of the climate. Result, the consumer gets a buying benefit such as is seldom met with.

Fine Outing Shirts made of fine cheviot, full size..... 32c
Fine Cambric Shirts made of best percale, laundried..... 48c
Silk Stripe Madras Cloth Shirts, worth $1..... 59c
Boys' Laundried Cambric Shirts..39c

MANY LITTLE THINGS.

At a little price, but the saved pennies here and there count.

Summer corsets..... 39c
All linen doylies..... 41c. doz
Extra large Turkish towels..... 10c
4 button chamois gloves..... 67c
Best quality percaline lining..... 10c
Pretty figured denims..... 13c yd
New Japanese drapery..... 10c
Curtain nets for sash curtains..11c
Fine embroideries..... 5c
Hot water bags..... 49c

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In addition to many attractive offerings we place on sale

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20 dozen Madras and fine Cambric and Negligee Shirts, linen collar and wrist bands, at the remarkable price of 69c.

25 dozen gauze underwear, color blue, at 29c each, regular price 49c.

25 dozen extra fine half hose, black, at the ridiculous price of 9c a pair.

Linen collars at 9c, 3 for 25c, and the cuffs at 12c per pair.

Golf caps at 25c and 45c. The very newest in fancy bosom dress shirts at 79c-98c.

STRAW HATS FROM 3c to $3.00.

FURNISHINGS

UP-TO-DATE **CRANE & CLARK,**

Leading Hatters, 120 West Front street.

A SOCIETY GIRL WHO POSES.

How Miss Bradley of Washington Became a Professional Model.

Miss Kate Mickles Bradley, daughter of the late Col. George W. Bradley, U. S. A., has become a professional model, and her adoption of this rather unusual vocation has come about in a most natural way, and makes a pretty story.

A few months ago Miss Bradley and her mother returned to their home after eight years' absence in the West. At the time of her departure Miss Bradley was an almost helpless invalid, but during her sojourn West she seemed to have been touched by a fairy's wand and transformed into a perfection of physical vigor and grace.

Miss Bradley moves in Washington's most exclusive army and social circles, and her unique and beautiful "song pantomines," in which she illustrated melodies by means of gestures, have been the feature of many entertainments given by the smart set during the season just closed.

While giving these prose poems she wore an aesthetic gown with Greek effects, the bodice low and the arms bare, and her dark hair caught in a classic knot at the back of her shapely head.

Mr. Lucien Powell, the artist, was present on one of these occasions, when he was so impressed with the beauty of her work that he gave her a letter of introduction to Mr. Jerome Uhl, and another to Mr. Richard Brooke. Mr. Brooke, in turn, sent her with a letter to the Art League, where she was immediately accepted, and began her experience as a model by posing for the head and shoulders before the portrait class of the league. She then posed for Mr. Uhl's painting, "A Morning Call," which was intended for the Cosmos exhibition, but was reported by the jury on selection as being too large.

The Bradley home is exquisitely artistic in its appointments, and numbers among its attractions a small but complete conservatory, Mrs. Bradley being as devoted to her flowers as her gifted young daughter is to her art.—Washington Times.

SHE GETS PHOTOGRAPHS.

A New Vocation which a Woman Pursues on the Fringe of Society.

The craze for illustration in the weeklies and monthlies and recreation and fashion journals of the day has created a new occupation, that of the photograph getter. The photograph getter accumulates a collection of rare likenesses and rents them out at so much a head, to be used for illustrating articles. People who are known to be approachable are not worth so much in the field as those who are suspected of objecting to notoriety. The pictures of conspicuous society women who are frequently heard to declare that they would not give their photographs to anybody for publication are rated at $5, or perhaps as high as $7. Those of women whose features have appeared once or twice in proximity to type bring only $2.50, but all have a value. Only pictures of professionals are valueless to the photograph getter. They are a drug in the market, no matter how fair of form and feature or how unique or artistic. The fact that the subjects go to the photographer on business and not for diversion spoils the pictures for the photograph getter.

The photograph getter, whether gently born or not, old or young, fair or homely, must be a diplomatist of no mean pretensions in order to succeed at her task. It is also essential that she should be if not actually in the swim at least so close on the verge thereof that the little eddying currents reach her and she obtains more than a superficial idea of what is going on in mid-stream.—New York Sun.

BASE INGRATITUDE.

The Redbirds Assaulted the Saver of their Nest.

I got into a row with a pair of cardinals one morning, says Maurice Thompson, in the Atlantic Monthly, the whole proceeding on their part showing shameless ingratitude. Hearing some bluejays making a great noise in a wild plum thicket not far from the tent, I took up my bow and went to see what was the matter for such a hubbub. A mob of jays had surrounded a little hawk, which I soon discovered in the middle of a plum tree, where he sat quite still, evidently afraid. He saw me, however, and made a dash to break the line of his enemies; but he could not go far, they worried him so. I ran forward under cover of some low foliage, presently reaching a point from which I could shoot at short range, and brought him down. Now the jays turned tail and flew away. But it had chanced that I shot from very close beside a cardinal's nest; indeed, my right elbow jostled it at the recoil of the bow. Then came trouble. Both redbirds assaulted me, pouncing at me with vicious beak-snappings, almost striking me in the face. They seemed not to account it anything that I had slain the marauder who would have made a meal upon one of them or their tender nestlings. Such is avian gratitude.

Fairy Tales.

A chamber where camphor is manufactured is a veritable fairy palace of pure white crystals. Fac-similes of palms, ferns and masses of tropical vegetation droop in graceful festoons from the roof and cover the walls.

Dandelion Leaves.

Some one who has tried it says that if two or three dandelion leaves be chewed before going to bed they will induce sleep, no matter how nervous or worried one may be.

Proceedings of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County.

[OFFICIAL.]

Regular meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of held on Thursday, June 3, 1897, at 2:30 p. m.

Roll call showed all members present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were on motion, approved as read.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From the Elizabethtown Water Co., as follows:

To the Honorable, the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union:

The Elizabethtown Water Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New Jersey, propose to lay a twelve-inch water main through Broad street. It is the desire of the water company, that your Honorable Body permit them to cut a channel six inches deep through the top of the arches of the South Broad street bridge. The object in doing this is to get sufficient depth to lay the pipe below the paving stone. The work will be done in a manner to preserve the present strength of the arches, and the surface of the street will be placed in the same condition as it is at present.

Respectfully yours,
L. B Battin,
Engineer Elizabeth Water Co.

Freeholder Roll moved that the communication be received and referred to a special committee of three (3) with power, which motion was adopted without dissent.

The director appointed as the said committee, Freeholders Roll, Ogden and Farrell.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The committee appointed to examine the condition of the Monroe Street Bridge at Rahway reported progress.

NEW BUSINESS.

By Freeholder Burnett:

Resolved, That a committee of five (5) be appointed to consider the advisability of building a new brick arch bridge on Williamson avenue, Lyons Farms, Township of Union, and be given power to build said bridge if necessary, at a cost not exceeding $600.

Freeholder Roll moved the adoption of the resolution, and on roll-call it was unanimously adopted.

The director appointed as the said committee, Freeholders Burnett Wahl, Littell, Krouse and Swain.

By Freeholder Clark:

Resolved, That a committee of five (5) be appointed to build a new bridge on Broad street, between Prospect and Elm streets, Westfield, N. J., and if they decree it advisable and necessary, that they be empowered to build said bridge at a cost not to exceed $1,000.

Freeholder Farrell moved the adoption of the resolution, and on roll call it was unanimously adopted.

The director appointed on the said committee, Freeholders Clark, Roll King, Miller and Robinson.

By Freeholder Roll:

Resolved, That the bill of John Keron, amount $75 00 be paid by the county collector, when approved by the county prosecutor.

Freeholder Swain moved the adoption of the resolution, and on roll call it was unanimously adopted.

By Freeholder Ogden:

Resolved, That the director and county collector be authorized to sell the bonds about to be issued for the purchase of the Sheridan House and adjoining property, either at public or private sale, as in their judgement is for the best interest of the County.

Freeholder Brucklacher moved the adoption of the resolution and on roll call it was adopted, receiving sixteen affirmative votes, the director not voting.

By Freeholder Farrell:

Resolved, That the director and county collector be, and they are hereby authorized to borrow money in anticipation of taxes, to an amount not exceeding $75,000.

Freeholder Littell moved the adoption of the resolution and on roll-call it was adopted, receiving fifteen affirmative votes, the director and Freeholder Roll not voting.

The following bills, audited and approved, were read and on motion ordered paid:

Salary Account—F. W. Westcott, $125, E. M. Wood, $125, S. Rusling Ryno, $25.

Members Pay Account—Wm. H. Swain, $34 John F. Wahl $26, Addison S. Clark $62; James C. Ogden, $54.35, Henry Krouse $68, Frederick Miller $30, Benjamin King $30, W. H. Hulskamper $40.

Committee Expense Account—John Farrell $19.50, John F. Wahl, $9.25, Wm. H. Swain, $12 10, Addison S. Clark, $8 25, W. H. Hulskamper, $10.35, Henry Krouse $24.50.

County Road Repairs Account—Wahl & Hetfield $5 91, Adolf Muller $2. J. W. Fink $60

Stationery Account—Jno. C. Rankin Co. $21.50; W. T. Kirk, Sheriff, $3 85.

Coroner's Account—Robert R. Sinclair, $22.

Publication Account—The Standard Publishing Co., $25.

Public Buildings Account—J. W. Blakley $11 75, John C. Blore, $25, Elizabeth Hardware Co., $1.25, $2.05, Frank C. Ogden $21.25, Suburban Electric Co., $27.74.

Court Account—W. T. Kirk, Sheriff, $135.25, $422 61, $9.21, Jacob Schultheis $150, James Ritchie $75, Herbert W. Knight $84.90, $80, William Howard, $111.44, T. J. McCormick $391.67, Frank H. Dunn $101.15, $88.75, Frederick C Marsh $371.75, Vincent Daniel $2, Henry Smith $1.70, $1 50 Geo. R. Rockafellow $3 90, Oliver Conlon $40, Samuel Morgan $7 50, $40, John H. Sheridan $7.50, $10, Michael W. Boyle $7 50, $40, J. Caspar Kirkner $10.50, $56, James Carey $7.50, $40, Wm. H. Wright $9, $48. James H. White $9 75, $52, Amos Moffett $56, $10.50, Isaac A. Bunn $48, $9, Wm. H. Burnett $48, $9, Robert Walpole $5.39, $10.50, $56, Jacob Miller $42, Joseph Clark $3 15, William Trans $4.76, Henry J. Schoppe $1.10, $7.50, $37.50, 60 cents, $1.68, $24 21, John Seeland $7 50, $40, $4 76, $24.50, Charles Jacobs $17.65, Max Rapps $1.55, Joseph E. Mosher, justice, $5.35, E. R Collins, justice, $15 71,

Bridge Account—W. T. Kirk $215.85, Hans Lambertson $14, Randolph Drake $10, Charles Frentz $20, C. A. Smith & Co. $26 25, John Reick $2.80, Everett & Pierson $275, F. B. B. Ham $3, Robt. Wilson $112.40, Robert Wilson $90.38, $138.25, Wm. Russell $120, James Holliwood $93, Adam Girlach $18 52, Benjamin Singer $8, John Maxwell $9.50, John C Meeker $10 Henry Pipenger $8 34, John T. Moore $65 19, $110.50, Frank Murphy $61.50, Wm A. Jones $11, A. J Huffman $6, T Eustace $7, John M Seidley $31 25, Welch Bros, $5.41, A. W. Stiles $16 81.

Incidental Account—The Smith Premier Typewriter Co., $9 05, Advocate Publishing Co., $6.50, Wm. Howard $1,3 4 75, James Mitchell's Sons $90, W. R. Codington $122 50

Jail Account—J. W. Hildebrandt & Co., $59 49, Henry J. Schmidt $53.37, Thos. B. Smith $7 50, W. H. Neefus $64 46, Joseph Bauer $19 51, James O. Brokaw $11 95, J. P Hamlin $34.83.

No further business appearing, Freeholder Farrell moved to adjourn, which was carried.

The Director declared the board adjourned until Thursday, July 1st, 1897, at 2:30 p. m.

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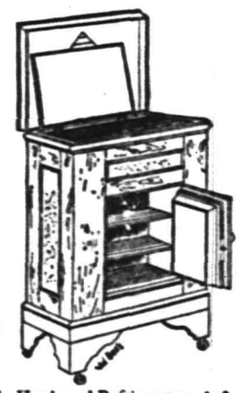

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00 except Saturdays), 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p. m; 12 15, 1 00, night, Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 57, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 22, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 06, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 35, 9 03, 10 05, 11 35, a. m; (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 05, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30, 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 10

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m 12 45, (1 40, Saturdays only) 3 11, 3 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 05, 5 15, 5 54, 6 04, 6 09, 6 15, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night, Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 39, 5 09, 6 35, 10 15, 7 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 45, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46 P11, 4 56, 6 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 28, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p, m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 02 a m; 6 30, 8 0 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 25 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 03 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

FOR LONG BRANCH, OCEAN GROVE, ETC.

Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m. 1 15, 3 51, 5, 32, 5, 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 03, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5, 32 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 24*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 37* 1 17 night. Sundays—5 17, 5 45, 9 55 10 44 a. m., 3 25, 4 55, 5 09* 6 45 p. m., 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, a. m., 12 46, 2 17, 4 24, 5 24*, 6 26*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a.m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 25* p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m., 2 17, 5 24* 6 45 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 10 44 a.m., 5 09*, 6 45, p. m., 1 17 night.

For Buffalo, Chicago and all points West, week-days at 9 54 a. m., 8 21 p. m. Sunday 6 25 p. m.

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10 07 a. m. 3 34, 5 22, 7 32 p. m. daily except Sunday. (Sundays 11 39 a.m.) Local for Bound Brook.

11 54 a. m. Daily except Sunday. Local for Mauch Chunk.

12 52 p. m. daily except Sunday, "BLACK DIAMOND EXPRESS" for Rochester and Buffalo.

3 34 and 4 58 p. m. daily except Sunday, express for Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Pottsville, Hazleton, Shamokin, and principal intermediate stations.

6 25 p. m. daily. Local for Easton.

7 10 p m., dailly except Sunday, for Slatington and principal intermediate stations.

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9 32 p. m. daily except Sunday. Fast line for Buffalo.

2 15 p.m. Sundays, local for L. & B. Junction.

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For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 6 48, 750, 10 05 a. m. 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. m Sunday 8 00, 9 00 local a. m. 2 20 and 7 10 p. m.

For Metuchen only 6 25 p. m. except Sunday

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No. 711, Royal Arcanum.

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Granite Covered Stew Pans, 21c.
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Granite Tea Kettles, 33c.
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The balance of Stock from the Insurance Companies, which has received a Thorough Renovating, has just been received and we will dispose of them at Your Own Figures. The sale will continue until all is disposed of, at the most Sensational Price Reductions Plainfield has witnessed for many years. Good Goods for Little Money. We quote a few prices:

Odd Trousers, formerly sold for $2.50, now 95c; odd Trousers, formerly sold for $3 50; now $1.65; odd Trousers, formerly sold for $5 and $6, now $2.35; 75 suits now going at $2.95; 150 suits in plaids and checks at $3.65; 75 suits in tweeds and homespun at $4.85; 150 suits in worsteds and cassimeres at $5.45; 100 suits in Washington Mills and Livingston at $6.65; 150 boys' suits, formerly sold for $8, $10 and $12, at $3.95; 500 children's suits, formerly sold for $2.50, $3 and $3 50, at 95c and $1.15.

P. S.—150 Clay Djagonal Coats and Vests, 22 ounce goods, lined throughout with Skinner Satin, known the world over for its wearing qualities, former price $15, now $7.45. Furnishing goods and hats. Car fare paid. Look for the name

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A FEW PRICES

Men's all-wool royal blue serge suits, worth $12, at selling out price, $4.50; men's best all wool blue serge suit, worth $16, at selling out price, $5 90; men's fine gray clay serge, all-wool suit, worth $13.50, at selling out price, $5; fine men's gray or dark brown clay diagonal suit, worth $16, selling out price $6.25. No other store in Plainfield will sell the same suit for less than $18. A very fine business suit in all-wool worsted or cassimeres, worth $10, at $4.25; fine men's working suit, worth $8, at $2.50. This suit is all wool and warranted not to fade. Extra fine all-wool silk or satin lined clay diagonal all-wool suit in frocks, worth $20, at $8.25; a very fine English silk-mixed suit, worth not less than $22, at $6.90; over 500 suits in fancy cheviots and overplaids, dark or light colors, that we are selling at $2, $3, $3.50 and $4.50. Every one of them are worth from $8 to $15 of any man's money. Don't wait one minute, but come at once, as you never will have the chance again. Youths' suits in all-wool clay diagonal sacks, worth $10, at $4.50: young men's plaid suits, all wool, worth $8, at $2.90; boy's long pants suit at $2; children's suits, latest style plaids in brown and light colors at $1, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75, worth from $2 to $5; men's fine summer underwear at 15c; men's bicycle suits, $1.75, $2, $2.50 and $3.50, worth from $ 4 to $10; men's bicycle pants from 35c up. Be on hand early and avoid the rush. Over 2,000 suits to choose from. Durable men's pants at 75c; fine Sunday pants at 95c, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75; every pair of them all wool and they are worth from $2.50 to $6. This closing out sale commences Saturday, June 12, at 7:30 a. m.

Car Fare Paid to All Buyers of Clothing.

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CONVICT KILLED.

Caught In the Shafting and Whirled to Death at Elmira Reformatory.

Elmira, N. Y., June 17.—A fatal accident has occurred at the Elmira reformatory by which convict No. 7,301, Aaron J. Van Name, lost his life. Van Name was received from Brooklyn and had been an inmate of the institution about one year. He was employed in the brass repair shop, which contains a number of lathes and other machinery.

It became necessary to adjust a belt on a revolving shaft, and Van Name secured a ladder and climbed up to adjust it. While he was at work he in some manner was caught in the belt and whirled rapidly about the shaft. He was then thrown violently to the floor, and, although assistance was rendered as soon as possible, his death occurred in about ten minutes.

Van Name's arm was torn from the socket, and he was otherwise bruised and mutilated. His remains were taken to the hospital. The coroner was notified of the accident and will investigate. The young man was about 20 years of age, and his parents, who reside in Brooklyn, have been notified. Van Name was in the first grade.

Cited as a Poor Debtor.

Boston, June 17.—Hon. Isaac B. Allen of the governor's council has been cited to appear in the poor debtor's court. The notice requests him to appear next Wednesday and show cause why he should not take the poor debtor's oath or pay a bill of $48 against him. The debt is one of old standing. On May 20, 1891, Allen borrowed $23.50 on his joint note with Florence R. Allen on household furniture at 26 Westminster street. The money was loaned to him at an interest of $2 a month by Louis Meyer, a money lender, who claims that Allen still owes $15 on the note in addition to interest.

A Hyena Escapes.

Chicago, June 17.—Prowling about Graceland cemetery, Jim, the big hyena which escaped from Lincoln park by gnawing a hole through the door of his cage, ravaged a number of graves in the burying ground, where, with unerring instinct, he had made his way immediately after his escape and made night hideous with his howls. When the police were asked to assist, they refused flatly, saying they had no particular objection to being shot at by burglars, but had an unconquerable prejudice against being chewed by a hyena. Jim has not yet been captured.

To Be Sentenced For Wife Murder.

Baltimore, June 17.—Peter Monahan, aged 61, charged with the murder of his wife Bridget with an ax on May 25 last, was found guilty of murder in the first degree. The crime of which Monahan stands convicted was most brutal and unprovoked. The evidence showed that he drank to excess and had frequently threatened his wife's life. On the morning of the crime he approached his wife with a request for money and upon being refused went to the yard, where he procured an ax, and returning literally chopped her head to pieces.

Death From Assault.

Saratoga, June 17.—On June 1 Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Wilson, an aged couple, were found unconscious in their home at Wilton, a few miles from this place. They were in a terrible condition from their injuries and were brought in an unconscious condition to the hospital at Saratoga. The old man died yesterday, and his wife is still in a critical condition. They had been murderously assaulted, and every effort to find their assailants was made, but without success. The assault still continues to be a mystery.

Receiver For Bicycle Manufacturers.

Trenton, June 17.—Vice Chancellor Emery has appointed J. T. Rossell temporary receiver for the A. A. Zimmerman Manufacturing company of Freehold, N. J., a bicycle manufacturing concern organized two or three years ago with Champion Arthur A. Zimmerman as the principal stockholder. The liabilities of the concern are placed at $17,000. The assets are made up of real estate valued at $3,000, and machinery and stock of an uncertain value, according to the bill of the complainants.

The Dolphin Arrives at Boston.

Boston, June 17.—The United States dispatch boat Dolphin, from New York, with Secretary of the Navy Hon. John D. Long and Mrs. Long on board, came to an anchorage in Nantasket roads. A steam launch was lowered, and the secretary and his wife were landed at Pemberton, where they took the train for their home in Hingham. The Dolphin will probably remain in the roads and will be joined by Secretary Long, when she will proceed to the navy yard.

Fighting Grasshoppers.

Redfield, S. D., June 17.—State Irrigation Commissioner Cochrane has just returned from Edmunds county, where he has been directing measures to destroy grasshoppers which have alarmed settlers there and in Brown county. Professor Saunders of the State Agricultural college is on the ground superintending the work. Fourteen hopper dosers are in use. Crude petroleum is shipped in by the railways free and used in the work.

Randall Was Murdered.

Taunton, Mass., June 17.—Medical Examiner Presbrey has filed his report of the autopsy performed upon the body of William M. Randall of South Easton, which was found in the woods of that place last Sunday, and in connection with which Henry Willis is in jail here under charge of murder. The report finds that death was due to the shock following injuries to the face and head inflicted by persons or person unknown.

Telegraph Men Meet.

Niagara Falls, June 17.—The Association of Railway Telegraph Superintendents are here for a two days' session. About 30 of the 100 members were present at the opening meeting. Among the technical subjects discussed were "How Best to Deliver Commercial Messages at Railway Stations" and "The General Methods of Telegraphic Distribution."

Circus Manager Dead.

Chicago, June 17.—M. F. Young, general manager of the Barnum-Bailey show, died at the Auditorium of typhoid fever. He was 48 years of age and for seven years had been treasurer of the big show and was a close friend of Mr. Bailey.

HAWAIIAN TREATY.

Signed by the Negotiators and Sent to the Senate.

WILL BE A PART OF UNITED STATES.

The President's Message Accompanying the Document—Provision Made For Five Commissioners, Who Are to Formulate Laws For the Island.

Washington, June 17.—As foreshadowed in these dispatches, the Hawaiian treaty has been signed and sent to the senate for its approval.

The senate at once went into executive session, and as soon as the doors were closed the message of President McKinley accompanying the treaty and the treaty itself were read to the senate. They were listened to attentively.

In one part of the chamber there was a group of senators who will bitterly oppose the ratification of the treaty. Among them were Senators Gray, Mills, Pasco, White, Caffery, Pettigrew and McEnery. As soon as the reading of the documents was completed Senator Davis, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, moved that the message and treaty be made public. Senator Gray objected to a vote on the motion, and under the rules a single objection carried the motion over.

Senator Davis gave notice that at the next executive session he would press the motion for publication, as all the essential facts and an almost verbatim copy of the treaty had been published in the press of the country.

There was some discussion as to when the treaty might be considered, and Senator White asked if it was the intention to push it at this session, and upon the reply being made that it was possible the California senator said:

"I desire to announce that I am prepared to stay here all summer to prevent the ratification of the treaty, which I consider a very bad proposition."

"I'll join you," said Senator Pettigrew of South Dakota.

The President's Message.

The message of the president was not a very long document. It dealt with historic facts concerning the islands and showed that the United States and Hawaii yearly grew more closely bound to each other. This was not really annexation, he said, but a continuation of existing relations with closer bonds between the people closely related by blood and kindred ties.

Since 1820, said the president, the predominance of the United States had been known. The sending of the first envoy there brought the islands in closer relations with the United States, and those relations had grown more firm by succeeding events.

At the same time the tripartite agreement was made for the government of Samoa, he said, Great Britain and Germany wanted to include Hawaii in the group over which a protectorate was established, but the suggestion was rejected by the United States because this government held that there already existed relations between Hawaii and the United States which placed the islands under the especial care of this country and that this government could not allow any other country to interfere in the affairs of Hawaii.

The annexation of the islands, said the president, and making them a part of the United States was in accordance with the established policy of this country.

The president called attention to the fact that a legitimate and existing government of Hawaii offered to annex the islands to the United States in 1851, but on account of what was deemed best policy the annexation was not accepted by this country. He stated that the United States virtually exercised a protectorate over the islands since the first American mission and guaranteed the autonomy of the governments of the group. The islands had been largely settled by our own people, and our people were now interested in them. American interests predominated, and we had grown to consider them under our protection. The present treaty was in the light of a consummation of what had practically been in existence for years.

Referring to the treaty negotiated under the Harrison administration, President McKinley said that the failure to accept the proffer of annexation in 1893, while not a subject of congratulation, was not wholly without its value, as it had demonstrated the existing government could maintain itself, and no question could be raised of the authority of the present government to negotiate the present treaty or of its right to yield the sovereignty of the islands.

The five commissioners provided for in the treaty are expected to make recommendations to congress as to new laws and also as regards the form of government. The present form of local government is to continue in the islands for the present, except that the president of the United States is to have immediate veto power over the acts of the Hawaiian legislative assembly.

Senate Work on the Tariff.

Washington, June 17.—The senate made rapid work on the tariff bill. There were no long speeches, and the debate was of a snappy character, which at times enlivened but did not delay the serious work on the bill. Thirteen pages were disposed of, carrying the senate through the agricultural schedule and up to schedule H, relating to spirits, wines, etc.

During the day the paragraphs on dairy products, farm products, fish, fruit and nuts, meat products and miscellaneous agricultural products were acted on. The finance committee proposed many changes, in the main advancing rates somewhat over those heretofore reported.

The committee was sustained on every vote, although a contest was made on almost every paragraph. Mr. Vest's motion to restore salt to the free list was rejected—yeas, 24; nays, 31. The important paragraph proposing a tax on tea went over at the suggestion of Mr. Allison, who expressed hope that this duty on tea might be dispensed with.

A Schooner Beached.

Boston, June 17.—The schooner Jeannie T. Phillips, which struck on Harding's ledge Sunday morning, has been beached on Long Island. One of her sides is completely gone, and the vessel is not worth repairing. Wreckers have stripped the vessel of all her running rigging, blocks, etc.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 4:28 a. m.
Sun Sets: 7:33 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 8:33 p. m.

GOSSIP OF THE CYCLERS.

TEMS INTERESTING TO DEVOTEES OF THE STEEL STEEDS.

The Popular Exercise Provides Incidents and Expressions That are of Especial Moment When Wheeling is the Rage

Albert Springer has selected a Monarch road racer as his mount for this summer.

Councilman and Mrs. J. C. Peck, of Myrtle avenue, have purchased new Spalding wheels.

Robert Randolph, of Park avenue, has purchased a Kimball road racer, which he finds right up to date.

Mrs. J. C. Peck, of Myrtle avenue, has conquered the mysteries of the wheel riding and is fast gaining confidence in the art.

John Sutphen, of West Second street, has seen many wheels but the Keating had the most attractions for him and he is now riding a new one, purchased of the Plainfield Cycle and Sporting Goods Company.

The Young Men's Association of the Monroe Avenue church enjoyed a bicycle run to Westfield and return, on Monday evening. About 25 young men and women were in the party. The night was a perfect one for wheeling and the event was successful from start to finish. When the party returned to this city they went to Tier's Lake House and were there treated to ice cream by Walter McGee.

AROUND THE BASES.

The Plainfield Athletic Club will play the Amerhurst Field Club a game of baseball on the Bergen Beach grounds, Brooklyn, Saturday afternoon.

The Crescent management have signed Ralph Corbin, of the 'Varsity team of Rutgers College, to play first base. Mr. MacLaughlin being compelled to resign owing to business engagements.

"TOMBSTONE BROWN'S ORGAN."

Lacking an Imposing-Stone, a Neighboring Graveyard Supplied the Want.

One of the most fin de siecle products of far western "wild and woolly-ism" is "Tombstone Brown." Brown had been alternately hobo or tramp printer, according as climate and opportunity dictated, but he finally drifted to California and anchored in Mendocino and Lake counties, where he began to take notice in matters social and political. Brown managed to scrape together a little money, and one day he came over the "grade" from San Francisco with a brand new second-hand organ, on which were loaded a Franklin press, a few fonts of type, ink, rollers and bundles of paper. Brown gave it out cold that he was going to start a paper, but said that the whole of society was so blank rotten that he wouldn't mingle with it. He drove on through town and off down into the bottom of a picturesque canyon, where he staked out his horses and began writing the first issue of his paper. He was the whole staff in himself.

When it came to setting the matter up in type, Brown discovered that he hadn't bought any imposing-stone, and with something of old Ben Franklin's "savoir faire," the editor made a quiet sneak into a graveyard, and selecting a not overprosperous gravestone, he carried it off to the perambulating printing office. The stone episode got out on him, and thence his name of "Tombstone Brown," but Brown was not in the least worried, and, turning the title to account, named his journal "Tombstone Brown's Organ," and he soon made the county howl. "Brown's Organ" had a front seat in every issue that showed above the grass, and when one canyon got too warm he would hitch up and print the next issue a "little farther on." The title of the paper, drawn and engraved by Brown himself, showed a gigantic tombstone crushing to earth the emblems of opposition. The paper soon had a great vogue, but "Tombstone" could not stand success, and when last seen was moving north with a row of citizens marching up the grade behind him.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

MARTIN ACT INJUSTICES

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would be, within reasonable bounds, for the official acts of its agents and employes. Let us consider what these acts have been regarding this question. We find first that the city maintained in office a tax collector and that the tax records were kept in his office, that people about to purchase property within the city were in the habit of visiting this office and inquiring of the collector as to the amount of taxes due and unpaid on any certain piece of property. Every lawyer in Plainfield can testify as to the action of the collector in such cases; it was his custom to look over the books as far back as 1881 and no further and if he found no taxes unpaid during those years his reply was that the property was free and clear of taxes (not that it was free and clear back in 1881). In the case of the property in which I am interested this report was made three different times. Instance after instance can be recited of this kind showing that the people have taken advantage of every facility afforded by the city for ascertaining the facts of the case. Nor is it to be wondered at that the collector disliked to search through these old books; they are in a most dilapidated and untidy condition and a positive disgrace to the art of book-keeping. Many books are missing entirely, those that the city still have in their possession consist of what are called tax duplicates; two for each year, one containing the list of city taxes and the other the state and county tax, which in those years were collected separated from city taxes; the names are placed in alphabetical order with the amounts opposite and when payment was made the collector was supposed to make proper entry in a blank space at the extreme right-hand side of the book. This space is removed as far as possible from the name, and it would be very easy to make a mistake and place the entry on the wrong line. This last column is a regular patch work, some lines marked "Paid" with the date of payment, others are marked "Paid" without any date, others "Paid" with a cross mark, others are simply marked "Pd.," while still others have marks evidently intended to mean paid but in reality merely a scrawl or scratch. Some are in ink, some in red pencil, some in black pencil and various hand-writings are to be found on the same page. No book of any kind in which daily receipts were entered is to be found. Some record of such receipts must have been kept but the city does not possess them. No list of delinquents was made at the end of the year, or if made it cannot now be found, and if delinquent taxes for any particular year were paid in subsequent years the collector was supposed to hunt through the old records, and insert the mystic symbols "Pd." in the proper place, and if through rush of temporary work or oversight he failed to do so then the payment was all in vain and the unfortunate is handed down to posterity as declining or unable to pay his just debts and after the lapse of a quarter of a century (during which time most receipts have been destroyed) his heirs, etc., are asked to pay up or prove payment, and if they "prove to the satisfaction of the committee that the taxes have been paid," as some have so proved, they are calmly informed that upon payment of a further sum of one dollar the city will correct its error and insert those joy inspiring letters pd. in the proper location. Cheap enough, surely, two little letters, only fifty cents each, and yet most people are willing to apologize when they find they have been trying to collect a claim which has been duly paid. No individual would attempt to go into court with such an outfit to prove a claim, and yet with such miserable, unreliable and incomplete records the City of Plainfield propose to force its respected and law abiding citizens to pay dead men's debts, and all this at a time when the business interests of the country are struggling to recover from an unprecedented depression, and while real estate owners are suffering unusual loss by reason of reduced rents and no rents at all, and increased expenses in general taxes, sewer taxes, assessments to open streets, etc.

I do not believe it possible that the laws of our State can be so construed as to permit success in these efforts, nor do I believe that anyone else in their calm judgment expects any such result, but the mere fact that such an attempt should have been made is enough to make one blush for our fair city. Let us congratulate ourselves that this step has met with the condemnation of a large majority of our citizens. I have heard directly and indirectly from hundreds, among them many of our prominent men, including our most prominent citizen, ex-Mayor Alexander Gilbert, and without exception they all pronounce it an inequitable and unjustifiable act so far as it applies to taxes prior to 1881.

They have told us that the Martin Act has been tested in the highest courts and confirmed and will be enforced regardless of all opposition. This may be and possibly is true regarding the act applied under different circumstances, but as to its application in the present instance I would simply quote the following decision from the experience of the city of Camden with the Martin act:

In re-commissioners of Camden, } Camden Ci cuit, Jan Term, 1889. The Tax Adjustment Act. }

Garrison J. Upon exceptions taken to the report of the commissioners appointed under the act of March 30th, 1886, the following state of facts is presented: The report of the commissioners revives as against certain real estate the taxes of the years 1876 to 1884, both inclusive. During these years the lands belonged to sundry heirs in common and the taxes annually imposed were suffered to go unpaid. In 1884 the city caused the lands to be put up and sold under the provisions of the city charter and itself took a declaration of sale for a term of years. Subsequently one of the tenants in common by releases from the others became seized in severalty of the land and now resists the revival of these taxes upon two grounds:

1st. That all taxes back of 1883 are outlawed under the provisions of the charter of the city of Camden, which makes taxes a lien for five years.

2d. That the city of Camden cannot collect these taxes because of its purchase at the tax sale.

The effect, however, of the sale and of the declaration of sale is not to be vest title in the city and thereby to satisfy its claim for taxes, but on the contrary, its effect is to continue and prevent the lapsing of the lien of all taxes the period of whose lien had not expired at the time of the tax sale. (In re commissioners of Elizabeth, 20 Vr. 488). The report is correct in so far as it revives unpaid taxes whose lien had not expired at the date of the tax sale. The commissioners are advised to ascertain what taxes were subsisting liens at the time of the tax sale and include only such in their report, remitting all whose lien had at that time expired.

In our case the city never had a lien of any kind, either perfect or imperfect.

Over 500 bills are still in the hands of Collector Bird and it will be months before we will know just who are affected; anyone who owns real estate within the city limits or who has owned and sold within the past sixteen years may be called upon to step up and settle either with the collector or with those to whom they have given their warranty deed.

Is it any wonder that under such circumstances property owners are talking of forming a Taxpayers' Association for the protection of their interests? Fred C. Lounsbury.

The Cigar Mouthpiece.

A rich Russian banker had been discovered murdered in his house in St. Petersburg, says a writer in The Green Bag. There was no clue, but in the room there was found a cigar mouthpiece containing part of a cigar of such an expensive kind that it was supposed the banker himself had been smoking it just before the crime had been committed. On close examination the mouthpiece was found to be worn away by the teeth of its owner, but the dead man's teeth did not fit the indentation. The servants were one by one examined, and it was then found that the hollows of the mouthpiece compared exactly to the formation of the front teeth of the cook, to whom no suspicion had been attached. He afterward confessed to the murder.

A Large Inkpot.

The largest inkpot I ever knew (writes a correspondent to Scraps) was used by one of the innumerable minor poets of Scotland. It exactly held thirty gallons—surely enough to write miles of poetry with. This particular poet used to be employed in a large drysaltery warehouse, where one of his many duties was to superintend the making of ink. It had to be kept boiling all the night; so the poet mended the fire, stirring the seething liquid, composed immortal verse to charm and delight mankind, and wrote the same on sugar paper with hot ink from a thirty-gallon pot.—Harper's Round Table.

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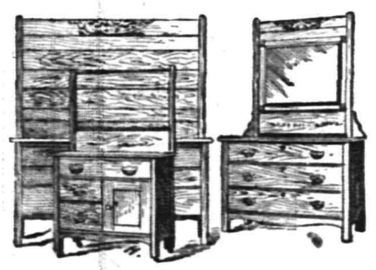

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FOUNDATION FOR SUCCESS ACQUIRED BY STUDIOUS YOUNG MEN.

End of the Year's Studies at Leal's School—Ten Pupils Finished Their Courses and Will go to College or Business Places.

A pleasing variation from the ordinary run of school and college commencements were the closing exercises of Prof. John Leal's School, held in the Y. M. C. A. hall, last evening. The exercises opened with a violin solo by Miss Nellie Udell, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Charles L. Lewis.

Mr. Leal next introduced his old and valued friend, George Richmond, of New York, as the speaker of the evening. Mr. Richmond is a scientist of note and a very learned man. While more of an author than a speaker, his address of last evening showed him perfectly capable of filling the latter role. In his address he characterized the school days as the foundation of the life of a young man and spoke of the necessity of building a broad foundation which would support any structure that might be placed upon it. The young man, he said, never knew what he would build in the future.

A complete education, he said, includes science and letters. No one is compelled to choose between the two, for short as life is there is time to treat of both. Nobody pretends that the study is merely for the learning acquired but it seems best that what is studied should be practical. What is wanted is not only the facts but the ability to handle and utilize these facts.

After Miss Udell played again, Mr. Leal made a short speech to the boys and then announced that ten young men had completed their work with him. Of these Messrs. Boone, Curren and Dumont will enter business careers at once and the others, Messrs. Anderson, Dwight, Honeyman, Miller, Peck, Rittenhouse and Stevenson, will enter college.

The honorable mentions in the different classes were then announced: English composition, senior class, Dwight and Miller, junior class, Harman and Hall, third class, Richards and Terriberry; rhetoric, Glenny and Thomas; beginning Greek, Richards and White; beginning Latin, Terriberry; history, Crowe and Reinhart; first year work, Talmage and Schwed; ancient history, Glenny, Wadsworth and O. Waring; German, Glenny, Miller and Terriberry, French, Hall and Honeyman; arithmetic, Crowe and H. Roome; algebra, O. Waring, Richards and Leal; geometry, O. Waring and Glenny; Cæsar, Fleming. Special prize for improvement in penmanship, Terriberry.

The hall was prettily decorated with American flags and maroon and old gold bunting, the colors of the school The decorating committee consisted of E. Maxwell Honeyman, chairman; J. P. Welles Taylor, Walter Glenny, Willard Wadsworth, Owen Fleming and Henry Leal. The ushers were: E. Maxwell Honeyman, J. P. Welles Taylor and Aubrey Crowe.

CONFIRMED BY THE BISHOP.

Impressive Services at St. Joseph's Church Last Night.

St. Joseph's church was crowded to its very doors last evening when a class of fifty boys and girls was confirmed by Bishop McFaul, of Trenton, assisted by Rev. Father McCloskey, Chancellor of the Diocese, Rev. Father Shandle, of Stony Hill, Rev. Father Carey, of Carteret, Rev. Father Eagan, of New Brunswick, and Rev. Father Miller, pastor of the church.

The members of the class marched into the church at the proper hour. The boys were attired in black and the girls in white. The sight was an impressive one. The Bishop preached a short confirmation sermon previous to the administering of the sacramehts, and while the latter were being performed, there was a vocal trio by the choir and a vocal solo by Miss Betts. Mrs. LaPorte presided at the organ.

The altar of the church looked pretty and attractive. It was completely covered with roses, while the lighted candles added to the beautiful scene.

Hop at The Hunterston.

The second hop of the season will be held at the Hunterston Hotel tomorrow evening, and hereafter there will be a hop every Saturday evening through the season. There will be no invitations issued, as it is customary for those having received invitations to the first hop to understand that this covers all the hops through the season.

—The building of stone columns at the gateways and corners of J. F. Parker's grounds on Grove street, adds another beauty to the handsome place.

TONGUES WAG GOSSIP.

A PRETTY GIRL BOUND OVER TO KEEP THE PEACE.

She Applauded Her Brother's Action in Escaping a Constable and, it is Said, Made Other Aggravating Remarks.

Two young women and a young man have combined to stir South Plainfield to its very depths. The trouble arose between the young man and one of the young women. Names were called and a warrant for slander followed. Then the young man waved a farewell to the constable from the rear end of a Lehigh Valley train and his sister gloried in his departure. Her arrest followed and now she has been bound over to keep the peace and the tongues of the South Plainfield gossips find plenty to wag about.

Patrick Heenan lives, or did live until last Monday, in the little hamlet of South Plainfield. He was in the employ of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company and was well-known in town. Now, Heeenan is a good-looking fellow and his sister, Miss Julia Heenan, is one of the belles of the town. In a contest for the prettiest girl in the place, about a month ago, she distanced all her rivals and received the prize. So it was that other girls were jealous.

Heenan was proud of his sister and was not afraid to say so. Perhaps that was the real cause of all the trouble. At any rate, Heenan met Mrs. Anna Tracy, the widowed daughter of Mrs. Fitzgerald, who keeps the Fitzgerald Hotel, South Plainfield, in front of the hotel, last Sunday afternoon. They talked and talked and Heenan grew strong in his language. Mrs. Tracy say that he insulted her and abused her with his tongue until she could stand it no longer. Therefore, she hurried into the house, had the horse harnessed up and drove away to Metuchen to find Justice Wood.

Mrs. Tracy told her story and the Justice issued a warrant for the South Plainfield young man. Monday morning, bright and early, Constable Geding drove over to South Plainfield with his old sorrel mare to serve the warrant.

It was not according to precedent that the defendent in the case should skip, so the constable stopped to chat with a friend or two before serving the warrant. Meanwhile, Heenan heard that the constable had arrived and was preparing to take him back to jail.

"Not on your life," was the characteristic remark of Heenan as he gathered a few necessary articles in his grip and hurried for the station. So it was that when the constable looked for Heenan, he saw him disappearing in the distance on a Lehigh Valley Railroad train. It is said that his destination was Atlantic City. The constable was wroth, but Miss Julia Heenan laughed at the disgrunted officer of the law.

Tuesday, Miss Heenan strolled past Mrs. Tracy's home and said that she thought her brother was in the right. She also laid the blame for the trouble on Mrs. Tracy, so the latter says. She passed by the house several times that day, Mrs. Tracy says, and continued to make remarks of the same character.

Mrs. Tracy didn't like it and she again tried Justice Wood. Yesterday, Miss Julia Heenan was summoned to appear before Justice Wood in Metuchen. The Justice makes his office in the sanctum of the Metuchen Recorder. The crowd was even worse than on pay day and Constable Geding was called to give the court breathing room. The Judge bound the young woman over to keep the peace and she was allowed to go. What will be the next act in this little drama remains to be seen.

Justice Newcorn's Court.

Justice Newcorn issued a batch of summons yesterday in suits started by former Judge W. A. Coddington as assignee in winding up the affairs of J. P. Laire. The defendants in the cases were Reed, Lyman, Hann, Scribner, Stevens, King, Adams, Kelly, Drake, Hargan, McCarty, Timpson, Hand, Stevens, Adams, Lord, Martine, Pike, Lister, and Bowden. All are contract cases returnable on the 24th. Summons were also issued in the cases of Linke against Freeman, on contract, returnable on the 23d, and McCarty against Dorgan, landlord and tenant, returnable on the 21st. The contract cases of the Plainfield Beef Company against Coffey and Westphal at als against Hall was tried and in each case judgment rendered in full for the plaintiff.

Appointed a Delegate.

Miss Elma Thayer, who will visit California this summer, has been appointed by Rev. W. R. Richards, D. D., a delegate to the International Christian Endeavor Convention which will be held in San Francisco early in July.

FESTIVAL OF THE ROSES

BEAUTIFUL AND SEASONABLE AFFAIR ARRANGED BY WOMEN.

Sunday-school Room in First Presbyterian Church Transformed Into a Bower of Floral Beauty and Womanly Grace.

The Sunday school room of the First Presbyterian church presented a truly beautiful sight last evening when the Woman's Auxiliary of the church gave a "Rose Festival" for the benefit of the church. The room was gorgeously decked with roses of every known variety. In the centre of the room was the chief attraction in a flower booth made of lawn tennis nets with a thatched roof of straw and completely covered with a profusion of roses. The flowers were on sale and many buyers were found to relieve the booth of its beauty.

Another very attractive affair was the lemonade booth. The receptacle holding the favorite beverage was covered with daisies, while an arch was formed overhead with roses and on the top poised a white dove. Miss Kittie Glen, Miss Nora Williams, Miss Margaret Cave and Miss E. A. Haven were in charge of the flower booth and the arrangement of it, a novel one, was the work of their hands. This was the case of the lemonade booth which was in charge of Miss Mary Luckey and Miss Lillian Glen.

There was a mystery table where a number of sealed packages were on sale and the purchaser knew not their contents until he paid his money and opened the package. At this table were Mrs. Hand, Miss Mabelle Force, Miss Charlotte Messersmith and Miss Luella Mills. The fancy table, loaded with lots of useful and pretty articles, was in charge of the Misses Abbott and Miss Maag, while Mrs John Messersmith and Miss Van Winkle looked after the cake table. At the candy table where all of the "Sweets" were to be found there was always a good crowd. Miss Petrie, Miss Blair, Mrs. Gates, Miss Remsen and Miss Helen Boice were in charge. Hidden away in a back room were J. A. Haynes and Howard Pope serving ice cream to the waitresses. They were kept busy all the evening. At the door was stationed Augustus Searing. Those who served as waitresses were the Misses Mabel Pruden, Evelyn Searing, Lillian Remsen, Julia Williams, Ethel Laing, Grace McKee, Louise Wilbur, Grace Overton, Nellie Vandeventer, Olive Newell, Jessie Pruden, Kittie Nevius, Fanny Mills, Bertha Wilcox, Mildred Ulrich, Beatrice Miner, Ada Dunham and Clara Van Fleet.

The whole affair was arranged by Mrs. W. L. Kemsen, president of the Auxiliary, and she was assisted by Mrs. J. A. Haynes. The decorations were entirely under the supervision of Miss Pansy Jeane Herring, and much praise is due all who succeeded in giving everybody such a pleasant time.

A programme consisting of instrumental solos by Miss Maude Van Dyke and Miss Mabelle Force and an instrumental duet by Miss Remsen and Mrs. Gates was rendered during the evening.

MISS DAY'S PUPILS.

Closing Exercises of the School Held This Morning.

The closing exercises of Miss. R. A. Day's school at 90 Mercer avenue, North Plainfield, were held this morning at 9 o'clock. It was the most successful closing in the history of the school and the scholars performed with a great deal of credit to themselves as well as to their teacher. The attendance of parents and friends was large and all thoroughly enjoyed the following excellent programme:

Nocturne.....Lichner
Miss Annie Jennings.
Dolly's Convalescence....Miss Madeline Reed
The Runaway Princess.....E. H. Miller
Miss Gladys Peck.
Le Postillion D'amour.....Fr. Behr
Misses Saidee Howell and Katherine Dwight.
Duke Leopold's Stone.....Mary E. Bradley
Miss Margaret Townsend.
Le Chat et le Cuisinier.....Viennet
Miss Marion Dwight.
The Carillon.....Longfellow
Miss Emily Gould.
Preparing for Company.....Barrie
Miss Evelyn Henderson.
Hiawatha's Childhood.....Longfellow
Miss Annie Jennings.
Album Leaf.....Grieg
Miss Emily Gould.
Say, Lovely Flower.....Abt
Nauhaught, the Deacon.....Whittier
Miss Saidee Howell.
The Weather-Cock and the Maiden.
Miss Katherine Dwight
Ballet Music.....Erik Meyer-Helmund
Miss Saidee Howell.

To Attend Divine Service.

The members of the Plainfield High School cadet corps will attend divine service at the Church of the Redeemer, on Sunday morning. They will assemble in uniform at the home of Captain George F. Edwards, of Duer street, at 10:45 o'clock and march to the church. The service begins at 11 o'clock.

"MOUSE TRAP" FUNNY.

WOMAN'S TIMIDITY EXHIBITED BY CLEVER YOUNG PEOPLE.

A Happy Diversion From the Customary Sociable at the First M. E. Church—The Humorous Story of the Farce Given.

A happy diversion from the customary social was the entertainment given in Vincent chapel last evening under the auspices of the Epworth League for the benefit of the library fund of the Sunday-school. The programme opened with a recitation by Miss Rita Pond, who pleased her audience with her good work. An alto solo by Miss Charlotte Messerschmith, accompanied by Miss Etta Raybert, followed. The next number was a recitation by Miss Lucy Palmer Davis, given in an excellent manner. The last selection in part first was a vocal selection by Miss Eva Jenkins, Miss Lucy Palmer Davis, Thomas McDonald and Robert Davis, with Frank McDonald as accompanist.

The feature of the evening was the production of W. Dean Howells' one-act farce, entitled "Mouse Trap," which was arranged and given under the direction of Miss Etta Raybert. Those who are familiar with the piece need not be told that it is a most capital story and furnishes any amount of fun. The play opens with a drawing room scene in which Miss Raybert as "Mrs. Amy Somers," and Ray T. Snodgrass as "Willis Campbell," are busily engaged discussing a newspaper story written by the latter in which woman is pictured as being cowardly and much afraid of everything in general. The discussion becomes exceedingly animated. Mrs. Somers is thoroughly disgusted with the idea that her sex are afraid and inclined to be cowardly, while Mr. Campbell still maintains that the fair sex are very timid. Suddenly the latter, for effect, pretends that a mouse has entered the room, and just as quickly Mrs. Somers gives an unearthly scream and jumps upon a chair. Thereafter every move or sound sends a thrill of terror to the heart of Mrs. Somers, and she firmly declares that she will not leave the room until her friend chases the innocent and much-abused mouse from her presence.

While this is going on Mrs. Somers has several callers: Miss Jenkins as Mrs. Miller; Miss Edna French as Mrs. LuBemis; Miss Alice Jenkins as Mrs. Curwen; Miss Lucy Palmer Davis as Mrs. Roberts. They are shown to the room by Miss Bessie Day who takes the part of Jane. On entering the room the visitors are informed that a mouse has secreted itself within the four walls and instantly all hands make use of a chair or a sofa, and girl-fashion make every effort to escape the rodent. They plead with Mr. Campbell to make some effort to chase the mouse out of the room and every time he makes a move they scream like mad. Finally Mrs. Roberts offers a solution and suggests that while Mr. Campbell makes a great noise they all make one wild dash for liberty. This is done and all go except Mrs. Somers and Mr. Campbell. They remain and the former persists in asking her only friend to remove the mouse from the room. He tries to tell her that there never was a mouse there but this she refuses to believe and the more he tries to explain the worse Mrs. Campbell goes on until finally she says that if he was any kind of a man he would help her out of the difficulty. He offers to carry her from the room. This she refuses to let him do, and finally, losing all patience, he leaves Mrs. Somers where she is and gains his point in proving that woman is just what he said she was in the published article.

Every character in the play was well taken and it produced the heartiest laughter on the part of all present. Credit is due Miss Raybert in the arrangement of the play and those who took part for the able manner in which they presented it.

Vacation Almost Here.

Monday will bring the regular examinations at the Plainfield High School to an end. All this week has been devoted to them and the students have found plenty to keep them busy. Of course everybody did not have an examination every day, and when they did not they were excused and allowed to go home. The examinations in mathematics will be held on Monday. Then will come the prize examinations.

A Ghastly View.

The members of the class of '97 of Leal's School had their pictures taken on the front steps of the school house, Wednesday. A remarkable feature of the picture was that the skeleton was dragged forth from the anatomical cabinet and was seated in the midst of the boys with a cigarette between its teeth.

—Additional locals on page 3.

SAYS KEELEY HAS A PULL

BELCHER SAYS KEELEY VIOLATES ORDINANCES WITH IMMUNITY.

The Result Is That Charges Have Been Proferred Against Roundsman Flynn—The Mayor To Hear Belcher's Story.

The long-continued troubles between the hackmen at the North avenue station have reached a climax. Two of the hackmen are charged with violating the hack ordinance and one of the Plainfield police force has had a charge preferred against him alleging favoritism to one of the hackmen and using language unbecoming an officer.

Several days ago a complaint was made against John Keeley, the hackman, for soliciting passengers from the curb. The complaint was made by George Belcher, another hackman. He claims that Keeley has been constantly violating the ordinance, and that Roundsmon Flynn turns his back on Keeley and refuses to see him when he violates the law.

Wednesday afternoon, Roundsman Flynn was at the North avenue station on duty. Belcher alleges that Keeley went forward for a regular customer but seeing another man, tried to get the fare for another of his carriages. Belcher said that he went up to Flynn and called his attention to the circumstance. Flynn, he said, used language unbecoming an officer and ordered Belcher back to his place, saying that if Keeley was not doing right he could make a complaint against him.

Belcher saw Chief Grant later in the afternoon and Belcher was notified to appear before the Mayor, yesterday afternoon, and relate his story. He went to the Mayor's office but did not see him. He will appear this afternoon, however.

As a result of the trouble between John Keeley and George Belcher, Patrick Keeley, father of John, was very angry and, it is alleged, applied profane epithets to Belcher. This happened Wednesday, Belcher alleges. A complaint was made against Patrick Keeley, yesterday.

Colored Couple Married.

A wedding was solemnized on Tuesday evening at the residence of Capt. William B. Ostrom, 249 East Ninth street, when Mrs. Annie Gillam and Worden Watkins, both well-known in colored society circles of this city, were united in marriage by Rev. Philip S. Gibson, pastor of the Mt. Olive Baptist church. The ceremony took place at 8:30 o'clock. The bride was attired in a gown of old rose colored silk. Mrs. Lizzie Wilson was bridemaid and John Reed acted as best man. About 35 guests were present, including some friends of Captain and Mrs. Ostrom and many members of the Mt. Olive Baptist church, to which the bride and the groom belong.

Footbridge to be Moved.

Workmen have been ordered to tear up the Watchung avenue foot bridge, and as the new structure will not be completed until November, people who have been using the foot bridge are seeking to have it moved a short distance where it can be used, as heretofore, and at the same time be out of the way of the new bridge. The cost of having the bridge moved will be about $25, and an effort is being made among interested ones to secure this sum. Subscriptions are being received at Leggett's pharmacy.

Petition for Arc Lights.

The Common Council has received a petition signed by ninety-five business men, urging that arc lights be substituted for the incandescent lights now used to illuminate Front street and Park avenue, and Watchung and North avenues. Tonight a committee consisting of Councilmen Tolles, Baker and Westphal will meet to consider the petition, and they would be glad to hear an expression of opinion upon the matter from the citizens.

To Take a Well Earned Rest.

Charles J. Baxter, State Superintendent of schools, who is now residing on Putnam avenue, will enjoy a well earned vacation beginning with June 26th. The night before he will attend the closing exercises at the Morristown Public School, and will then start for the Rangeley Lakes, Me., to be absent until August 1st. Last year, he worked all through the summer without a vacation.

An Endeavor Rally.

The Local Union of the Christian Endeavor societies will hold a rally in the Congregational church on Tuesday evening. Rev. Cornelius E. Brett, vice-president of the State Union, will be the speaker and Rev. C. E. Herring, of this city, will take charge of the after service.

—Additional local news on the third page.

—MacDonald is the man who is selling fine creamery butter for 16 cents per pound. 6 18 2

SCARLET FEVER CASES.

THE EPIDEMIC SHOWS NO SIGNS OF INCREASING RAPIDLY.

State Officials Assisting Local Board of Health to Determine the Cause—H. P. Reynolds to Examine Samples of Water.

The members of the Plainfield Board of Health were greatly reassured, this morning, when it was learned that only two new scarlet fever causes were reported yesterday. The cause of the disease still remains a mystery although Drs. Hunt and Mitchell, of the State Board, were in town yesterday investigating. They were not at all alarmed by the prevalence on the disease.

The two new cases reported yesterday were Townsend Rushmore, of West Eighth street, and Edward Waring, of Park avenue. Both are doing well and have but very light attacks.

In searching out the origin of the present epidemic of scarlet fever, the Plainfield Board of Health omits no clue, spares neither labor nor time. For example: to forestall inquiry as to the purity of the water used by druggists and confectioners in compounding the beverages so popular among young people, the Board has procured samples from a number of these dealers and placed them in the hands of H. P. Reynolds for examination and report. It is not supposed that the contagion of scarletina has been conveyed through drinking water, but the Board is justified in taking a step which may contribute greatly to allay suspicion and uneasiness. Mr. Reynolds has had much experience in the examination of drinking waters, particularly the waters of Plainfield and vicinity.

An examination is being made of all the children in the Public and Parochial schools by the Board of Health and all children who do not appear to be in perfect health will be sent home. The work of thoroughly disenfecting the schools has been started.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY ELECT.

German Reformed Auxiliary Select Leaders and Celebrate an Anniversary.

Yesterday afternoon the women of the German Reformed church, who compose the membership of the Ladies' Aid Society, met in annual session and elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: President, Mrs. Angerbauer; vice-president, Mrs. Frank Conde; secretary, Mrs. Philip Giese; treasurer, Mrs. Newton Smalley. Last evening the society met and celebrated its tenth anniversary. Rev. George Hauser, the pastor, presided, and conducted the exercises. The officers elected in the afternoon were installed by the pastor with imposing ceremonies.

The reports of the secretary and the treasurer showed that during the year $168 had been received and at present there is $53.27 in the treasury.

Rev. Mr. Hauser made an address, in which he complimented the women for the excellent work they had accomplished during the year.

Following this address a short programme consisting of vocal solos by Mrs. Hittenhoff, Clarence Smalley and Helen Smalley. Miss Grace Clark was the accompanist.

A STRANGE CHARGE.

S. R. Struthers Alleges That D. C. Vail Embezzled Milk.

Embezzlement of milk is the rather strange charge brought against David C. Vail by his employer, Stephen R. Struthers, proprietor of the "Dairy", on Watchung avenue. Struthers has a good business in his store and the milk route attached. Vail has been in charge of the latter. Now Struthers charges Vail with appropriating milk belonging to Mr. Struthers and selling it for his own personal profit to other customers.

Mr. Struthers appeared before Justice Newcorn, this morning, and swore out a warrant for the arrest of Vail. It was served by Constable Rockafellow and Vail was brought before the Justice.

He was held in $50 bail to appear for examination on Tuesday morning. He was represented by City Judge DeMeza.

Danced the Night Away.

A successful dance was given in T. A. B. Hall last evening, under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of A. O. H. The attendance was very large, there being about 200 couples present. Music was furnished by Prof. Reilly's orchestra. The reception committee was Miss Ragan, P. McDonough, and M. Nugent, and D. Ragan and P. Keefe acted as floor committee. The committee in general charge of the ball was Miss Lawlor, Miss Revelle, Miss Callahan and Miss Ragan.

—Left to themselves—the right glove will always find a mate at Peck's.

QUEEN LIL OBJECTS.

She Files a Protest Against the Annexation of Hawaii.

THE CONTENTS OF THE DOCUMENT.

She Insists That She Is Still the Rightful Sovereign of the Islands—Says the Proposed Treaty Would Be an Act of Injustice.

Washington, June 18.—Ex-Queen Liliuokalani has filed the following protest in the office of the secretary of state:

"I, Liliuokalani of Hawaii, by the will of God named heir apparent on the 10th day of April, A. D., 1877, and by the grace of God queen of the Hawaiian islands on the 17th day of January, A. D., 1893, do hereby protest against the ratification of a certain treaty which, so I am informed, has been signed at Washington by Messrs. Hatch, Thurston and Kinney, purporting to cede the islands to the territory and dominion of the United States.

"I declare such treaty to be an act of wrong toward the native and part native people of Hawaii, an invasion of the rights of the ruling chiefs, in violation of international rights, both toward my people and toward friendly nations with whom they have made treaties, the perpetuation of the fraud whereby the constitutional government was overthrown and finally an act of gross injustice to me:

"Because the official protest made by me on the 17th day of January, 1893, to the so called provisional government, which was summoned by me, was received by said government with the assurance that the case was referred to the United States of America for arbitration.

To Avoid Bloodshed.

"Because that protest and the communications to the United States government immediately thereafter expressly declares that I yielded my authority to the forces of the United States in order to avoid bloodshed and because I recognized the futility of a conflict with so formidable a power.

"Because the president of the United States, secretary of state and an envoy commissioned by them reported in official documents that my government was unlawfully coerced by the forces, diplomatic and naval, of the United States; that I was at the date of their investigations the constitutional ruler of my people.

"Because such decision of the recognized magistrates of the United States was officially communicated to me and to Sanford B. Dole and said Dole's resignation requested by Albert S. Willis, the recognized agent and minister of the government of the United States.

"Because neither the above named commission nor the government which sends it has ever received any such authority from the registered voters of Hawaii, but derives its assumed powers from the so called committee of public safety, organized on or about said 17th day of January, 1893, said committee being composed largely of persons claiming American citizenship, and not one single Hawaiian was a member thereof or in any way participated in the demonstration leading to its existence.

People Were Not Consulted.

"Because my people, about 40,000 in number, have in no way been consulted by those—3,000 in number—who claim the right to destroy the independence of Hawaii. My people constitute four-fifths of the legally qualified voters of Hawaii, and, excluding those imported for the demands of labor, about the same proportion of the inhabitants:

"Because said treaty ignores not only the civic rights of my people; but, further, the hereditary property of their chiefs. Of the 4,000,000 acres comprising the territory said treaty offers to annex, 1,000,000, or 915,000 acres, have in no way been heretofore recognized as other than the private property of the constitutional monarch, subject to a control in no way differing from other items of a private estate.

"Because it is proposed by said treaty to confiscate said property, technically called the crown lands, those legally entitled thereto, either now or in succession, receiving no consideration whatever for estates, their title to which has been always undisputed and which is legitimately in my name at this date.

"Because said treaty ignores not only all professions of perpetual amity and good faith made by the United States in former treaties with the sovereigns representing the Hawaiian people, but all treaties made by those sovereigns with other and friendly powers, and it is thereby in violation of international law.

"Because, by treating with the parties claiming at this time the right to cede said territory of Hawaii, the government of the United States receives such territory from the hands of those whom its own magistrates—legally elected by the people of the United States and in office in 1893—pronounced fraudulently in power and unconstitutionally ruling Hawaii. Therefore, I, Liliuokalani of Hawaii, do hereby call upon the president of that nation to whom alone I yielded my property and my authority, to withdraw said treaty—ceding said lands—from further consideration. I ask the honorable senate of the United States to decline to ratify said treaty, and I implore the people of this great and good nation, from whom my ancestors learned the Christian religion, to sustain their representatives in such acts of justice and equity as may be in accord with the principles of their fathers. And to the Almighty Ruler of the universe, to him who judgeth righteously, I commit my cause."

The protest is signed "Liliuokalani," and to it are affixed the signatures of Joseph Heleluhe, Wekeki Heleluhe and Julius A. Palmer as witnesses.

Death of a Prominent Attorney.

Atlantic City, June 18.—John Milton Bonham of Washington, one of the prominent and wealthy attorneys of the national capital and well known as a litterateur, died here, aged 61 years. He was the first to patent and use pipes for the transmission of oil from the oil regions of Pennsylvania, through which he amassed a great fortune.

Struck by Lightning.

Champaign, Ills., June 18.—The Natural History building at the University of Illinois has been struck by lightning resulting in damage to the building furniture and apparatus of $75,000.

TARIFF PROCEEDINGS

Satisfactory Progress Being Made In the Measure.

SOME REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

The Nomination of William F. Powell as Minister to Haiti Confirmed—The House Has a Brief Session and Passes a Relief Bill.

Washington, June 18.—The senate made great progress on the tariff bill. Two entire schedules, covering 20 pages, were completed—namely, schedules H, on spirits, wines and beverages, and schedule I, on manufactured cotton goods. This brings the senate to the flax schedule, with the important wool schedule standing next.

The portion of the bill passed is substantially the same as that reported, all committee changes being unimportant, while the opposition amendments of Mr. Jones of Arkansas and Mr. Vest were systematically rejected by majorities varying from 5 to 10.

Mr. Allison secured the addition of a new paragraph to the cotton schedule with a view to compensating the cotton manufacturers for the recent action of the senate in placing raw cotton on the dutiable list.

Some Committee Reports.

Senator Thurston, from the committee on international exposition, has reported the bill introduced by Senator Mason for the representation of this country at the Paris exposition of 1900.

As reported, the bill provides for a commissioner general at a salary of $10,000 a year, an assistant commissioner general at $6,000 and 10 scientific experts at $2,500 a year each.

Provision is also made for the proper representation of this country in the exhibit of the exposition. The total expenditure is limited to $500,000.

Senator Chilton, from the committee on interstate commerce, has reported the bill extending the time allowed railroad companies between loading and unloading cattle in transit from 28 to 40 hours. The bill is inspired by the fact that modern railroad facilities for taking care of live stock freight are much improved over those of the time when the present statute was enacted.

The senate has confirmed the nomination of William F. Powell of New Jersey to be minister to Haiti.

The House's Short Session.

The house was in session an hour and a half, most of the time being taken up with roll calls. Mr. Sulzer of New York succeeded in injecting into the proceedings a brief speech in favor of Cuba, in which he denounced Weyler as a thief and murderer. The bill for the relief of the residents of Greer county, O. T., was passed.

Democrats Will Not Obstruct.

Washington, June 18.—Some of the Democratic members of the senate committee on finance say that henceforth they would interpose no objection to the rapid disposal of the tariff bill. They will suggest amendments and ask votes on them for the purpose of making a record, but there will, if they can control the matter, be no long speeches on the schedules, with the possible exceptions of wool, hides, the reciprocity paragraph, which the Republicans have promised to report, and a few other sections. The indications now are that the Republicans will withdraw the internal revenue provisions of the bill.

Will Soon Take Up Hawaiian Treaty.

Washington, June 18.—Senator Davis, chairman of the senate committee on foreign relations, said that the committee would take up the Hawaiian treaty at the next regular meeting, which will be held on Wednesday of next week. He said that the treaty would in any event be held in committee a sufficient length of time to permit all sides to be heard, but that the time would be controlled somewhat by the indications as to whether the senate would consider the treaty at the present session. On this latter point the senator declined to advance an opinion.

Bank Going Out of Business.

Hartford, June 18.—It is announced that the Mercantile National bank will go out of the banking business. A committee will call a meeting of all the stockholders to wind up the affairs of the bank. The bank has deposits amounting to $325,000, the amount due other banks is $190,000, cash assets $312,000 and bills receivable $706,000. The liabilities, including capital, $500,000, aggregate about $1,015,000, and the assets, as shown above, amount to $1,012,000. The bank was organized in 1854 and did a state banking business until 1865, when it became a national bank.

Ex-Secretary Foster's Mission Successful.

Washington, June 18.—A cablegram received at the state department from ex-Secretary Foster, who has been at St. Petersburg engaged in negotiations with the Russian government for the better protection, by mutual agreement, of the seal life in the north Pacific and Bering sea, announces the complete success of his mission. The commissioner is now on his return to the United States.

Held For Alleged Arson.

Bellfonte, Pa., June 18.—James Cornelius, who is charged with setting fire to the armory here, has been given a hearing and recommitted to jail in default of $[illegible] bail for trial at the August term of court. Damaging evidence was presented against the prisoner. A detective testified to having seen Cornelius leave the armory when the flames broke out.

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Master Fred Hoffman, of Lebanon Hunterdon county, is spending his vacation with his aunt, Mrs. H. F. Bower, of East Front street.

Something to Know.
It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or $1.00 per bottle at L. W. Randolph's Drug Store.

Edgar I. Serrell, of Plainfield avenue, has returned after a visit with his brother at Lehigh University.

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Mr. R. B. Greeve, merchant, of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottles free at L. W. Randolph's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00.

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Ira W. Travell, of West Sixth street, is entertaining his brother, Dr. Travell.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are to-day its warmest friends. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—John McCarty, of 421 Kensington avenue, has applied for naturalization papers.

"There's no use in talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, La Cygne, Kas., "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy does the work. After taking medicines of my own preparation and those of others, I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—A business meeting of the Independent Fife and Drum Corps will be held on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman fo the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—A. Ross has been appointed postmaster at South Bound Brook, vice D. B. Hoffman, resigned.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

STATE PRINTING AWARDED.

Given to a Brooklyn Company In Spite of a Vigorous Protest.

Albany, June 18.—The state printing board at a meeting has awarded the contract for legislative printing for the two years beginning Oct. 1, to Charles Tollner, Jr., of Brooklyn, his bid being the lowest at $68,611.30.

The price of the last contract, which was awarded two years ago to the Wynkoop Hallenbeck Crawford company, was in the neighborhood of $111,000.

The computations of the bids were as follows: Charles Tollner, Jr., of Brooklyn, $68,611.30; the Wynkoop Hallenbeck Crawford company, $73,653.64; J. B. Lyon, $87,050.13; The Argus company, $110,162.90; the Weed Parsons company, $104,743.08; The Journal company of Albany, $108,498.57.

All the bidders except Tollner have establishments in this city.

Amasa J. Parker, on behalf of The Argus company, protested, saying: "In behalf of my clients I protest against the award of the contract to Mr. Tollner and also the consideration of the bid of the Wynkoop Hallenbeck Crawford company on the ground that there is collusion between the bidders to the disadvantage of the state.

"I have information that their bids are made in the same interests, and if that be true—and I think I can prove it, if the board will give me an opportunity—this board will see very plainly that there was collusion and that the contract should not be awarded to either of these bidders."

The board did not pay any attention to this protest, and the contract was awarded by a unanimous vote to Charles Tollner, Jr.

WILL SUSTAINED.

Institutions Will Profit by the Bequests of Dean Colgate.

Corning, N. Y., June 18.—The contest of the will of the Very Rev. Dean Colgate of this city, who died a year ago, leaving an estate of $100,000, has been decided by Surrogate Miller. About $30,000 was bequeathed to charitable and religious institutions in Buffalo and this city, as well as $5,000 each to St. Bonaventure's college at Alleghany and Niagara university.

Objections to the will were filed by nephews and nieces on the ground that it was improperly drawn, and the attempt was made to deprive the charitable and religious institutions of the amounts left them.

The decision sustains the will in all the main points. A few small bequests were cut out, however, with the consent of the executors. The executors are Bishop Quigley and A. P. Conlon of Buffalo. William Tully of Corning and D. M. Page of Hornellsville are the attorneys for the executors.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At New York—
New York ..... 1 0 0 0 3 1 0 0 *—5
Cleveland ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
New York—Hits, 8; errors, 3. Cleveland—Hits, 11; errors, 2.

At Brooklyn—
Brooklyn ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1
Cincinnati ..... 1 0 0 1 0 3 2 2 0—9
Brooklyn—Hits, 7; errors, 8. Cincinnati—Hits, 18; errors, 3.

At Boston—
Boston ..... 5 5 0 6 1 0 0 2 *—19
Chicago ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 3—7
Boston—Hits, 19; errors, 2. Chicago—Hits, 12; errors, 9.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	32	9	.780
Boston	32	12	.727
Cincinnati	27	16	.628
New York	23	17	.575
Brooklyn	23	21	.523
Philadelphia	24	22	.521
Cleveland	22	21	.512
Pittsburg	20	22	.476
Louisville	17	26	.395
Washington	15	26	.366
Chicago	16	29	.355
St. Louis	8	38	.174

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Peters, the weaver who killed Schiefers in Paterson, was found a suicide in his house.

Cambridge university has conferred an honorary degree on the Hon. Wilfred Laurier, the premier of Canada.

A train bandit was shot dead and another captured near Salem, Ills., by a sheriff's posse. One robber had confessed.

Isaac Norton, cashier of the United States internal revenue department in San Francisco, has committed suicide with carbolic acid.

President Faure of France has consented to arbitrate the frontier dispute between the Central American republics of Costa Rica and Colombia.

Carmen Lepre is in Bellevue hospital, New York, insane from the result of a mosquito bite. He may lose his arm or die if blood poisoning sets in further.

It is officially announced at Berlin that Admiral von Hollman has resigned the post of chief of the navy department and that Admiral von Tirpitz has been appointed to succeed him.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western were quiet and barely steady; city mills patents, $4.60@4.85; winter patents, $4.50@4.75; city mills clears, $4.60@4.75; winter straights, $4.05@4.20.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened easier under lower cables and favorable weather reports; later there was trading on light northwestern receipts and covering; July, 73¾@74 1-16c.; September, 69 13-16@70 1-16c.

RYE—Dull; No. 2 western, 36¼c.

CORN—No. 2 opened easier under good crop news and later steadied up on good buying orders; July, 29 13-16@30c.; September, 31 1-16@31⅛c.

OATS—No. 2 inactive; track, white, state, 25@32c.; track, white, western, 25@32c.

PORK—Quiet; mess, $8.25@8.75; family, $9.25@10.

BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 10@14c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Quiet; state, large, 8¼c.; small, 7¾@8¼c.

EGGS—Steady; state and Pennsylvania, 12@12½c.; western, 10½@11½c.

SUGAR—Raw firm; fair refining, 3c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c.; refined firm; crushed, 5⅝c.; powdered, 5⅛c.

RICE—Quiet; domestic, 4¼@6c.; Japan, 4¼@4½c.

TALLOW—Quiet; city, 3⅛@3¼c.; country, 3¼@3⅜c.

HAY—Dull; shipping, 50c.; good to choice, 60@70c.

WORK OF THE CREWS

Some of the Colleges Show Great Form In Practice.

WITNESSED BY EXPERT COACHERS.

Cornell's Men Were Attended to by Courtney, Who Is Greatly Pleased With Them—Columbia and Harvard Also In Good Shape.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 18.—The college crews were all late in getting out for last evening's practice, as the contact of wind and tide made a choppy sea, which did not subside until almost 6 o'clock. At that hour the water became tranquil and Coach Courtney ordered his three crews into their boats, taking them out to do an exhibition mile for the benefit of Dr. Walter Peet, the well known coach and rowing expert, and a representative of the press, who were in the launch with Courtney.

This mile proved to be a magnificent exhibition of speed, and it indicated that the crew which beats Cornell must be a remarkably fast one. The three Ithaca boats went up the river at a leisurely pace of 28 strokes a minute to the two mile mark of the course, where Courtney turned them around and lined them up for a race.

The varsity boat had the west course, with the freshmen next and the substitute crew to the east of them, but they were all in the middle of the river, so that none had an advantage of tide.

The subs got a little the best of the start by about one quarter of a length over the varsity, who in time led the freshmen by about the same distance. There was no material change in this order over the mile. The tide carried the crews almost 100 yards below the mark, so the trial lacked just that distance of being a full mile.

The crews started off at a 32 stroke, the varsity taking the water in fine style, with the freshmen almost as well, and toward the end they hit the stroke up to 34. The rowing was characterized by spirit and snap. The time was 4 minutes and 15 seconds, and, allowing 16 seconds for the distance not rowed at the start, gives the very fast time of 4 minutes 34 seconds.

Dr. Peet was strongly impressed with the crews, the varsity especially. "It is a very fine eight," he said, "and they are rowing beautifully. I believe that the race will be worth going 1,000 miles to see."

Witnessed by Expert Coaches.

The exhibition was witnessed by Dr. Percy Bolton and Alfred Cowles, who, next to Bob Cook, are the foremost Yale coaches, and who followed the crews on a yacht. They were deeply impressed with the exhibition. Captain Spillman rowed at his old place in the varsity boat last evening. He has been troubled with an injury to his wrist which he cannot account for. It has been very painful, but was so much better yesterday that he was allowed to row.

Courtney is very anxious to keep Spillman in the boat. He waxed enthusiastic when speaking of the young man, and said: "Why, it seems as if there is a whole extra horsepower in the boat when Spillman rows. He inspires the crew to a degree that is incomprehensible. I shall make every effort to keep him in the crew if I can. I fear, though, that he will favor the injured wrist.

"Spillman rowed at No. 6, succeeding Oddie, who has been taking his place. There was no other change in the crew. The Harvard crews have had a very easy day.

Harvard's Showing.

Examinations kept them from rowing in the morning, and last evening the varsity took a pull of only about two miles. It looks somewhat as if Lehman has got the crew down fine and is now working them moderately for fear of their going stale.

While this is quite a popular theory some of the experts who saw the crew expressed the opinion that none of the crew is in this danger, with the possible exception of Captain Goodrich. The freshmen rowed about four miles, being coached by Mr. Storrow. The advent of Cornell has frightened Columbia. Coach Cowles saw the Ithacans row yesterday, and it is said that the blue and white eight is on the eve of a big shake up.

There was one change in the boat last evening, Lewis being taken out of No. 3 seat and Elmer being put in his place. There were changes in the freshman boat, too. Rionda, who has been sick, went back to No. 3. Gardner was moved to bow, and Mortimer was taken out.

Columbia's Time Not Extra.

The Columbia crews had a very hard day, for Cowles made each of them row fully 20 miles. The varsity crew rowed a mile against time in the evening. Their time was not given out, but it is no secret that it was nearly a minute slower than that made by Cornell.

Before that they had a burst of 2½ miles with the freshmen. The youngsters had half a length the best of the varsity at the start, and finished that reach ahead of the varsity, having lost about two lengths through erratic steering. Francis S. Bangs, president of the University Athletic union and manager of the Cornell-Columbia-Pennsylvania race, is visiting at the Columbia quarters.

The Pennsylvanians.

The three Pennsylvania crews left their boathouse at 5 p. m., Coach Ward again using the Willawalla to follow them, and all rowed slowly up the course for a hard pull back with the tide. The varsity crew started a mile above the mark, where the course commences, and as they passed the start the second varsity, or substitute crew, picked them up. "Now boys, don't race. Just go a good clip," said Ward. But the substitutes were bound to have a race, and they hit up the stroke at a lively rate.

At the end of the four miles the varsity was one-eighth of a mile behind them. The freshmen fell in at the second mile and finished one length ahead of the second crew. The varsitys did not exert themselves to the utmost, and they were in the cedar shell, which has shown itself to be slower than the Watters boats.

Struck by an Express Train.

Little Falls, N. Y., June 18.—The Adirondack express struck a carriage containing Samuel Stimson and Miss Schermerhorn at the Main street crossing in Herkimer. Stimson was instantly killed and Miss Schermerhorn is dying.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Showers Tonight; Probably Fair on Saturday; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 81 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

June 22—Town Improvement Association meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Hall at 10 a. m.

Subscribers to The Daily Press who are leaving town for summer vacations can have the paper sent to their temporary address without extra expense by simply notifying the business office.

AN ENLIGHTENED COMMUNITY.

It is a recognized and appreciated fact that there is no town in New Jersey that maintains a better system of public and private schools than Plainfield. At this season of the year more than at an other, when the various institutions are sending their pupils out to grapple with the cold, everyday world in the effort to make a livelihood, or have just finished preparing them for a higher realm of study, and mark the period by special and appropriate exercises, the admirable condition of affairs is brought out a little more forcibly than at any other time. It is a matter for congratulation on the part of every citizen, whether a parent or not.

A GOOD TOWN TO LIVE IN.

According to "The Plainfield Press" that city is lengthening its cords and strengthening its stakes at a great rate. The claim is made that Plainfield is doing more building at the present time than Newark—a city fifteen times its size. We judge that this statement should be taken with several grains of allowance, but even with the usual discount for local pride the evidence shows that the city is in a thriving condition. There is no reason why it should be otherwise. It is a pretty place, located at a convenient distance from Gotham, is free from evil smells and other nuisances, and it ought to flourish.—West Jersey Press.

A BRIGHT YOUNG MAN.

Distinguished Work of Arthur Willis Leonard at Prfnceton University.

The New York Tribune of last Sunday contained the following concerning Arthur Willis Leonard's course at Princeton University. The young man was prepared for college at Leal's school in this city:

"Arthur Willis Leonard is known as the best well-rounded litterateur of the graduating class. He prepared for college at the Leal School, Plainfield. On entering college he identified himself with Whig Hall, where he won many prizes. In his freshman year he was first in the freshman essay contest; as a sophomore he wrote the Biddle prize essay; in his junior year he was distinguished as the best writer in his class by winning the Maclean prize of $100, and in the senior class he emphasized this distinction by winning the Baird prize of $100 and the Baird prize poem of $50 in one night's competition, this being the first time these two prizes have been awarded to one competitor. Mr. Leonard has been a frequent contributor to the undergraduate publications. In his junior year he was managing editor of "The Tiger," and in his senior year he occupied a similar position on The Nassau Literary Magazine, the latter being the highest literary distinction that can befall a Princeton undergraduate. He has always maintained a high position in his studies, ranking as first or second group man each year. Besides being one of the honorary English orators on the Commencement stage, he is class poet of the graduating class and will recite the class poem in Alexander Hall on class day. He is also a member of the class ode committee and of the Monday Night Club."

Festival of Good Things.

The members of the Christian Endeavor Society of Warren chapel held a strawberry and ice cream festival last evening in the chapel. The committee in charge consisted of Henry Seader, Miss Anna Searing and Miss Minnie Zeisz. The flower table was looked after by Miss Kate Dieke, Miss Mamie Kohler and Miss Lillian Zeisz. At the lemonade booth were Miss Minnie Wilson, Mrs George Wilson and Miss Mamie Squires. Miss Minnie Zeisz, Miss Maggie Sheppard and Mrs Ray Schenck served the cake, while Miss Searing and Miss Louise Kohler presided at the candy table. Henry Seader, Theodore Martin and John Herman were in charge of the ice cream.

—A devotional meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held in the rooms on Watchung avenue yesterday afternoon.

—A large and well selected variety of men's working shoes at the right prices are being sold by Van Arsdale.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Alfred Kilmer, of Princeton, visited *Plainfield friends, yesterday.*

Miss Cora Sheppard, of White's dry goods store, is enjoying her vacation.

Miss Helen Oldendorf, of Bound Brook, has been visiting in Plainfield.

Willard Sneckner, of New York, has been visiting friends in Plainfield.

Rev. Arthur Crane will speak at the Y. M. C. A. meeting Sunday afternoon.

Miss Brone, of New York, is the guest of Miss Sterling, of East Sixth street.

Miss Ruby Keebe, of Fanwood, was a guest at the Seminary Wednesday evening.

Miss Lizzie Hasbrouck, of Grove street, has gone to Bath Beach for the summer.

Miss Daisy Walker, of Brooklyn, is the guest of Miss Brower, of East Sixth street.

Laurens VanBuren, of Central avenue, is confined to the house with a serious illness.

Mrs. J. C. MacClymont, of Washington avenue, is visiting with relatives in Philadelphia.

G. Q. Packer, the West Front street furniture dealer, was called to Trenton yesterday on business.

Miss Baird, of Orange, is visiting at the home of her uncle, A. W. Haviland, of Rockview avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Townley's children are detained at home on West Second street by illness.

Charles T. Nightingale and children, of Sandford avenue, left the city yesterday for Mount Minsi, Pa., where they will remain for a time.

George A. Horne, of Willow avenue, returns to Bethlehem today to attend the "Cremation of Calculus" by the students of Lehigh University.

Physical Director Heywood of the Y. M. C. A., leaves today for a ten days' visit to the National conference of Y. M. C. A. physical directors, which is being held at Springfield, Mass.

Mrs. John L. Darby, Miss Loretta Darby and Miss Georgietta Lee, of this city, attended the commencement exercises at the New Jersey State Normal School, at Trenton, yesterday, to witness the graduation of Miss Edith M. Darby, of the class of '95, Plainfield High School.

A KICKING HORSE.

The Driver Upset, but He Pluckily Held On to the Reins.

A runaway horse narrowly missed killing his driver and succeeded in partially wrecking one wagon on Park avenue this morning. The delivery wagon of A. M. Griffin was passing under the Park avenue bridge this morning, at about 7:50 o'clock, driven by Edward C. Vermeule, of Jackson avenue, when a train passed over the bridge and frightened the animal. The animal began to kick and struck Mr. Vermule on the knee with his hoof. He was thrown backward into the wagon but pluckily held on to the reins. The horse splintered the dashboard and started to run. Vermeule tried to guide the frenzied animal through the vehicles that were coming to the 7:58 train, but a collision was inevitable and the cart driven by one of the mail carriers was partially wrecked.

The horse used his heels, just missing the head of the driver, who was trying to bring him to a stand. Roundsman Flynn ran to his assistance and, with the help of several bystanders, the horse was brought to a halt.

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The Boys This Time.

At the Y. M. C. A. Hall, this evening, at 8 o'clock, Mr. Kilborne, president of the Young Men's Christian Association of Orange, will give a free stereopticon talk to the boys of this city. The pictures to be shown will illustrate camp life on Lake Champlain.

—Special missionary addresses will be made in the Congregational church Sunday morning and evening.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—*Boonton* will erect a new public school at a cost of $17 804.

—MacDonald is the man who is selling fine creamery butter for 16 cents per pound. 6 18 2

—Elnathan S Phillips, 81 years old, ex-member of the Hunterdon County Board of Freeholders, died in West Amwell Wednesday.

—The educational committee of the Y. M. C. A. will meet next Tuesday evening to arrange the plans for the opening of educational work next fall.

—A meeting of Perseverence Lodge, No. 74, Knights of Pythias, will be held this evening. The committee on the silver anniversary will make its report.

—The work of curbing Central avenue between Front and Second streets will be started in a few days. The stone was placed along the avenue yesterday.

—Five candidates will be initiated at the meeting of Perseverence Lodge, No. 74, Knights of Pythias, this evening. There will be two applications to be acted upon.

—Trinity Commandery, Knights Templar, will hold its last meeting on Monday evening until fall. There will be special business of importance to come before the Commandery.

—One advantage of the new sprinkling wagon which the city has purchased is that it has very wide tires on the wheels. This will assist much in the work for which it is intended.

—The salutatory at the Plainfield High Schoool commencement exercises, next week, will be written in Latin. The writer is Miss Sallie Schuyler. This is a new departure at the High School.

—The Grand Union Tea Company, 138 West Front street, will on Saturday give to each one making a purchase of a fifty cent can of baking powder, twelve jelly glasses. No better baking powder sold.

—While a daughter of Benjamin Stanton, of Bridgeport, was filling the tea kettle from a pitcher a loud explosion took place, and the girl narrowly escaped serious injury. The pitcher contained gasoline instead of water.

—A new feature of the commencement exercises of the Plainfield High School, this year, will be several selections by a chorus of voices from the High School pupils. They will be under the charge of Charles L. Lewis.

—A number of the young people of Washington Park are planning a picnic to Washington Rock for tomorrow. They will meet at the home of Miss Eleanor T. Van Deventer, on Myrtle avenue, and walk up to the Rock.

—The members of Crescent Division, Uniformed Rank of Knights of Pythias, will decorate the graves of the deceased comrades on Sunday. Justice H. Rathborn Division, of New York, will be present and assist in the ceremonies,

—The ice cream and cake sale which was to be held this afternoon in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue church, by the Sunshine Mission Band of that church, has been indefinitely postponed on account of the illnes of some of the members.

—The partnership of Perry & Henry, the North avenue barbers, has dissolved and Lemuel Perry is continuing the business at his old stand where he will be glad to receive all his patrons. Charles Henry has gone to New Bedford, Conn.

—Mr. Parker, of Grove street, is having a number of improvements made about his place. Handsome stone piers have been erected at the entrance and at the corners of the property, connecting with the evergreen hedge that surrounds it.

—Franklin place, between Watchung and Putnam avenues has just received a fresh layer of fine crushed stone. As soon as the stone becomes well packed, the street will be in fine condition. At present, wheelmen avoid it on account of the small sharp stones, which are dangerous for the welfare of the tires.

—Randolph Marsh, of 310 Plainfield avenue, is the envy of his friends from the fact that he has grown potatoes which are large enough at present for table use. They are early Hebron potatoes and Mr. Marsh planted them late in April. Yesterday he opened a hill and found the potatoes had grown to a very large size.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper

DUNELLEN GRADUATES.

Essays Read by and Diplomas Presented to the Successful Ones.

The graduating exercises of the public schools of Dunellen were held last evening in the M. E. church. The class colors, red and green, were displayed, while the class motto, "Truth Conquers," was given prominence. President L. T. Titsworth, of the Board of Education, presided and awarded the diplomas and prizes. There were eleven graduates and ten of that number presented essays.

President Titsworth made an appropriate address to the graduates. The class officers elected are: President, Miss Edith Boice; secretary, Miss Estella Sofield; treasurer, Chester Gaskill.

Essays were read as follows:

Restriction of Immigration.....Elias Giles
The Power of Music.....Estella Sofield
Patriotism.....Fred Vail
The Solar System.....Alma Enander
The Duties of Citizenship.....Charles Teel
The Coming Motive Power.....Edison Brown
The Advantages of Arbitration.
Chester Gaskill
Intemperance.....Emma Pizie
Political Parties.....Edson Davis
Courtesy at Home.....Edith Boice

Miss Clara M. Davis was director of music, Miss Carlotta Williams accompanist, assisted by Miss Emma L Nelson, violinist, and Mrs. J. D. Anderson, cornetist.

The instructors of the school are A. J. Whitney, superintendent; Miss Carlotta Williams, Miss Carrie Fisher, Miss Clara M. Davis, Miss Fanny Smith, Miss Anne D Lloyd and Mrs. Lina B. Williams.

The graduating class presented the Board of Education with a handsome picture of Whittier, and it will be put in the school hall. In return the Board presented each graduate with a standard work of literature.

PARISIAN OMNIBUSES.

There is No Crowding and Strap-hanging Upon These Vehicles.

On all the streets of Paris one of the features most noticeable to a foreigner, perhaps, is the little omnibus station so characteristic of Paris. The Parisian omnibus system, by the way, is an excellent one when you understand it. But you usually have to be put off a 'bus two or three times before you appreciate its merits. In time you discover that the vehicle stops regularly at little stations, where those who understand the system obtain bits of pasteboard bearing numbers in the precise order of their application for them, entitling them in the same order to the vacant seats in the 'buses as they arrive. These little stations being not far apart, it is a matter of no difficulty to obtain these numbers, and when that is done the system secures, as you see, a perfect application of the rule, "First come, first served." For when the 'bus stops, just opposite the little station, an official comes out, and, standing behind it, calls off the numbers in their order, and the would-be passengers, as their numbers are called, take the vacant places. When all the vacancies are filled the 'bus drives on, and those whose numbers come next in order have, of course, the first chance at the vacancies on the filling 'bus.

And now let me mention another feature of this omnibus system which I think is worthy of our notice. Each omnibus and each street car in Paris—for the street car system is practically the same—is built to seat a certain number of persons. That number is indicated upon the exterior of the vehicle, and when it is complete no more are permitted to enter under any circumstances.—Chautauquan.

An Opening for a Ginger-Peeler.

A new machine is wanted in the West Indies in the ginger industry. The export of ginger from Jamaica amounted last year to over $250,000, and the trade is capable of considerable expansion. The cleaning and preparing of the ginger for the market, as now performed by hand, is a slow, primitive, tedious and wasteful process. After the roots are dug, they are washed, and the outer skin is removed by means of a small, sharp knife, resembling the blade of a penknife. As the roots are very irregularly shaped, this process involves the loss of a large percentage of the root, which is broken off or cut away in removing the skin. The peeling of the ginger is an important matter in determining the market value of the product. An expert can peel by hand about one hundredweight of uncured ginger in the course of a working day, for which he is paid 60 cents.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

A Pleasant Custom.

For perhaps a couple of hundred miles along the Michigan Central Railroad there prevails in summer the pretty custom of presenting a flower to each woman traveling on either of the two express trains that pass over the road every day. The company has expended much time and money in beautifying the line of the road and the grounds of the stations with shrubs and flowering plants, and these have grown and blossomed so plentifully that enough of the flowers are cut each day to supply the means for keeping up the graceful favor.

Stranger—What is that peculiar humming noise?

Old Resident—That's the grass growing in the streets.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"He is good-natured, is he?"

"Good-natured! Why, I have known that man to wear a smiling face when he was speaking of taking off a porous plaster!"

HOT WAVE!

When you read such a prediction in the press you will think of those

COOL SHIRT WAISTS

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ESTATE OF MARGARET COOK DECEASED.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the application of the undersigned, executors of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscribers under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the fourteenth day of June, 1897, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscribers.

JOHN G. COOK,
HENRY COOK,
Executors.

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STIRLING.

The closing exercises of the public school took place yesterday. The pupils showed great improvement especially in mathematics, and there has been greater advancement in all the common branches than has been before recorded, showing the wisdom of having a graded school. The principal, Walter M. Sage, then left for Trenton to join the State Normal Alumni at their annual dinner.

—Additional locals on page 3

—All the latest styles in straw and felt hats at Werner's fire sale.

—MacDonald is the man who is selling fine creamery butter for 16 cents per pound. 6 18 2

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mrs. Laing, of Plainfield, was the guest of borough friends, yesterday.

William C. Woodruff, of Plainfield, was in the borough yesterday on business.

A meeting of the Building and Loan Association will be held next Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hubbard, of Plainfield, were the guests of friends in the borough, yesterday.

Miss Mathenia Bodine, a student at the State Normal School, has come home for the summer vacation.

Charles Dunham, who is confined to his home with chills and fever, is reported as being much improved.

Miss Mildred Titsworth, who attends the Trenton Normal School, has returned to her home for the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hyde, of Plainfield, were in Dunellen yesterday admiring the beauties of the borough.

Now that the public school has closed for the summer it is to be expected that the small and mischievous boy will be omnipresent.

A number of Plainfielders attended the commencement exercises at the M. E church, last evening, and many were interested in the graduates.

John Tingley has about completed arrangements for the Tingley reunion to be held on the Blackford farm, South Plainfield, the last Wednesday in August.

The many friends of Isaac Laing will be pleased to learn that he is slowly improving from his long and severe illness. He is now stopping in Denver, Col.

A goodly sum of money was realized from the lecture given in the M. E. church last Tuesday evening, and the improvements on the parsonage will be started very soon.

F. M. Bacon, of Plainfield, was in the borough yesterday attempting to organize an "Asbestos Club, No. 2." If he succeeds the Plainfield branch will affiliate with the Dunellen branch.

Rev. Mr. Skellinger, of Washington, D. C., who has been in the borough for several days, returned home yesterday. He officiated at the Coriell White wedding in the Presbyterian church, Wednesday evening.

One of the greatest needs of the borough is a street sprinkling wagon. In dry times the dust is almost unbearable, and the purchase of a suitable wagon would be greatly appreciated by the residents of the borough.

The fact that there are so few young people in this vicinity partially accounts for the absence of many social events, which generally characterizes towns of a similar size. The few young people living here invariably seek other towns and cities for their amusement.

Jointly, the people of Plainfield, Dunellen and New Market have reason to feel proud over the Schubert Club Ladies' Orchesera. It is composed of women from each of the above places and they certainly acquit themselves with credit every time they appear in public. Their playing at the Dunellen public school commencement, last evening, was a feature.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Invitations are out for a lawn party to be given by Miss Sadie Lee tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lee spent yesterday with friends in New York city.

Constable William Walpole is arranging a fishing party to go to Echo Lake tomorrow for landlocked salmon.

Invitations are now out for the High School graduating reception which will be held in the High School Hall next Wednesday evening.

A number of new books will soon be added to the public library which will be purchased with the money donated by Mrs. Warren Ackerman.

Citizens of Scotch Plains are preparing a petition to be presented to the Township Committee at its next meeting, asking that arc lights be placed in the principal streets of the township in place of the incandescent lamps now in use.

A ball was given at the Fanwood Clubhouse last evening under the auspices of the Scotch Plains Club. About thirty couples were present, and the affair proved a most enjoyable one. Naylor's orchestra, of Plainfield, furnished the music.

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity.

F. B. Ham, Sr., of Cranford, spent yesterday with friends in town.

The Westfield Township Committee will meet in the town rooms tonight.

T. J. England, of Mountainside, is visiting his grandparents at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bastable entertained friends from New York city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bastable, of North Broad street, entertained friends from New York City.

The Union County Band held a special practice in their rooms on Broad street, last evening.

William Bastable, who has been studying at St. Paul's School, L. I., is at home for the summer vacation.

Charles Wittke, of Bordentown Military Institute, has returned to his home in this place for the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Foudey, of New York, have rented Col. George H. Staar's residence on North Broad street for the summer.

C. P. Wilcox, chairman of the Committee on Independence Day celebration, estimates the total expense of the festivities at $450.

Mrs. Lincoln Wragg, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Davis of South Broad street, has returned to her home in Brooklyn.

Justice Collins yesterday issued an execution against the goods of Charles B. Hann to satisfy a judgement for $11.35 secured by F. B. Turill.

The proceeds from the Memorial Day festival of the Children's Country Home amounted to $70, which will go into the building fund of the home,

The treasurer of the Children's Country Home acknowledges contributions of $31.72 from the Sunday-school of the Congregational church, this week.

The high school graduation exercises take place in the Westfield Club Hall tonight. John B. Green, president of the board of school trustees, will present the diplomas.

The Pierson block, on Elm street, which was badly damaged by fire recently, has been repaired, and the Bard Cycle Company will re-occupy their former quarters there.

The case of Barton against Weidner was tried by a jury in Justice Toucey's court yesterday, and a verdict of $31.38 was rendered for the plaintiff. Paul Q. Oliver was the plaintiff's counsel.

John Beeman, a blacksmith at Mountainside, was shoeing a horse in his shop, Wednesday afternoon, when a board fell upon the animal, causing it to rear suddenly. Beeman was thrown some distance across the shop, falling upon a heap of iron tools. He was carried into the house nearby and a physician summoned. A number of cuts and bruises were found upon Beeman's head and body, but fortunately no bones were broken.

The I. O. S. met at the residence of W. I. Neafie, on Park street, last evening. The question of participating in the Independence Day bicycle parade was discussed, and it was decided that the club should enter the parade in a body, wearing the club colors. A resolution to raise the club dues was voted down. Members will be allowed to enter the racing contests by giving notice of such entries to the club secretary before the 30th inst. The money which is in the club's sinking fund will be placed in a New York bank at interest.

A large audience gathered in Holy Trinity church last evening to listen to an illustrated lecture entitled "A Trip to Ireland," by Rev. John J. Boylan. The lecturer spoke in a pleasant vein, telling many anecdotes illustrative of Irish wit. At times his brogue was so broad and so evidently true to life that the audience was convulsed with laughter. The stereopticon pictures included views in Queens town, Dublin and other cities, Blarney Castle, the Lakes of Killarney and other historic spots on the "ould sod." The choir of St. Mary's church, Plainfield, was present and sang a number of Irish melodies with excellent effect. Among their selections were "A Low-Back Car," "The Lakes of Killarney," "Kate Carney," and "The Harp that Once Thro' Tara's Halls."

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JUNIORS' SEVENTH YEAR.

Reports Showed That the Little People Have Done Good Work.

The seventh anniversary and closing exercises for the summer of the Junior Christian Endeavor Society of Trinity Reformed church were held yesterday afternoon in the lecture room of the church. The report of the treasurer, Lucy Coriell, showed that during the past year $34 had been raised and used in mission work. A review of the year's work by the Junior's gave evidence that much good had been accomplished. The report of the treasurer, Lula Wyman, was encouraging. A feature of the programme was an address by Rev. Cornelius Schench and Miss Olive Wikoff. The following programme was rendered:—Piano solo, Grace Ten Eyck; recitation, Chrissie Mobus; recitation, Harold Schenck; piano duet, Hattie and Anna Randall; vocal solo, Violet Van Winkle; auto-harp solo, Bessie Ten Eyck; recitation, Anna Holder; piano solo, Lucy Coriell; recitation, Bulah Van Winkle; recitation, Cornelius Schenck; recitation, Bessie Randall; auto-harp solo, Bessie Ten Eyck.

To give you an opportunity of testing the great merit of Ely's Cream Balm, the most reliable cure for catarrh and cold in the head, a generous 10-cent trial size can be had of your druggist or we mail it for 10 cents. Full size 50 cents. ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and is worth its weight in gold. I can use Ely's Cream Balm with safety and it does all that is claimed for it.—B. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

—Full line of bicycle suits and extra pants at Werner's fire sale.

—A. A. Stryker & Bros., contractors, are erecting a new house on the property near their own residence on West Front street.

—A regular club shoot of the Climax Gun Club will be held on June 23d, at 2 p. m at the grounds, located on the Crescent Oval.

Will you give up all that health means to you? If not, look out for impure blood. Cure boils, pimples, humors and all scrofulous tendencies by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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143 WEST FRONT STREET. TELEPHONE CALL 109.

—Van Arsdale will offer tomorrow one lot of ladies' Oxford ties for 79 cents per pair.

—A boot blacking stand right in the store. That's what Sherwin has, and polishes free of charge the shoes of all his customers.

—The first free band concert will take place in Werner's store tonight between 8 and 10 by Prof. Guttman's full band. All are invited.

—At present there are only three inmates at the City Industrial Home. The Home has been opened and everything now is in good working order.

—A system of three catch basins has been erected on West Front street, near Albert street, for the purpose of carrying off the surface water.

—The sentencing of John Risberg in the Newark court has been postponed until Monday to allow the lawyers to prepare their pleas for a new trial.

Randolph Runyon,

Funeral Director and Embalmer.

Residence, Over Office. Office 43 Somerset St., Plainfield, N. J.

DIED.

MOORE—In this city, June 16, 1897, William Britton Moore, in his 77th year. Funeral services from the residence of his son Fred. S. Moore, 433 Orchard place, Saturday afternoon, June 19, at 2 o'clock. Interment at Rahway. 6 17 2

WANTS AND OFFERS.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 227 East Sixth street.

WANTED—Colored girl for general housework; no washing of ironing. Apply 6 Willow Ave.

NURSE wanted to go to Fanwood. Mrs. Days office 134 East Front St.

BOARDERS wanted, two gentlemen in private family of three adults; elegant house beautifully located. No other boarders. Address Rock; care Press.

FOR SALE—One runabout, one road wagon and one two-seated station wagon, all very cheap. 334 Carleton Ave.

FOR SALE CHEAP—200 loads garden soil, 500 loads gravel. T. Callahan 300 Richmond street. 6 18 2

LAST evening, T. A. B. Hall; light jacket taken by mistake. Call at Daily Press office.

A man wanted with some knowledge of agriculture to solicit orders for fruit and ornamental nursery stock. Steady work; liberal terms. Address Chase's Sons & Co., Sta. A., Philadelphia, Pa. 6 14 12 e o d.

GOOD work horse wanted. Give price and particulars. Address Horse, care Press. 6 17 2

FIVE room house to let; 123 West Second street. 6 17 3

CHOICE rooms with excellent board; $6 and $7 per week. 417 East Fifth street. 6 17 6

WANTED—Any Plainfielder owning a stylish driving outfit, with single horse, and desiring to make advantageous terms for the care of the rig during the summer months, can communicate with responsible young man who will pay for boarding of such an outfit in first-class boarding stable for the use of it, by addressing Stylish, care Press. 6 17 3

FOR SALE—230 feet 2d-hand picket fence. B., care Press. 6 17 2

WANTED—A girl for general housework; reference required. 1303 Watchung avenue. 6 17 3

A YOUNG woman with a child one year old wishes a situation at housework. Small wages expected. Address Mrs. M. Schultz, care Mrs. Traynor, Fanwood, N. J. 6 17 2

WOULD like a few more table boarders, also large airy front room with good board. 145 West Second street. 6 17 4

$25,000 to loan on mortgage in sums of $100 or more. Clarence Murphy, attorney, Schwed building. 6 16 tf

STORE TO LET—On Fifth St., near Watchung Ave.; rent reasonable. Apply 148 E. 5th St. 6 15 6

LARGE pleasant rooms with first class board. 62 Sanford Ave. 6 14-6.

TO LET—Large alcove room with board, modern improvements, 3 minutes walk from station; shady verandas; terms moderate. Address V. X., care Press. 6 11 6

STRAYED—On June 2d, liver and white Pointer Dog, answers to the name of "Alex." Reward. F. C. Phoebus, City. 6 5 tf

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

Plainfield's Busiest Store.

We sell goods cheaper than any Plainfield store.

It is Well to Remember

That the production of merchandise far outstrips its consumption. This will go far towards explaining the apparent modesty of prices on many seasonable goods. Hardly a day passes but what we have shown to us some special things that the manufacturer is overstocked—he needs money and the goods are offered to us in many cases at less than the cost of production. It's a wise loss for the maker, a good purchase for us, and a big bargain benefit for you.

TAKE WASH GOODS

There never was a season known when the wholesale market has been so glutted with thin, cool, dainty summer fabrics. The result is a price break.

Yard-wide Percales	5c
Fine Dimities	6c
Fine dress Ginghams	6c
French Jackonets	10c
Pretty Challies	10c
Lace stripe Gingham	12c
Fine Organdies	12c
Mixed Bicycle Suiting	10c

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR.

The continued cool weather makes it imperative that makers should sell now, and to unload quick they sell at a loss. Values will surprise you here.

Ribbed Vests	7c
Lisle finish vests	10c
Silk trimmed vests	15c
Fine lisle vests	25c
Silk vests	50c

DRESS GOODS.

Much of the loss caused by these reductions we take ourselves—its clearing time in this department, and we must have shelf room. If its dress goods you save money by buying here.

40 in black and blue Etima cloth	25c
54-in all-wool Cloth	39c
40-in all-wool Cashmere	33c
54-in silk and wool Mixture	49c
54-in all wool Bicycle Suiting	49c

HOSIERY.

Business bringing items these, all bought for a quick sale. Fix your hosiery thoughts on this store—we sell nothing but what will wear and give satisfaction.

Ladies' hose, extra fine quality	14c
Ladies' lisle hose, very fine	25c
Children's plain hose, fine quality	15c
Boy's bicycle hose, double sole knee	15c
Men's fine black half hose	13c
Men's fancy colored hose, value 35c a pair, our price	18c.

BIG WEEK AMONG THE MATTINGS.

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4.	Gavotte—Hermoine	Zimmerman
5.	Galop—Carousal	Missud
6.	Overture—Medley	Feyer
7.	March—X Rays	Tolain
8.	Selection—Robin Hood	DeKoven
9.	Waltzes—Daughters of Love	Bennet
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And cheer her heart with words of sweetest praise,
When I have time.

When you have time! The friend you hold so dear
May be beyond the reach of all your sweet intent;
May never know that you so kindly meant
To fill her life with sweet content,
When You had time.

Now is the time! Ah, friend, no longer wait
To scatter loving smiles and words of cheer
To those around whose lives are now so dear;
They may not meet you in the coming year—
Now is the time.

—The Indianapolis News.

LOVE IN A MINOR KEY

The inhabitants of Harplestowe had ceased to discuss Hannah Fletcher's questionable position toward her lodger, and any interest attached to her unconventional attitude had quietly fizzled out along with her meagre claims to beauty. When the world had gone well with Hannah, and she had possessed the irritable devotion of an invalid mother and the undivided love of a selfish father, she had worn modestly the good looks which belong to a middle class young woman who enjoys excellent health and a wholesome temperament. Now the light in her abundant hair and her bright color had died for want of vital sustenance, and her rather prominent features had bleakened with the unresting struggle for existence. A stranger would not trouble to question if her unsympathetic manner was the result or the cause of an unsatisfied existence.

Hannah Fletcher had spent the best years of her youth subduing the passions and emotions which make a beautiful woman irresistible, but she had not studied her own ugliness and mastered it, as some women do. A plain woman's battle in life is defying her own ugliness.

Hannah's lodger was, it is true, an "elderly party," so the maid-of-all-work described him, "always messing about with them chemistry fizzicks; 'e's wonderful clever, but it don't bring in no money, and if it wasn't that Miss Hannah was a bit sweet on him sh'd 'ave cleared 'im out along with his rubbishing smell long ago." Hannah was a "bit sweet" on the "elderly party." When her mother and father had died, her lodger had not given a thought to the fact that, for the girl's reputation in the village, it would be advisable for him to leave his comfortable quarters. Hannah had grown necessary to him in his work, and he had learned to depend on her as a man of powerful intellect grows to depend on a practical woman with an intelligent brain, who is his daily and hourly companion. Habit is stronger in men than in women. Five or six years had passed since her parents' death, bringing little or no change into Hannah's life. She slaved and toiled and pinched for the "elderly party," who was too self-centred to guess at the true extent of her poverty. He was casual about his payments, and she would never remind him. To brighten up her room and bring a little pleasure into her day, he would now and then go out and bring her home an extravagantly beautiful bunch of flowers, or a pair of palms, and present them to her with a touching enthusiasm for his own generosity and thoughtfulness. Her practical mind would fly with a woman's quickness of thought to the four months' rent which was still unpaid; but only a feeling of tenderness for his eccentricities would come over her, and she hugged to her heart the thought that she could help him in his work by waiting for the over-due rent.

He was poor, and his income would have barely covered the modest necessities of his simple life if he had devoted it to them, but "he spends all his money on them messes and inventing things as aren't no use to no one," as Arabella remarked when he overlooked her tip one Christmas day; "I ain't got no use for the like of his sort." Clothes he never bought, and Hannah, with a beautiful regard for the feeling of the man she loved, stitched and mended and patched, and bit by bit replaced his worn and shabby wardrobe. She was careful never to put into his room any new garment she had made until the ruthless laundress had robbed it of its newness. Then she would substitute it for one which was beyond even her clever needlecraft to mend, and the "elderly party" would put on a new shirt or wear the new socks without the slightest suspicion that the familiar patches and darns were missing. He acted as intellectual food and nourishment to her starved brain, and she became the practical part of his unevenly balanced character, which nature had left wanting.

One day the peace of Hannah's life was broken by the coming of a cousin, an orphan like herself, who had written and asked Hannah to give her a home while she looked for work. Hannah wrote and welcomed her with bitter misgivings at heart. She had to toil night and day to make money to pay for food enough for herself and her lodger.

Madeline came, and like a hot wind passing over a sensitive plant she withered up Hannah's courage. She was young, and the beauty of her animal health was startling. She stood in Hannah's humble parlor in the noonday sunlight, straight as a young palm tree, and beautiful in symmetry, a pulsing, tingling piece of flesh and blood, colored like a pale pink peony.

Weeks passed into months, and Madeline had planted herself firmly in the house. Hannah could not turn her out, and she never suggested going, and never made any serious attempt to get work. Her orphan and penniless condition served her as a useful means of appealing to the sympathy of the "elderly party." As time went on, Hannah saw less and less of her lodger, her cousin appropriated as her charge his study and laboratory, and it was bitterness and gall to Hannah to see her administer to him all the little attentions which she had been wont to perform.

Hannah, with her heart smarting at the bitter injustice of things, could not tell her that she was day by day robbing her of all that made life bearable.

And as, when a woman is particularly busy, a man generally thinks she is "fussing," and choosing to do something totally unnecessary, the "elderly party" came to look upon it as quite natural that Madaline should be his hourly companion, and that she should sit in an easy chair while Hannah, hot and weary in mind and body, should toil and strive for them both.

After Madaline had been with them three months Hannah's lodger came into a fortune. It was not a large one, but it would enable him to live in ease and comfort for the rest of his life. When Hannah heard the good news, what she dreaded most did not happen. He did not suggest moving into more luxurious lodgings; he seemed to consider himself a fixture in the wainscoted room with its cottage window and old oak floor; but he bought more pretty plants and fresh hothouse flowers, which Madaline now accepted with a blush and prettiness that sent his blood coursing through his veins.

One morning, when Hannah was ironing, with the table piled high in well bleached linen, the "elderly party" came into the kitchen with Madaline. He walked straight up to where Hannah stood, with her hot face bent over the steaming shirt, and drew Madaline forward.

"Hannah, your cousin has promised to marry me. She is young and beautiful, and I am only a plain scholar, but I will do my best to make her a good husband."

As if it had been thrust through her body with the point of a bayonet, each word went to Hannah's heart. It ceased beating. Madaline, of course, knew why her cousin had so suddenly fainted, and the poor little bit of triumph made her heart beat quicker, but when she looked up at her lover his face was pale with fear. She saw a look of agony in his eyes as he turned them to her for help, which told her that she did not possess the heart of the scholar so completely as she thought, and the devil in her was roused.

"Oh, you need not be so alarmed; she has fainted through sheer jealousy."

For one moment he stood transfixed; all that he had been blind to for years was made plain to him now, and in that moment he recognized the heartlessness of the woman he had proposed to only ten minutes ago.

"Are you a woman to tell a woman's secret and make light of it?"

Madaline was frightened at the look of scorn and contempt in his eyes, which had always looked at her so gently. She stood at bay, and watched his trembling hands sprinkling Hannah's face with the cold water she had used for sprinkling the linen. It was kept in a small white bowl on the ironing table.

"I've not said anything that the whole village does not know, Arabella included, that Hannah Fletcher has been waiting to marry her lodger for the last ten years."

"Then, by God, I'll marry her now. I love her, I tell you." He chafed the pale cheeks, and rubbed the thin hands. "I've always loved her. Oh, my God, Oh, my God, what a selfish fool I have been!"

"You loved me but ten minutes ago. For a simple scholar you are wonderfully quick in love."

"Ten minutes ago I did not know that it was Hannah I loved as a man ought to love the woman he marries. Your beauty deceived me into believing that I loved you. I had not given thought to love until you came. I ask your forgiveness."

Tears, which were always ready, came into her blue eyes at the harsh words he had spoken, but she knew that they were true. She had no love for the grave and elderly scholar; he was to be her refuge from work, and she loved ease. She stood for a moment or two and watched returning consciousness quiver over Hannah's pale face, and then she turned to go.

"After all, Hannah is growing old, and she has been good to me. I will not rob her of her elderly lover."

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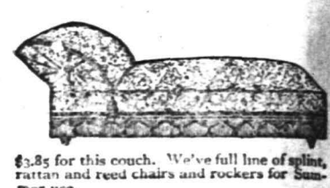

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p. m.; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

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Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28 p m. 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 35, 9 03, 10 05, 11 35, a. m.; (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 05, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30, 11 35 a. m; 1 10, 1 35, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 50

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m 12 46, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 39, 5 09, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 45, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 12 46, 2 11, 4 56, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 28, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a m; 6 30, [illegible] p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 08, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 56 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

5 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 28 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 32 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 4 36, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m., 2 17, 5 34* 6 45 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 10 44 a. m., 5 09*, 6 45, p. m., 1 17 night.

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Men's all wool royal blue serge suits, worth $12, at selling out price, $4.50; men's best all wool blue serge suit, worth $16, at selling out price, $5.90; men's fine gray clay serge, all-wool suit, worth $13.50, at selling out price, $5; fine men's gray or dark brown clay diagonal suit, worth $16, selling out price $6.25. No other store in Plainfield will sell the same suit for less than $18. A very fine business suit in all-wool worsted or cassimeres, worth $10, at $4.25; fine men's working suit, worth $8, at $2.50. This suit is all wool and warranted not to fade. Extra fine all-wool silk or satin lined clay diagonal all-wool suit in frocks, worth $20, at $8.25; a very fine English silk-mixed suit, worth not less than $22, at $6.90; over 500 suits in fancy cheviots and overplaids, dark or light colors, that we are selling at $2, $3, $3.50 and $4.50. Every one of them are worth from $8 to $15 of any man's money. Don't wait one minute, but come at once, as you never will have the chance again. Youths' suits in all-wool clay diagonal sacks, worth $10, at $4.50; young men's plaid suits, all wool, worth $8, at $2.90; boy's long pants suit at $2; children's suits, latest style plaids in brown and light colors at $1, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75, worth from $2 to $5; men's fine summer underwear at 15c; men's bicycle suits, $1.75, $2, $2.50 and $3.50, worth from $4 to $10; men's bicycle pants from 35c up. Be on hand early and avoid the rush. Over 2,000 suits to choose from. Durable men's pants at 75c; fine Sunday pants at 95c, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75; every pair of them all wool and they are worth from $2.50 to $6. This closing out sale commences Saturday, June 12, at 7:30 a. m.

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Linen collars at 9c, 3 for 25c, and the cuffs at 12c per pair.

Golf caps at 25c and 45c. The very newest in fancy bosom dress shirts at 79c-98c.

THE LUETGERT CASE.

Denials of the Genuineness of an Alleged Letter From the Missing Woman.

Chicago, June 18.—Both Dietrich Bicknese and Mrs. Wilhelmina Miller, brother and sister of Mrs. Adolph Luetgert, for whose alleged murder her husband Adolph Luetgert, the rich sausage manufacturer, is under indictment, deny the genuineness of a letter received by Alderman Schlake, signed "Louise Luetchert," in which the missing woman is represented as saying she is living with friends in Chicago.

The letter, the brother and sister say, is not in their sister's handwriting, nor did she spell her name that way. The police laugh at what they call a clumsy fake and intimate that the discovery of the letter's real author, if ever made, will be attended with sensational developments.

Quite a sensation marked the hearing of the habeas corpus proceedings in the Luetgert case. Annie Grieser, who was employed by the Luetgerts in 1888, positively identified the rings found in the vat as having belonged to Mrs. Luetgert. She described the rings minutely at first and then upon being shown those found in the vat declared they belonged to Mrs. Luetgert.

THE ST. LOUIS ROBBERY.

Information Filed In the Case Charging Ensley With Assault.

St. Louis, June 18.—Information has been filed with Justice of the Peace Crousfelder, charging Martin Ensley with assaulting Charles D. Collins with intent to kill and robbing him of $6,000. The document was sworn to by F. A. Heidhorn, St. Louis county prosecuting attorney at Clayton.

Ensley will be held in jail at Clayton until the result of the terrible blows received by Charles D. Collins at Meramec Highlands Tuesday night shall have been determined.

The accused man's friends have engaged an attorney to defend him. Collins has had a high fever, his head pained him greatly, and he was very restless. Several more wounds have been found on his head, making the total number 14.

Dr. Hittman still fears blood poisoning. The patient has reiterated his opinion that Ensley delivered the blows and said the prisoner knew of his having $6,000 on his person.

FOUND IN THE THAMES.

Body of a Fashionably Dressed Woman Picked Up.

London, June 18.—The body of a fashionably dressed woman, about 30 years of age, was found floating in the Thames near the Tower bridge. In her purse she had some gold and silver, a gold wedding ring and two dress rings, a gold brooch and other articles, and on a key ring also found upon her were some American coins. All the clothing on the body was of the best materials.

This is the seventeenth body found in the lower Thames by the police during the last three weeks. They are believed to be the bodies of suicides, as in nearly all cases valuables were found upon the persons of the drowned. There is nothing mysterious in the finding of the bodies, and the police account for the somewhat unusual number of suicides by the fact that the population of this city has been largely increased by jubilee visitors from the country and by the advent of many foreigners from nearly all parts of the world.

DISAPPEARING GUN CARRIAGES.

Satisfactory Results Obtained With the First One Built In This Country.

Sandy Hook, June 18.—A 12 inch disappearing gun carriage, designed by Captain William Crozier, is being successfully tested before the board of ordnance and fortifications. Captain Frank Heath, commanding officer, is superintending the operations.

He says that this is the first 12 inch disappearing gun carriage ever built in this country, and as far as the test has proceeded she works smoothly and perfectly, but that there are too many vessels in the way to fire, with safety, as many rounds as he desires.

Another Gordon disappearing carriage for a 10 inch rifle is also undergoing a trial at the proving ground. Captain Crozier successfully designed 8 and 10 inch disappearing carriages, some of which are now installed in fortifications.

FOUND IN THE RUINS.

Parts of Human Bodies Discovered In the Delevan Hotel Debris.

Albany, June 18.—While clearing away the ruins of the Delevan House, which was burned on Dec. 31, 1894, workmen have found the remains of three bodies that perished in the fire. The remains were only a half burned skull, parts of the pelvis bones of three persons, a thigh bone, some vertebræ and numerous small bones, and they are identified as the remains of Mary Carry, Bridget Fitzgibbons and Thomas Cannon.

The three whose bones were found were hotel servants and occupied rooms under the roof in a corner of the building. Of the 14 persons who lost their lives in the fire all are now accounted for except Nogenta Sturena, a servant, who slept on the top floor.

INDICTED FOR ARSON.

Two Shoe Manufacturers Suspected of Setting Their Factory on Fire.

Plymouth, Mass., June 18.—The grand jury has reported two indictments against Thomas J. Murphy and Edward Finlay for arson and attempt to defraud insurance companies.

The indicted men were shoe manufacturers in this city. One morning last March it was discovered that an attempt had been made to burn their factory. The fire was soon extinguished.

Neither of the proprietors could be found the following day, and their continued absence from the city under the circumstances cast suspicion upon them. They were finally located and arrested in New York city and brought back here.

Car Works to Open.

Buffalo, June 18.—The Buffalo Car Manufacturing company, which has been shut down for several months, will begin work again within a few days, employing its full force of men, varying from 600 to 800.

Death of Father Kneipp.

Munich, June 18.—Father Sebastian Kneipp, famous through his water or grass cure, died at Woerishofen, Bavaria, yesterday. He was 76 years old.

DEMANDS UPON SPAIN

The President Will Send Them to Madrid by Gen. Woodford.

WILL INSIST ON PEACE FOR CUBA.

Mediation Is Offered—Independence on Payment of Indemnity Is One of the Terms Proposed—American Rights Must Always Be Respected.

Washington, June 18.—General Stewart L. Woodford, the new minister to Spain, will take to Madrid President McKinley's note offering the mediation of the United States to bring about the termination of the war in Cuba.

This note has been in course of preparation for some weeks and will be ready for the new minister as soon as he is ready to sail for his post.

When General Woodford goes to Madrid, a new consul general will succeed General Fitz Hugh Lee at Havana.

Frank Aldrich of Chicago will be the man who will look after American interests at Havana.

The appointment of General Woodford and the immediate prospect of a change in the consul generalship at Havana show that President McKinley's Cuban policy is fully formulated and that from now on Spain will hear of nothing from the United States but a demand that the war shall be ended and that the rights of American citizens shall be protected.

Contents of the Note.

The president's note, which will be intrusted to Minister Woodford is, first, a demand that Spain shall pay indemnity for the outrages suffered by Americans at the hands of Spanish citizens in Cuba.

The next demand is that the violations of the treaty rights of American citizens shall cease.

After that the letter in bold terms will express to Spain the conviction of the president that the war in Cuba is to Spain a hopeless one and will convey the intimation that the refusal by Spain to negotiate for peace in Cuba will be followed by the prompt recognition of the belligerent rights of the Cuban revolutionists.

The note will then convey to Spain the assurance of the willingness of the United States to mediate between Spain and Cuba on a basis that will assure the independence of the island on the payment of an indemnity to Spain by Cuba, the indemnity not to exceed the amount of interest on the debt of Spain already paid out of the revenues levied in Cuba.

Demands Supported by Facts.

There will be no lack of facts to support the demands which will be made in the note. All the facts which have been gathered by Special Commissioner Calhoun with regard to the Ruiz case and all of the representations of Consul General Lee concerning similar outrages on American citizens in Cuba will be cited to bring Spain to a course of reason.

In addition to these all the facts and figures about the property losses suffered by American citizens through the policy of the Spanish government, as reported to the state department by United States consular officials in Cuba, will be cited to show that matters have gone beyond the limit of forbearance.

Other consular reports will be quoted from to show that since the war began there has been a steady gain of strength on the part of the revolutionists and that they now control a greater portion of the territory of the island than that which acknowledges the supremacy of Spain.

This part of the representations of the note will go to prove the assertion that Cuba is virtually already beyond the power of Spain to pacify.

Will Woodford Wait Until August?

London, June 18.—The Madrid correspondent of The Standard says: "Hitherto no embassador has ever presented his credentials while the court was sojourning at San Sebastian. Therefore, it is not expected that General Stewart L. Woodford will arrive before the autumn. In the meantime Mr. Hannis Taylor accompanies the queen regent and court to San Sebastian. I understand that the attitude of the United States will be based chiefly upon the reports presented by Mr. W. J. Calhoun and the American consuls as to Cuban conditions."

Debs' New Commonwealth.

Chicago, June 18.—Eugene V. Debs' new project, involving in its details the death of the American Railway union and the formation of a co-operative colonization undertaking, was put under way at Uhlich's hall last night, when the preamble to the constitution for the proposed organization which is to succeed the American Railway union was laid before the delegates. The meeting, which was a secret session, was well attended, many women being among the delegates. The name proposed by Mr. Debs is the Social Democracy of America, and this name was incorporated in the preamble.

Cannot Land Cables.

Washington, June 18.—The president has refused permission to the Compagne Francais Cables Telegraphique to land the new cable of that company at Cape Cod, or indeed anywhere upon the United States coast. The question that was raised through the French embassador as to the power of the federal government to deny admission to the cable will be referred to the attorney general for an opinion, but meantime the executive branch of the government holds to the doctrine that such landing can be only by express authorization of congress.

Agricultural Society Sells Out.

Richmond, June 18.—The grounds of the Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical society, known as Camp Lee, have been sold to John L. Williams, a banker, for $50,000. The society owes about $70,000. Seven thousand dollars represent unpaid purses and premiums, which will now never be paid. The sale puts the society out of existence. Mr. Williams represents a large number of bondholders.

Embezzler Sentenced.

Denver, June 18.—Matt Adams, ex-clerk of the district court, who was found guilty of the embezzlement of county funds, has been sentenced to state prison for five years. After the discovery of a $60,000 shortage in his accounts Adams fled to England, whence he was extradited last year.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 4:28 a. m.
Sun Sets: 7:33 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 8:33 p. m.

AROUND THE BASES.

The councilmanic duties of John G. McLoughlin have become too great of late to give him time enough to devote to the national game so he has left his old position as captain and first base on the Crescent nine. He has a worthy successor at the first bag, however. Ralph Corbin, the crack first baseman of Rutger's 'varsity nine, has been signed to fill the vacant position and will make his first appearance in Plainfield on Saturday in the game with the Westfield Athletic Club. Corbin is all right. He is a sure hitter and a brilliant base-runner and was a great favorite with the New Brunswick audiences.

The Crescents will have a foe worthy of their efforts to play against on Saturday afternoon on their grounds at the corner of La Grande avenue and Richmond street. The Westfield Athletic Club's crack nine will come to Plainfield to try and retrieve the honors lost on the football gridiron, last fall. They found the Elizabeth Y M. C. A. and the Stelton teams easy things and defeated them both. They will be unusually strong for Saturday. The management of the local team will make special preparations for the large crowd that is sure to turn out if the weather is good. Ample provisions have been made for the ladies and their escorts and they will be able to view the game from beneath a canvas shade.

GOLF.

One of the latest converts to the ancient game of golf is George M. Macintyre, manager of the F. L. C. Martin Cycle Company. His friends have presented him with a complete outfit of golf sticks and he will soon make his appearance on the local links.

The Reinhart Cup will be contested for on the links of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club tomorrow afternoon The contest is open to club members and is handicapped. It is medal play, eighteen holes. The entries close this evening, and they will be handicapped by the members of the golf committee.

TO FIGHT THE MARTIN ACT.

Committee Appointed to Arrange for a Public Meeting of Taxpayers.

The members of the Board of Trade together with a large number of citizens who are opposed to the enforcement of the Martin Act for the collection of back taxes prior to 1880, met last evening in the Board of Trade rooms and discussed the matter at great length. There were several present who were not at the first meeting and they were attracted for the reason that they had learned that they are affected by the act. A committee, consisting of J. Fred MacDonald, chairman, F. C. Lounsbury, secretary, W. R. Codington, Seaman Williams and George Hallock, was appointed to arrange for a meeting to be held in the Board of Trade Rooms next Wednesday evening. At this time steps will be taken to proceed more definitely in the matter. Everyone present last evening expressed themselves in emphatic terms regarding the recent action of the City Council, and they are determined to fight the affair to a finish.

Tumble Broke Fritz's Arm.

Fritz the seven-year-old son of John Weichers, of Eighth street and Grant avenue, took a tumble from a bicycle in front of his father's house Wednesday evening, and fractured his right arm above the wrist. He was taken into the house in great pain and Dr. Endicott was summoned and set the injured bone. Friz will now have to forego the pleasure of bicycling for a time until the fracture mends.

—Don't forget that on Saturday, June 26th the members of Watchung Lodge, International Order of Machinists, will run their annual excursion to Highland Beach. This is the first excursion of the season and a good time is promised all who go.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Thomas Callahan will commence next week the erection of two houses on Richmond street, opposite the grocery store.

—Crane & Clark, hatters, of 120 West Front street, have purchased a large line of summer samples, hats and caps, and will sell them at half value tomorrow.

—The picnic of the Unitarian Sunday-school, which was planned for tomorrow, has been postponed on account of illness in two or three of the families interested.

—The closing out sale at Jaquett's gents furnishing goods store is a great success. Just now he is offering a large assortment of outing shirts at very low prices.

—Grand Deputy G. N. Busby, of Merchantville, paid a fraternal visit to Greenbrook Council, Royal Arcanum, last evening. An interesting meeting was held and one proposition received.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. G. Kennedy Newell is ill at her home, 445 West Fifth street.

H. C. Adams and family, of Sixth street, are stopping at Asbury Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Matthews, of Washington Park, are registered at Monmouth Beach.

Henry Beekman, of Liberty Corner, has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Louis C. Ely, of 434 West Fourth street.

The condition of Rev. G. Kennedy Newell, of Hope chapel, who has been ill for a week with scarlet fever, is slightly improved.

Right Rev. Bishop McFaul, of Trenton, before leaving North Plainfield this morning, made a friendly call on Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McCullough.

Musical Season Ended.

The fourth season of the Thursday Evening Musical Club came to an end last evening, when the members the club were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. French, of Willow avenue. All the selections in the first part were compositions of Johannes Brahms. A paper on that composer was read by Franklin P. Noble. There were piano solos by Miss French and Miss May V. Whitney, vocal solos by Mrs. Asa Collier, Arthur A. Freeman, Miss Julia J. Ketcham and Elmer E. Runyon, to one of which James Petrie played a violin obligato. James Petrie played a violin solo Mrs. Collier and the Misses Caroll sang a trio and there was a selection by the chorus.

Received the Full Voltage.

Clarence Varian, of East Fifth street, a prominent New York electrician having an office on Beaver street, met with an accident yesterday that came very near proving fatal. He was working among some electric wires when one of his assistants turned on the current, not knowing that he was around. He received a shock from the current which was 1,000 volts strong. An ambulance was called but the man in charge refused to take him, saying that he was dead. A doctor examined him and after working over him for some time, restored him to consciousness. He soon recovered and was able to return to Plainfield in the afternoon, feeling few ill effects from the shock.

Welcomed Home From School.

Miss Ida Henry, of 411 East Third street, returned last week from Howard University, at Washington, D. C., where she has been pursuing a course of study during the past school year. In honor of her return, Jesse Henry, her brother, and Robert Stevens gave Miss Henry a reception last evening. About thirty guests were present to offer congratulations upon the success of her year's work at college. Late in the evening light refreshments consisting of cake, lemonade and ice-cream were served. Messrs. Ardis and Toney furnished excellent music.

Death of Mrs. Beach.

Mrs. Lydia Beach, wife of the late Joseph Beach, who died last July, passed away suddenly at an early hour this morning. She was visiting relatives at Williamsport, Pa. Mrs. Beach was the mother of Mrs. W. A. Woodruff, of East Second street. Her remains will be taken to Rahway for interment beside those of her husband.

PENSION OFFICE PLAYS DETECTIVE.

Reuniting Families as a Side Issue in Its Business.

The Pension Office, besides examining into pension claims and passing on them, does an enormous amount of other business in the way of reuniting families—we find husbands for wives, wives for husbands, parents for children and children for parents. Only recently a case came under my observation which illustrates my meaning, and 'tis a sample of a number of others. An application was received from a lady who applied for a widow's pension. She gave the name of her husband, his service, company and regiment. In looking into the claim it was found that the husband was alive and drawing a pension through the pension agency at Chicago. The woman, who resides in Massachusetts, was so informed, says the Washington Star.

Immediately came a reply from her asking the address of the man, which was furnished. A correspondence ensued between them, and when they satisfied themselves that they were on the right track they arranged a meeting. The man thought that his wife had died, and at the close of the war entered the regular army and went West. The woman, not hearing from her husband, became convinced that he had been killed or had died. She was unofficially informed that he had died in a hospital, and supposed it was a fact. In the meantime she had married again. Her second husband had died, and had been dead over ten years when she applied for a pension.

Another case I call to mind is that of a soldier who originally lived at Niagara Falls. He went in the army and served under Sherman. At the close of the war he settled in New Orleans. He had positive information that his wife had died, but he was never able to get any information as to what had become of his three children, except that they had been sent to an orphan asylum. He did not know in what State the orphan asylum was located. Neither did the children know whether their father was dead or alive, though from what they had been able to pick up in the way of information from time to time they concluded that he had passed to the other side.

It happened that the daughter of the soldier not only grew up to be a beautiful woman, but had married a wealthy man. She wrote to the War Department to learn of the whereabouts of her father's grave, but there was no record of it. She then wrote to the Pension Office for the address of a man she had heard served with her father, and who at one time lived at Niagara Falls. The ending of it all was that the children found the father and the father found his children. There are hundreds of such cases, though, of course, the number of them is becoming smaller as time passes.

WOMAN IN FINLAND.

That Country More Progressive for Women than Generally Supposed.

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Sunflower Seed Oil.

Dr. Wiley, the chemist of the Agricultural Department in Washington, says that, in his opinion, the coming salad oil will be made of sunflower seed. It is a perfect substitute for olive oil, and will be so cheap that it may be used on the poor man's table. His remark was probably meant to encourage farmers in raising sunflower seed, but it is likely to work the other way. Farmers prefer to raise something that will be dear, and not cheap. —New York Tribune.

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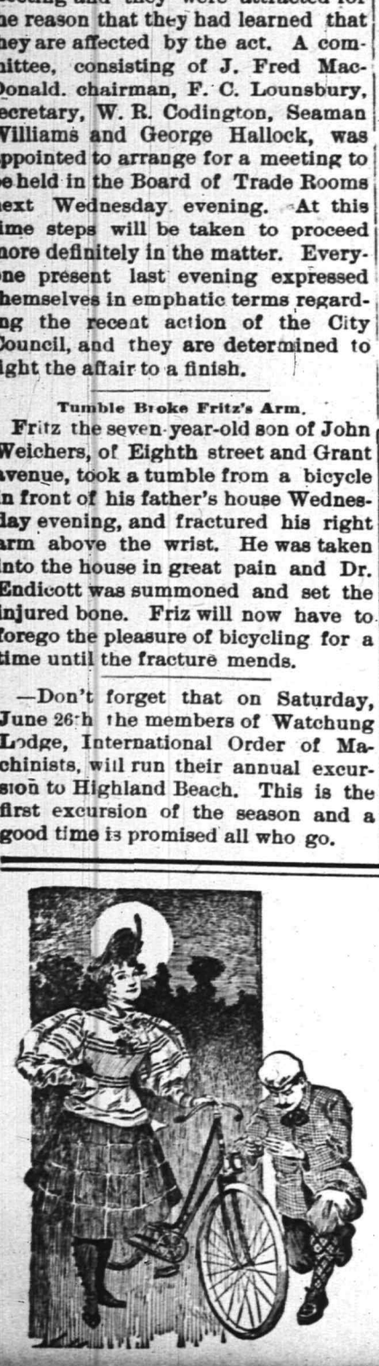

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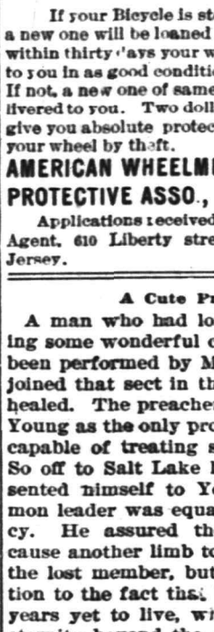

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PROFITS OF THE FETE.

TOWN IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION CLEARED $1,650 72.

The Gross Receipts Were $1,850—Grateful Appreciation Expressed to All Those Who Assisted in Making It a Success.

The press committee of the recent Fete Champetre, composed of Mrs. Benjamin J. Shreve, Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, Miss Harriett P. Shreve and H. P. Reynolds, have sent the following letter to The Press:

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—The members of the Town Improvement Association desire through your columns to return their sincere and hearty thanks to all who contributed to make successful the Fete Champetre held in Johnston Park the afternoon and evening of Saturday, June 12th.

They report the gross receipts of the Fete Champetre a little over $1,850, with the net receipts $1,650.72. In their acknowledgment, they deem the first recognition is due the public press, who have generously given the use of their columns from the inception of the enterprise to its final successful accomplishment. In these thanks are included not only the local papers, but the newspapers of neighboring towns and cities that have given liberal notice and commendation of the entertainment.

To all the committees and heads of committees, who have planned wisely and executed faithfully, the most hearty thanks are extended.

The city police and the High School cadets, who gave their services for the maintenance of order and protection of property, are deserving of especial praise and sincere gratitude.

An organization, one of whose aims is the cultivation of care-taking habits, cannot but take pleasure in thanking the public for the great care of the grounds at Johnston Park, so that Mrs. Mali reports no injury or damage done.

To the donors of the entrance decorations, who gave all the materials and work for the effective adorning of the gateway, grateful thanks are tendered.

The donors of time, work and material in various departments, outside of the committees, to whom thanks are due, and whose names have come to the press committee, are the following: Marsh & Ayres, Smalley Brothers, Rushton & Hansen, DeWitt Ivins, Pearson & Gayle, Chas. Debele, Union County Country Club, Trolley Car Company, Central Railroad Company, F. A. Dunn, Mr. DeRevere, Miantonomoh Tribe, Plainfield Electric Light Company, J. Tier, John Butcher, William Peterson and the O'Donahue Coffee Company, of New York.

In an enterprise so large as this there are many workers, who, like silent partners, contribute greatly to its success, whose names appear on no committee, and whose donations are not reported, of whom there is of necessity no official recognition. To all such, and all who have served in any way the interests of the Fete, hearty thanks are extended.

A TEMPERANCE SERVICE.

Presbyterian Endeavorers to Have an Interesting Meeting.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the First Presbyterian church will hold an interesting temperance service tomorrow evening at 6:45, to which everyone is heartily welcome to attend and take a general part. Special music will be rendered by Miss Lottie Messerschmidt, who will sing a solo; violin will accompany the piano. There will be an autoharp solo entitled "Where is My Wandering Boy Tonight," which beautiful piece was written and composed by Rev. Robert Lowry, of Madison avenue. There are perhaps few pieces which can excel this one. Also recitations by little children and interesting statistics of intemperance in the United States. Altogether the service is assured to be one well worth attending. Come and bring a friend with you and then go into the church after it is over.

Dr. Brett to Talk on Vacation.

The Plainfield Local Christian Endeavor Union will meet Tuesday evening, in the Congregational church, to listen to Dr. Cornelius Brett, vice-president of the New Jersey State Union, who will deliver an address upon the subject "The Summer Vacation." He will be followed by Rev. C. E. Herring, of Plainfield, who is to conduct a ten minute open parliament upon the same subject. Service of song led by Mr. H. J. Martin will begin promptly at 7:45. Solo singing will be a feature of the evening.

A Deserved Honor.

Rev. Charles J. Kelley, A. M., of Hoboken, a former resident of Plainfield, has had the title LL.D. conferred on him by the faculty of Seton Hall College.

TROLLEY PLANS BALKED.

DISASTROUS HITCH IN THE ATTEMPT TO GO UP THE MOUNTAIN.

It Seems Impossible to Get the Consent of Two Property Owners on the Latest Route Surveyed for The Extension

After many attempts, it now looks as if the promoters of a trolley road to Washingtonville and the Mountain Park Inn were doomed to failure for the time being. A last attempt made by the Mountain Park Land Company to lay out a new route for the road met with the same obstacle as the projected road by Washingtonville. There were two property owners who presistently declared their decision of not allowing a trolley road to cross their property.

The railroad company has a large number of men out of work at the present time, and who could, without trouble, be sent here and have the extension laid in twenty days. The Mountain Park Land Company, knowing this, went to the expense of having an entire new route surveyed. It was found that it was possible to reach the Inn by a line from this side of the mountain different from the one already selected. The grades were ascertained and the route laid out.

Then came the work of obtaining the consent of the owners of the property through which the proposed route passes. All but two were won over, but those two would not allow the trolley to pass that way. So it was that the plan had to be given up. It now looks as if the trolley would not be seen at the Inn this summer at least, and the officers of the Land Company have almost given up hope of connecting their property with Plainfield by trolley.

ROW OVER A LOVE FEAST

ELIZABETH DEMOCRATIC MEETING BREAKS UP IN A SQUABBLE

One Faction, It Is Said, are Disgruntled Over the Actions of the Ones Arranging the Harmony Dinner at the Clark Hotel.

It has leaked out that the Elizabeth Democratic Executive Committee had a stormy meeting Thursday night, says the Newark News, at which harmony was thrown to the winds and the session broke up in a lively row. One prominent Democrat was fiercely raked over the coals and accused of being a disturbing element in the path of harmony. His alleged political sins were set forth by the reading of a pamphlet containing several typewritten pages, his chief accuser being a well-known lawyer and former prominent member of the Board of Education. The attack so disgusted some of the committeemen that they abruptly left the meeting and all attempts to conciliate those who remained proved fruitless.

With the harmony dinner only ten days distant, this does not augur well for its success in reconciling the warring Democratic factions in Union county. It seems that the City Democratic Executive Committee had planned for an outing on the steamer Blackbird and a dinner at Glen Island with the object of bringing together all the prominent Democrats in the county, and had figured the cost of the undertaking. But the other harmony faction spoiled this scheme by securing the Clark Hotel for a dinner and rushing out invitations. Now several of the city committeemen are so angry at this march, which they claim was stolen on them, that they won't go to the love feast, the tickets for which are $2 each.

The harmony dinner will take place at the Clark Hotel, June 28th. It is alleged that many prominent Democrats have been snubbed, and their friends who have been invited declare they will send their tickets back to William J. Lansley, the secretary of the Union Democratic Clubs.

Among those who, it is said, have been turned down by the "harmonizers" and not invited are Former Clerk of the State Senate and ex-Assemblyman John J. Matthews, Former Sheriff Hicks, and Former Alderman James Mead, of Rahway. The prime movers in the dinner are called by the other fellows "youthful political Warwicks," who want to run things and ignore the veterans of the party.

It is rumored that Prosecutor Marsh will not attend the dinner. Others who will refuse to attend, it is said, are City Clerk Manning and Former Assemblyman Kelly. Rahway promises to send quite a delegation, but it is in Elizabeth that most of the dissatisfaction is showing itself.

Father Stafford's New Charge.

Rev. John A. Stafford, formerly assistant pastor of St. Mary's church, and recently connected with Seton Hall College, has been appointed pastor of St. Augustine's church in the town of Union.

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DOGS DISPELLED SLEEP.

BOROUGH RESIDENTS UP IN ARMS OVER THEIR HOWLS AND BARKS.

The Old Electric Station Utilized for a Pound and the Nearby Neighbors Object to the Noises Made by the Captive Pups.

It is only of late that the dogs of the borough have been the victims of a lively campaign on the part of Dog Catcher Vaughn. Consequently the dogs were indignant at such treatment and howled with unusual vigor when locked up in the old electric light station, in the rear of W. L. and J. M. Smalley's meat market on Somerset street, which has degenerated to a dog pound. The noise had its effect and the neighbors have brought such pressure to bear that the electric light station will no longer bear the indignity of being a dog pound.

When the campaign against the stray canines of the borough was inaugurated, there were very few dogs to incarcerate in the pound. Those that did land there were such weak and miserly specimens of the canine family that they troubled no one by their whines and howls. During the last week, the dog catcher has been active and several dozen angry canines were landed in the pound.

It was Thursday night that the convention of canines began its proceedings, the nights previous having been merely the scene of preliminary committee meetings. There were several pet dogs that had strayed away from home and landed in the pound while the mongrel curs were there in full force.

"I want to go home," howled a big black dog as he gazed at the window.

"So do I," whimpered a little black and-tan as he curled up in the corner to hide his tears.

"Lets all howl so that Will Smalley will get mad and come and let us out," suggested a bright little Scotch terrier, and his suggestion was adopted by a unanimous vote.

Will Smalley lives in one of the flats over Arnold's grocery on the corner and he was given the full benefit of the noise. Sleep was impossible while the dogs were in a place safe from boot jacks and other weapons of nocturnal warfare. Twice the noise became so hideous that Smalley rose and started to draw on his boots with the intention of going down and letting out the dogs. Then he remembered that he was a law abiding citizen of North Plainfield and returned to bed to listen to the canine concert.

Smalley slept very little during the night and bright and early yesterday morning he went to consult his lawyer, City Judge DeMeza, regarding the way to make sleep in that neighborhood possible. The Judge held a conference with Mayor Wilson, of the borough, and impressed upon the latter the necessity of sleep for weary men. So the Mayor promised that the pound should go to some other quarters. Where it is to be moved to nobody knows at present unless it is the Mayor, but it surely will go, for Mayor Wilson is a man who can be relied upon to carry out his promises.

Mr. Emmons, of Prospect place, has a pet dog which he thinks a great deal of and when the dog catcher came along recently and captured the little fellow there was trouble. It appears that the dog has not been registered and when Mr. Emmons called for his canine he was informed that he would have to pay $1 for registering the animal and $1 50 to redeem him. This Mr. Emmons refused to do because he considered the price exorbitant. Up to last evening Mr. Emmons had failed to redeem the dog and it is said that he will bring the matter to the attention of the borough authorities.

Relief Association Needs Funds.

There is no more worthy object for help than the Relief Association of this city. Its object is to relieve the poor and needy in a systematic way and it has accomplished much. Now that association makes an appeal to the people of Plainfield that should be speedily answered. The Association needs funds badly. There is an indebteness that should be cleared away. Will those who are liberally inclined please remember the situation and send their financial aid before they go away on their summer vacation so as to help the officers of the association out of their present dilemma.

Praise for Local Health Board.

Dr. Hunt, of the State Board of Health, speaks very highly of the efficiency of the Plainfield Board. He says that it is in striking contrast to the Boards of many other cities. He greatly commends their action in the present scarlet fever scare, and says that they have taken every precaution possible to prevent its spread. With such a Board, Plainfield need not fear any widespread epidemic.

CHURCH UNITY AT ZERO.

A LIVELY MEETING OF FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST MEMBERS.

Rev Mr. Thomas Lectured the Members for Not Supporting the Society Better—Says He Cannot Preach For $3.90 a Week.

For sometime past the members of the First Church of Christ have been at variance with each other regarding the government of the church affairs, and from time to time there has been an occasional break in the general harmonious state of things. Last evening the trouble seemed to have reached a climax when a special meeting was held after the prayer meeting. Rev. Mr. Thomas, who has been acting pastor for sometime past, occupied the chair and directed the members into the business to be considered, the first of which was the election of three deacons. It was the desire of several present that B. W. Hand be selected as one of the deacons, while others wanted someone else. D. Conover, J. H. Staats and David Bush were chosen after much discussion.

The next officer elected was the treasurer and Mrs. E. E. Brown was chosen for that position. Miss Anna Fenner was chosen as secretary.

At this point a most lively time followed. The question as to who should be organist and who should look after the music was raised. There were many minds and many opinions. Some desired that the position be an elective one, while others wanted it an appointive one. Several resolutions were offered on both sides and the discussion became so animated and confused that the pastor was obliged to call the members to order. There was a desire on the part of some that the music be left in the hands of the Ladies' Aid Society and the supporters of this movement finally gained their point, although at first the women objected and said that they did not consider that it was their place to take charge of the music.

The question of assistant organist, chorister and assistant chorister were left for further consideration.

This concluded the business of the evening, but before the meeting closed Rev. Mr. Thomas stated that he had something to say which the members would not like, probably. He then went on to say that for several months past he had been coming from New York to Plainfield and acting as pastor. He did not consider that the members had been taught to pay a pastor commensurate with his services, and he thought it was about time something should be done in this direction. He said that there was only a comparative few who were paying anything toward the salary of the pastor.

Continuing, Mr. Thomas said, "If you say so, I will take the very first train I can get and go home and stay there. If you think that you can get another man to come here and preach for you for $3.90 a week, the amount you are paying me, you had better get him, and get him quick, for I will gladly give up the charge."

Mr. Thomas then gave his audience a strong lesson in supporting the church and the pastor. He also said that he was willing to remain as pastor and work heart and soul with the people and officers if they would do their share, but if they intended to keep him they would have to give better support.

To the pastor's remarks there was no reply, and after singing a hymn the benediction was pronounced by Mr. Thomas.

TO INCREASE THEIR FEES.

New Scale May Be Adopted by Physicians of Elizabeth.

A movement is on foot among the physicians in Elizabeth to increase their fees under certain conditions. At the present time many of the doctors charge the same amount whether they are called to attend a patient at noon or midnight, making additional charges when called between the hours of midnight and seven o'clock in the morning.

The new plan, as suggested and adopted by the Clinic Society, is to charge double the rates for calls made after six o'clock in the evening and before seven o'clock in the morning.

After the Finny Tribe.

Of late there has been several ambitious Plainfielders who have sought the various streams in this vicinity in search of fish and most all have had good luck Edward Smith, of Fourth street, succeeded in landing a 16 pound carp from the pond at New Market a few days ago, and Frank Vosseler came home from the same place with a basket full of eels and bass. Daniel VanWinkle, of West Front street, caught a 4 pound bass in the New Market waters, and Lawyer W. K. McClure spent the largest part of a day at the same place and came home with an empty basket.

SEEKING A JAIL SITE.

IT SEEMS PROBABLE THAT THE CITY WILL HAVE TO BUILD.

The City Officials Are Unable to Find a Landlord Who is Willing to Rent a Building to Quarter the Prisoners In.

Time goes on and still the local offenders are stowed away with the vermin in the rookery which has acted in the capacity of city jail for so many years. It is not the fault of the police or the police committee of the Common Council, however, that the change has not been already made.

It will be remembered, as The Press stated at the time, that the city jail was condemned by the Board of Health and the city authorities were instructed to repair the old place and put it in habitable condition or else secure new quarters. There would have been a change long ago but that the scheme of a city hall has hung fire and the Council did not wish to build a new jail separate from the city hall if the latter was to be erected at once. Now they have been compelled to take some action and not wait for the building of a city building.

The police committee has been looking about the city ever since the notification of the Board of Health was received, trying to find a suitable location for the jail. It was thought that temporary quarters might be rented until the city hall was built. There are a number of places that suited the committee but the idea of a city jail occupying their property did not suit the owners of the buildings in question. The residents living in the neighborhood of the suggested buildings also seriously objected to living near the lock-up. So the matter has been going on and on until it looks as if it will be necessary for the city to build the jail itself.

A Plainfielder, who stands high in city government, said the other day that it was very probable that a jail, containing court room, police headquarters and cells, would be erected by the city. The money, he said, could be borrowed and the interest would be less than the present rental of the city jail and court.

MET DEATH ON THE RAIL.

A PLAINFIELD COLORED MAN KILLED AT SOUTH TRENTON.

Daniel Upsher and Another Young Man Caught in a Death Trap on a Bridge—Both of Them Killed by Being Run Down.

A horrible accident which resulted in the death of Daniel Upsher, a colored man, formerly of this city, occurred on the Pennsylvania Railroad tracks at South Trenton, yesterday afternoon, shortly after dinner.

Upsher, in company with a seven-year-boy named Joseph Harmon, had been fishing, and both were killed by an express train due there from Philadelphia at 12:47 o'clock.

Accounts differ as to just how the accident happened. One report is that they were sitting on a bridge fishing. The screech of a whistle was heard and Harmon jumped to his feet, but became confused and stood on the track in front of the approaching train. Upsher saw the boy's danger and jumped to his rescue, and both were struck and hurled to their death.

Another report given by an eye-witness is that they were standing by the tracks waiting for a freight to pass They went behind it and ran across the tracks as soon as it passed, and were struck by the express, which they had not noticed approaching.

Upsher received his injuries in the back, and was not much disfigured, while the boy Harmon was so badly mangled that he could be identified only by his clothes.

Upsher was twenty-two years old. His mother, Mrs. Randolph, lives on Sycamore street in this city. For several years he has lived in this city. He was an expert musician and was once employed at the Revere House and also at the Casino.

He was a member of the Mt. Olive Baptist church and of the Plainfield colored Y. M. C. A.

The remains will be brought to this city for burial, as soon as possible.

NO NEW CASES.

Favorable Report Made by the Board of Health.

The following statement is furnished uy the Board of Health:

On June 16th, eight new cases of scarlet fever were reported to this Board; on the 17th, five new cases; on the 18th, two new cases; and up to noon today, no new cases have been reported. This showing is very satisfactory, and the Board has reason to think that there will be no serious extension of the epidemic.

The Borough Board of Health has only had two cases; one reported June 15th and 17th each.

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DIED VERY SUDDENLY.

MRS. WILLIAM NEWCORN PASSED AWAY IN A NEW YORK DRUG STORE.

Had Been Shopping in the Metropolis and Was Apparently in Good Health Until Just a Few Minutes Before Her Death.

With hardly a moment's morning, Mrs. Rachael Newcorn, wife of Justice William Newcorn, of this city, was yesterday stricken down with heart failure in a New York drug store and passed away before a doctor could be called.

Mrs. Newcorn was well-known in this city where she has resided for many years. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dreier, of West Front street and Madison avenue, and was about thirty years of age. Last winter she was very ill and her life was despaired of but she gradually improved until she was able to be out again and was considered in good health until the time of her death. Yesterday morning Mrs. Newcorn and her sister, Miss Bertha Dreeir, went to New York do do some shopping. The former seemed perfectly well. After doing their errands, they started down town to visit Mr. Newcorn's mother at her home on Second street. They were a block from their destination when suddenly Mrs. Newcorn complained that her eyes pained her. They went into a drug store on the corner to get something for it.

While in the store, Mrs. Newcorn was seized with dizziness and was compelled to sit down. She soon became unconscious and passed away in a few momets. A doctor was hurriedly summoned, but arrived too late to be of any service. He said that she had died of heart failure.

Her husband and relatives in this city were quickly notified and Mr. Newcorn left for New York at once. The remains will be brought to this city, this afternoon.

Mrs. Newcorn leaves two children, Isadore and Yette.

Mrs. Newcorn was always interested in the work of her husband and was a frequent visitor at his office. She was a member of the Hebrew synagogue in this city. She also belonged to Iona Council, Degree of Pocohontas.

Mr. and Mrs. Newcorn have been living on West Front street, near New street. She was devoted to the care of her children and her home.

The store in which Mrs. Newcorn died was the dispensary of Theo. F. Heller, M. D., 17 Avenue B.

HOW TO STUDY THE BIBLE.

Best Methods of Getting at the Gist of the Scriptures.

The Christian Endeavor meeting held last evening at the Park Avenue Baptist church was one of the best in the history of the society. The leader, J. Harry Manning, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., talked most earnestly and profitably upon the subject assigned, "The Best Way to Study the Bible," citing various methods adopted by noted Bible students. The remainder of the meeting was fully occupied by prayer and testimony, many of the Endeavorers relating their own experience in the line of Bible study. Several members from the East Third Street Mission Christian Endeavor Society were present and participated to the pleasure and profit of all those who were there to listen to their earnest words.

In Honor of Her Cousin.

Miss J. Louise Jenkins entertained a number of her friends, last evening, at her home on West Second street, in honor of her cousin, Miss Ella Whitall, who has just moved to this city from the west. A conversation party occupied the first part of the evening, and then came other games, refreshments and general sociabilty.

Contract for a Costly Dwelling.

The contracts were given out last evening for the erection of a two-story and attic dwelling to be erected at the corner of Grant and Sherman avenues by Dr. Frank S. Wells, of Central avenue. The residence will cost about $10,000 and will be complete in every particular. The architect is Joseph B. DeRemer, of Little Washington. The contract for carpenter work was awarded to Wyman & Haberle and William Pangborn secured the contract for the mason work. A. M. Griffen will do the plumbing. The work will be started at once and the cellar will be excavated on Monday.

Injuries Quite Serious.

E. A. Vermeule, who was injured in a runaway accident on Park avenue yesterday morning, is in a more critical condition than was at first supposed. He is confined to the house today under Dr. Probasco's care, suffering from injuries to his left arm and right knee. He is also suffering from bruises about the body, where the horse kicked him.

LITTLE WORK DONE.

Tariff Debate Drifts Into Political Discussion.

MR. MORGAN'S SWEEPING AMENDMENT

He Proposes a 10 Per Cent Ad Valorem Duty on All Free Articles, With Few Exceptions—Talk on Wool.

Washington, June 19.—The tariff bill came to a halt in the senate, less than one page of the flax schedule being disposed of. The debate drifted into political channels, Senators Bacon, Vest, Jones of Arkansas and Tillman taking part in an exposition of Democratic doctrine on the tariff. It led to several lively exchanges, during which the cleansing of political dirty linen was frequently referred to.

Mr. Tillman's remarks were made with his characteristic vehemence, and at one point he frankly stated, concerning the tariff, that if there was to be stealing he wanted his share for South Carolina. Late in the day Mr. Morgan proposed a sweeping amendment to place a 10 per cent ad valorem duty on all articles now on the free list, with a few stated exceptions.

In supporting the amendment Mr. Morgan called attention to the singular fact that the income tax feature of the Wilson bill is not repealed and can be enforced by a change in the personnel of the supreme court of the United States.

The following nominations were confirmed: Howard M. Kutchin of California, to be agent at the salmon fisheries of Alaska; James C. Boatman of California, assistant agent at salmon fisheries of Alaska; Frank H. Morris of Ohio, auditor for navy department; Colonel Anson Mills, Third cavalry, to be brigadier general; Major John Simpson to be deputy quartermaster general, with rank of lieutenant colonel; Captain J. W. Pope, assistant quartermaster, to be quartermaster, with rank of major; Captain J. C. Hester, Third artillery, to be major; First Lieutenant A. G. Quay, Third cavalry, to be captain and assistant quartermaster.

The Tariff on Wool.

Washington, June 19.—The advocates in the senate of an increase in the duty on wool have held a meeting and decided upon the following as the rates which they will ask the committee to fix on wool:

First class, in grease, unskirted, 10 cents per pound; in grease, skirted, 12 cents per pound; if washed, double these rates; if scoured, treble.

Second class, in grease, unskirted, 11 cents per pound; in grease, skirted, 13 cents; if washed, double; if scoured, treble.

Third class, worth not exceeding 6 cents per pound, 3 cents duty; worth over 6 cents, or not exceeding 10, 5 cents per pound; worth over 10 cents per pound, 8 cents duty; if scoured, treble.

These rates are much higher than those originally fixed by the senate committee, and the wool men regard them as more advantageous than those of the house bill or those of the McKinley law.

There were present at the meeting 12 or 15 senators, representing all the states in which wool is an industry of special importance.

The near approach of the wool schedule in the senate's consideration of the tariff bill has caused the subject of the wool duties to receive unusual attention. There was at one time a prospect of a Republican caucus on the subject, but it was decided instead to present the claims of the wool men to the finance committee, with the hope that they would concede the increases asked.

If the concession is not made, a caucus is probable.

The Massachusetts Off For the Jubilee.

Boston, June 19.—The United States battleship Massachusetts, which arrived here May 26 to participate in the unveiling of the Shaw monument and receive the bronze statue of Victory from the commonwealth, will leave here for St. Johns, N. F., where she is to assist in the golden jubilee festivities at that port. Pilot Franklin B. Wellock, who brought the battleship around from New York, will navigate the vessel to the outer light. The Massachusetts will return here in about two weeks in order that the naval brigade may hold its annual tour of duty on board.

Cashier's Shortage Increasing.

Lockport, N. Y., June 19.—The shortage in the accounts of William H. Scott, the New York Central railroad cashier, which was thought to be about $500, is now estimated at over twice that amount. An examination was made last November and all Scott's accounts were found in perfect order. It is supposed his peculations date from that time. Auditor Pollock of the New York Central, who has been conducting the investigation, refuses to make any statement concerning the shortage.

Bank Cashier Dies Suddenly.

Northfield, Vt., June 19.—Carey B. Thayer, treasurer and cashier of the Northfield Savings bank, died suddenly of apoplexy. He was 73 years of age and one of the early settlers of the town and had been connected with the bank since its institution, in 1867. He was one of the most prominent business men in Washington county.

Hearing on Bridge Plan Changes.

Washington, June 19.—Secretary Alger has consented to grant a hearing to J. S. Clarkson, the president of the New York and New Jersey Bridge company, next Wednesday upon the application of the company for permission to change its plans for the bridge which indirectly affects the entire bridge franchise.

Apportionment to Agricultural Societies.

Albany, June 19.—The state agricultural department has completed the apportionment of moneys to agricultural societies of the state under the provisions of chapter 948 of the laws of 1896. The total amount of money apportioned is $44,679.25 which is divided among 81 agricultural societies.

Weather Predictions.

Generally fair weather; light, variable winds.

THE AUTHOR KNOWN.

Identity of Vulgar Letter Writer Disclosed by Suit of a Valet.

CASE RECALLS A FORMER SENSATION.

The Servant Complains That He Was Not Paid For His Services In Ascertaining the Authorship of the Scurrilous Letters.

New York, June 19.—The writer of the scurrilous anonymous letters on Knickerbocker club paper concerning the marriage of Miss Grace Wilson to Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., is known.

This fact has just been made public through a suit brought against the multimillionaire banker, Richard T. Wilson, by his former valet, Albert V. Sugden, for $1,030, $1,000 of which, he says, he was promised for discovering the author of the letters, and the remainder was promised as increased salary for two months.

Now he alleges that although he did secure the desired information he was never remunerated for so doing.

Sugden is a bright young Englishman. He was discharged from Mr. Wilson's service on Feb. 7 last, after the excitement caused by the reception of the letters had somewhat passed away. He claims that he has been unable to get another position because of alleged bad reports Mr. Wilson has made as to his character.

In Sugden's petition, which was drawn by Lawyer Robert P. Noah, he says that Mr. Wilson engaged him on Dec. 14, 1896, to find out who wrote the anonymous letters.

He was to secure, according to the petition, "evidence necessary to determine, ascertain and locate the party or parties who had circulated certain reports derogatory to and concerning the plaintiff's daughter, which said reports derogatory to his said daughter had become public property through the publication and medium of the public press."

Sugden declares that Banker Wilson did not keep his promise.

De Lancey Nicoll, as attorney for Mr. Wilson, has put in an answer to the suit. He denies that the valet was employed to do detective work and that Mr. Wilson promised to raise his wages $15 a month. The case is on the calendar of the supreme court.

Compromise Not to Be Considered.

The suit was begun on April 14, but was held back with the hope that a compromise might be effected. Mr. Wilson, however, would not consider the matter.

The marriage of young Mr. Vanderbilt and Miss Wilson took place in July 1896. The groom's family objected to the alliance, and the wedding resulted in an estrangement between the young man and his father. The anonymous persecution of the young couple began before their marriage and was kept up for several weeks.

Letters denouncing them both were sent to the bride and bridegroom. The letters were written upon the paper of the Knickerbocker and Metropolitan clubs, and they were fastened with the seals of these clubs. That fact naturally caused the public to think that the writer was a member of these clubs.

The author, desiring to have the attacks printed, sent several letters to well known newspaper writers.

The motive of the anonymous persecution could not be conceived. There was no mention of money in the letters and the theory of blackmail was untenable. Disappointment in love was suggested, but those who knew Mrs. Vanderbilt all through her girlhood declared that she never had such an entanglement. The attack was so unexpected, so undeserved, that no one could suggest a reasonable motive for it.

Society People at Odds.

The Vanderbilts and Wilsons are at Newport. They meet nearly every day, but they do not speak. A family feud that may be long continued was caused by the marriage of Mr. Vanderbilt and Miss Wilson.

The wedding of the young couple was preceded by several sensations. The first announcement of the wedding was made by Miss Wilson's father on June 10, 1896, and the date was fixed at June 18.

But at that time young Mr. Vanderbilt was confined to his bed with inflammatory rheumatism, and the wedding was postponed.

Then it was rumored that Mr. Vanderbilt had decided to obey his father's wish and not marry Miss Wilson.

This was followed by the startling announcement, on July 13, that Cornelius Vanderbilt, Sr., had been stricken with apoplexy. This was caused, it was said by his son's determination to wed Miss Wilson.

The wedding occurred on Aug. 3 at the home of the bride's parents, on Fifth avenue. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. William H. Pott, assistant rector of St. Thomas' Protestant Episcopal church. The marriage was witnessed only by the members of the Wilson family and Frank L. Polke, who was best man.

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CONDITIONS OF TRADE.

Dun's Review Says There Is a Steady Gain In It.

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The retarding influence of cold and unseasonable weather has passed. The gain in business which in spite of it was seen a week ago, has become clearer to all. There is evidence of gradually enlarging business in every important department, more establishments have been set to work and more hands employed, and while prudence still hinders speculative excesses the progress toward better things is unchecked. Reports from the various cities this week show a very general progress, and a continuing large distribution through retail trade.

Stocks have been very strong, and in three days' purchases exceeded 750,000 shares, and prices, after some weeks' rise, had half a day's reaction on Wednesday, only to rise again nearly 75 cents per share on Thursday. Railroad earnings are encouraging, in June 6 per cent larger than last year and only 4.1 per cent less than in 1892, and tonnage shows improvement, especially in west bound iron products, glass, sugar and farm machinery. Failures in two weeks ending June 10 were $4,944,953, against $3,908,844 last year, $5,151,841 in the same weeks of 1895, exclusive of the Cordage failure for $9,160,000, and $6,560,025 in 1894. Manufacturing were $2,073,956, against $1,615,571 last year, and trading were $2,462,067, against $2,242,541 last year. Failures for the week have been 198 in the United States, against 276 last year and 36 in Canada, against 28 last year.

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Scores of the Baseball Games.

At New York—
New York..... 0 1 0 1 0 3 0 0 *— 5
Cleveland ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0— 0
New York—Hits, 6; errors, 0. Cleveland—Hits, 3; errors, 2.

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Baltimore ..... 1 0 3 7 0 0 0 0 *—11
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Baltimore—Hits, 16; errors, 0. Pittsburg—Hits, 16; errors, 2.

At Philadelphia—
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Washington—Hits, 10; errors, 1. Louisville—Hits, 4; errors, 1.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	33	9	.786
Boston	32	12	.727
Cincinnati	27	16	.628
New York	24	17	.585
Brooklyn	23	21	.523
Philadelphia	24	23	.510
Cleveland	22	22	.500
Pittsburg	20	23	.465
Louisville	17	27	.386
Washington	16	26	.381
Chicago	16	29	.355
St. Louis	9	38	.192

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

A tornado in Kentucky spread havoc, and two persons were killed near Irvington.

The annual Indian monsoon has fully burst, and it is raining heavily and continuously.

Corporation Counsel Scott of New York holds that the present board of aldermen cannot grant street railroad franchises.

In the senate bills were passed for public buildings at Cleveland to cost $2,500,000 and at McKeesport, Pa., to cost $200,000.

Shriver and Edwards, the newspaper correspondents charged with contempt of the senate in the sugar inquiry, were ordered acquitted by Judge Bradley.

The latest advices received at Calcutta show that almost the entire province of Assam has been devastated by the recent earthquake. The scene of ruin is described as appalling.

Rev. Lorenzo D. McCabe, D. D., LL. D., for 50 years a professor in the Ohio Wesleyan university, and a distinguished author and theologian in the Methodist Episcopal church, died at Delaware, O., in his eighty-first year.

Julia Marlowe Will Star Alone.

Chicago, June 19.—The statement that Julia Marlow and her husband, Robert Taber, will star separately next season is true. Miss Marlowe has gone to Europe to secure some new plays and will appear under the management of Mr. Frohman next season. This in nowise affects the domestic relations of Mr and Mrs. Taber. Mr. Taber will stage her plays.

Apprentice Boys to Go on a Cruise.

Newport, June 19.—The training ship Alliance, Commander Manney, has arrived from New York. The Alliance will take on a draft of 162 apprentice boys, and in a few days will proceed on the summer cruise to European waters.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western quiet but steady; city mills patents, $4.60@4.85; winter patents, $4.45@4.95; city mills clears, $4.60@4.75; winter straights, $4.05@4.20.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened quiet but firmer on higher Liverpool cables and light receipts; later was easier under favorable crop conditions; July, 74½@74¾c.; September, 70 9-16@70¾c.

RYE—Quiet; No. 2 western, 36c.

CORN—No. 2 opened dull and barely steady under large crop estimates; July, 29¾@29⅞c.; August, 30 5-16c.

OATS—No. 2 were inactive; track, white, state, 25@32c.; track, white, western, 25@32c.

PORK—Quiet; mess, $8.25@8.75; family, $9.25@10.

LARD—Quiet; prime western steam, $3.85 nominal.

BUTTER—Quiet; state dairy, 10@14c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Quiet; state, large, 8¼@8⅝c.; small, 8@8⅜c.

EGGS—Quiet; state and Pennsylvania, 12@12½c.; western, 10½@11½c.

SUGAR—Firm; fair refining, 3c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c.; refined firm; crushed, 5⅝c.; powdered, 5⅛c.

TURPENTINE—Quiet at 27½@28c.

MOLASSES—Quiet; New Orleans, 22@28c.

RICE—Quiet; domestic, 4¼@6c.; Japan, 4¼@4½c.

TALLOW—Quiet; city, 3⅛@3¼c.; country, 3⅛@3¼c.

HAY—Dull; shipping, 50c.; good to choice, 60@70c.

POWDER EXPLOSION.

Building of the Hazard Company at Hazardville Destroyed.

THREE EMPLOYEES INSTANTLY KILLED

Cause of the Disaster Will Probably Never Be Known—Windows Shattered In the Nearby Villages—Second Accident Within a Year.

Hazardville, Conn., June 19.—One of the barn crackers, a small building attached to the plant of the Hazard Powder company, was blown to pieces yesterday afternoon by the explosion of a quantity of powder. In the building at the time were three men, all of whom were instantly killed, and nearby stood a horse, owned by one of the victims, and it, too, was torn to pieces. The dead: Richard May, workman, married; Barber S. Stratton, head mechanic, unmarried, and M. W. Pierce, overseer of mills, married.

The building in which the explosion occurred, as stated above, was one of the cracker houses and formed a part of a plant of 100 small buildings in which the preparation of powder was carried on. Because of its location, near several barns, it was known as the barn cracker. Strictly speaking the building was used as a corning mill, where the powder was converted into granular form. Only one man was employed in the building at any time, and Richard May was the one who has been on duty there for some time.

The 100 workmen employed about the plant had just returned from their noon hour meal, and May as usual entered his mill. Five minutes later he came out and reported to Overseer Pierce that something was wrong with the mill, and May, accompanied by Pierce and the head machinist, B. S. Stratton, returned to the building to remedy what was wrong.

They were not seen alive again. At 1:15 the whole village was shaken by a terrific report, and the workmen, rushing out, saw the air filled with debris.

Every window pane in the vicinity was broken, and many in the village were also shattered. Buildings adjacent suffered from the damage, but none of them caught fire. Telephonic queries began to pour in from surrounding towns, indicating that the report of the explosion had been heard at a great distance.

As soon as the smoke had cleared away an investigation was begun, and it did not take long to find that three men had lost their lives. Workmen with blanched faces approached the fated "cracker," expecting to find the frightfully mutilated bodies of their comrades.

The unfortunate men had been instantly killed, and the clothing had been stripped from their bodies to some extent. Strange to say, however, the bodies of the men were not badly torn, and each of the three was easily identified.

Just how the explosion had occurred will probably never be known. It is supposed, of course, that in their efforts to repair some injury to the corning mill, some powder had been set off.

Cause of the Explosion.

Work was suspended for the rest of the afternoon, and the bodies of the victims were tenderly cared for. The entire village had rushed to the scene, and harrowing scenes were enacted when members of the bereaved families learned the truth.

No attempt has been made to estimate the money damage, the thoughts of every one having been diverted by the awful fate of the three well known villagers.

This is the second explosion which has occurred at this plant within a year. Early on the morning of Sept. 19 last, during an unusually heavy thunderstorm, one of the crackers was struck by lightning, and a vast amount of powder was exploded. The employees had not come to work at that hour, however, and there were no fatalities.

Late yesterday afternoon the officials of the Hazard Powder company authorized the following official statement of the explosion:

"At 1:20 this afternoon a corning mill was blown to pieces, and three men were killed. The money damage amounts to about $5,000. The men were in the wheelroom, and their bodies were thrown distances varying from 25 to 100 feet, but the remains were only slightly mutilated. M. W. Pierce leaves a wife and two children, Richard May a wife and two children, and B. S. Stratton was unmarried. The mill was not in operation at the time of the explosion. This building has been used as a corning mill for 30 years.

Death of a Prominent Musician.

Toronto, June 19.—Dr. Stocks Hammond, organist of St. James' cathedral, died suddenly at his home here. He was a licentiate of the London College of Music and was one of the examiners for Canada and the United States. He came to America from England in 1888 to take the appointment in St. Peter's church, Reading, Pa., where he remained till he came to St. James' cathedral. Nearly 200 anthems, songs and pianoforte pieces were written by him.

Windstorm In Indiana.

Muncie, Ind., June 19.—The west wing of the Paragon Paper mill at Eaton has been blown in during the storm. Four people are reported buried in the debris. The loss on property is $25,000. The roof on the Eaton Window Glass works was lifted off, and much damage to other property was done. In Muncie the storm damage will amount to several thousand dollars. Several large roofs were lifted, among them being that of the Hannan building.

Cyclone Near Paris.

Paris, June 19.—A cyclone swept over the villages of Bezons and Colombes, near this city. Houses collapsed, trees were torn up, telegraph wires were broken, several people were injured, and much general damage was done. At Asnieres the cyclone worked havoc. Three persons were killed and 20 seriously injured.

Spalding Not Guilty.

Chicago, June 19.—The jury in the trial of ex-Bank President Charles W. Spalding for embezzlement brought in a verdict finding the defendant not guilty.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Threatening Weather With Conditions Favorable For Occasional Thunder Storms Sunday Afternoon; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 81 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

June 22—Town Improvement Association meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Hall at 10 a. m.

Subscribers to The Daily Press who are leaving town for summer vacations can have the paper sent to their temporary address without extra expense by simply notifying the business office

FAVORS OF A CONGRESSMAN.

Representative Howell, of the Third district, has recommended the appointment of the following as postmasters: George Woolf, at Kingston, Somerset county; Wm. Broom, at Blackwell's Mills, Somerset county; Wm. Doyle, at Grand View, Somerset county; Benj. F. Lane, at West End, Monmouth county; Chester A. Burt, at Helmetta, Middlesex county. In the last instance the postmaster is re-appointed, as the office was raised from the fourth to the third class. Mr. Burt was appointed July 6th, 1896. Mr. Howell has also recommended as members of the Board of Pension examiners, which meets for the Third district in Somerville, Louis T. Reed, of Somerville, and Dr. John L. Snidon, of Jamesburg.

FERTILE SOIL.

An Oklahoma farmer wrote to a friend in the East trying to give him some idea of the soil out there. He said they have to mow the grass off the sod floor to find the baby. One family near him had twin babies with only one cradle, and the kid who had to sleep on the floor grew twice as fast as the other. Where the soil is richest a man dare not stand on one foot any length of time lest one leg becomes longer than the other and bother him in walking.—Edmond Republican.

A MASONIC HOME.

A Place for Indigent and Aged Members of the Order.

The New Jersey Masonic Grand Lodge has appointed a committee for the purpose of raising funds and procuring a home for aged and indigent members of the order and for the widows and orphans of Masons. George W. Fortmeyer, of East Orange, is chairman of the committee, and William D. Rutan, of Newark, is its secretary.

A number of properties have been offered to the committee at all kinds of prices, but the two sites that seem to meet with the most favor are the Ashurst property, in Mt. Holly, and River Rest, the old Field house on the banks of the Raritan, near Bound Brook. The latter was inspected by the committee last Sunday.

It is a three-story frame structure, containing twenty four rooms, and is surrounded by eighty-two acres of ground. The Ashurst house is of brick, and dates back almost to Revolutionary times, but an expenditure of $5,000 would make it an excellent place for a Masonic Home, it is said.

While either of the above places might be selected, there has been nothing definitely settled upon, nor will there be until more money is available.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Where Shall We Go?

Many have already settled the question, while many more are still asking "Where Shall We Go for the Summer?" Wherever else you go you should first go to Collier's and provide yourself with a pair of protection eye-glasses that they may escape injury from the fierce glare of the Summer sun.

Police on Their Vacation.

Patrolmen Vanderweg and Saffron are now doing duty in the business part of the city while Patrolman Farleigh and Higgins are on on their vacation.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Percy Ohl, of Park avenue, has returned after a trip to the West.

Miss Sue Boss, of Central avenue, has returned from a visit in Lebanon.

Charles Lister, of East Fifth street is able to be out again after a short illness.

Mr. Bowan, of East Fifth street, has about fully recovered from his severe illness.

Judge DeMeza is slightly indisposed, and was not at his office yesterday afternoon.

Tobias Maxwell, of Somerville, was the guest of Albert Stevenson, of Central avenue, yesterday.

Miss Lister, of Philadelphia, expects to visit her brother Charles Lister, of this city, in a few days.

Miss Fannie Western, of Washington avenue, has returned from a visit with her friend, Miss Lounsbury, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac L. Miller, of Watchung avenue, will sail for Europe next Wednesday. They will be absent all summer.

Miss Frankie Thorn, of East Third street, has accepted a position with Lawyer Brady as a typewriter and stenographer.

Miss Manning and Miss Hall, of Westfield, enjoyed a spin on their wheels to Plainfield yesterday and called on friends.

Miss Smith, of Newark, an expert typewriter and stenographer, has been engaged by Judge DeMeza to do some special work at his office next week.

Albert Stevenson has returned to his home in Somerville, after spending the winter on Central avenue, while completing his course at Leal's School.

Miss Gertrude Snodgrass, of Central avenue, graduated from the Newark High School last evening. She was one of the commencement speakers.

Rev. H. J. Johnston will preach a special sermon to the graduating class of the North Plainfield Public High School at Grace M. E. church, tomorrow morning.

Nathan E. Lewis, of West Eighth street, has returned to his home at Ashaway, R. I., after successfully passing his entrance examinations to Stevens Institute.

Rev. A. E. Main, pastor of the Seventh-day Baptist church, is expected back next week from Westerly, R. I., where he was called by the death of his daughter-in-law.

Augustus Hetfield, of Madison avenue, a conductor on the Long Branch division of the Jersey Central Railroad, has been confined to his home for several days with illness.

Rev. Mr. Harris, rector of the Church of the Redeemer, will preach a special sermon to the Plainfield High School cadets tomorrow morning. The cadets will assemble at the home of Captain George F. Edwards, of Duer street.

Arthur W. Lederer and Wm. A. De Long, Jr., of the Plainfield High School, have been to New York taking their preliminary examinations for Princeton University. Bryant Harman and Paul Kimball, of Leal's School, were there with the same object. Harman will enter the Lawrenceville Preparatory School next fall.

BOYS OF GOOD INTENTION.

The Crystal Society Held a Successful Lawn Festival.

The Crystal Society, composed of young boys who are determined to do nothing but what is right, held a lawn festival last evening on the lawn at the residence 65 Grandview avenue. The place was made attractive through the use of Japanese and Chinese lanterns while there was also a profusion of bunting. The attendance was large and everything was disposed of at an early hour. Those in charge of the various tables were as follows: Ice cream, Arthur Jacot, Charles Beresford, Henry Stephany, Robert Morgan, Charles Utzinger, Ernest Volkman; lemonade, Arthur Jeffrey, Joseph Farley; milk, Ernest Jackson; pop-corn, Harry Woodland; tickets, Albert Utzinger. The members of the society will meet this evening to settle accounts and learn what the profits of the affair are.

College Boys Next Year.

The graduating class at Leal's School, this year, will be represented in the different colleges as follows: Columbia, Paul Anderson; Princeton, Wm. K. Dwight and Fred Miller; Lafayette, E. Maxwell Honeyman; Lehigh, J. Vincent Rittenhouse and Everett J. Peck; Harvard, Albert Stevenson. Strange to say, there is not one of them going to Yale, while last year almost the entire class went to that centre of learning.

—MacDonald is the man who is selling fine creamery butter for 16 cents per pound. 6 18 2

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—A 30-pound drum fish can be bought for 25 cents at Cape May.

—The cherry and hay crops in Gloucester County are unusually heavy.

—MacDonald is the man who is selling fine creamery butter for 16 cents per pound. 6 18 2

—Dr. Needham will meet his Bible class Monday evening at Y. M. C. A. hall at 7:45.

—You will not make a mistake when you buy your shoes of Flynn Brothers 318 West Front street.

—The bread, cakes and pies of Schlief's bakery, 132 Park avenue, recommend themselves.

—George H. Batchelor will lead the meeting at the East Third Street Mission tomorrow evening.

—Union Lodge, Grand United Order of Odd Fellows, will hold an entertainment in Central Hall on June 24th.

—A regular meeting of Senate Lodge, Knights of Honor, was held Thursday evening and routine business was transacted.

—A strawberry and ice cream festival will be held at the home of Miss Fannie Hayes, 1139 West Seventh street, this afternoon.

—While playing on a sailboat at New Brunswick yesterday, six year-old Thomas Farley tumbled into the Raritan river and was drowned.

—The best makers of straw hats have given their best wit to these production for his seasons trade. At Blair's you will find all grades.

—Did you ever notice a hackman. He always has his foot out of his hack. Ask him whose shoes he has on. The chances are he will say Willett's.

—William C. Ayres, of West Second street, has remodeled the front of his residence by the addition of a bay window. Pierson & Gayle have the contract.

—A gang of Streeet Commissioner Gavett's men were at work yesterday morning cleaning out Cedar brook between Richmond street and Watchung avenue.

—An important public meeting of the Town Improvement Association will be held at Y. M. C. A. hall on Tuesday afternoon June 22nd at 4:30 p. m. instead of at 10 a. m.

—Two Monmouth Beach fishermen, yesterday, picked up an anto mobile torpedo which was lost from the battleship Indiana, several weeks ago. The torpedo is valued at $800.

—"The White Wings," Street Commissioner Gavett's minions, have been working upon Park avenue, scraping off the coat of mud that gathered there and made wheeling so poor.

—The Central singing brigade in charge of Ensign Dyer of the Salvation Army will have charge of the meeting in the rooms of the W. C. T. U. on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—Thomas Nevins, Jr., of the Plainfield Street Railway, was in the city Thursday inspecting the various lines of the company. He expressed himself as being very well pleased with the work.

—Captain William Hand is working on the macadamizing of West Ninth street, which is being done at the expense of the property owners. Every afternoon, after 5 o'clock, the steam roller is used there.

—Bishop Foss, with a silver trowel, laid the corner-stone yesterday for the new $60,000 Broadway Methodist Episcopal church, at Camden. This, with the $15,000 temple now finished, will give an auditorium to seat 2,500

—The National Musical Association has sent for and received a report of the work done during the year by the Thursday Evening Musical Club. The National Musical Association will hold its convention in New York on June 24th.

—The Christian Endeavor service at the First Church of Christ will be held next Wednesday evening instead of Tuesday evening. J. H. Staats will be the leader. This change is made owing to the meeting of the Local Union to be held in the Congregational church on Tuesday evening.

—Gov. Griggs has appointed Dr. Mary J. Dunlay superintendent of the State Institution for Feeble-Minded Women, at Vineland; Mrs. Williamson, of Elizabeth, and Hugh F. Fox to represent this State at the annual session of the National Conference of Charities and Corrections to be held at Toronto, Ont., in July.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

(Notices under this head are published by The Daily Press free of charge, when supplied fresh each week by authority. Copy must be in hand by 10 a. m. Saturday to insure insertion, and should be supplied Friday when possible.)

St. Joseph's (R. C.) Church—Rev. William. H. Miller, pastor. Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30; evening devotions, 8.

St. Mary's (R. C.) Church—Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor. Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; evening devotions at 8. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, William Winans Moore, lay reader—Morning service at 11 o'clock. Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m. Evening prayer at 4 o'clock with an address by Francis G. Moore.

All Souls' Church, Park avenue, (Unitarian,) Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—Preaching service at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "The Sin of Cheapness." Sunday-school at 12 m.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. Morning subject, "The Mind of Christ;" evening, "The Pick-lock of Grace."

Grace Church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector—Early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon at 10:30; Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m.; evening service at 7:45 p. m.

Church of the Redeemer, Rev. Robert V. K. Harris, minister in charge—Morning prayer and sermon at 11:45, subject, "Character Building;" evening prayer and address at 4:30, subject, "Love the Fulfilling of the Law." The High School Cadets will attend the morning service in a body.

Reform Hall—4:15 meeting will be led by Rev. W. C. O'Donnell.

First Baptist church, Rev. D. J. Yerkes, D. D., pastor—Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m.

St. Stephen's Church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon, 11; Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:45 p. m. Trolley cars run past the church every twelve minutes.

Volunteers of America, tent Somerset street opposite Manning avenue—Lieut Col. Mantz will conduct the meetings as follows: 3 p. m. and 8 p. m. All are cordially invited.

Mt. Zion A. M. E. Church, Rev. James E. Groves, pastor—There will be a grand rally with services all day. Preaching by Revs. F. S. Cox, Ross and Sturges.

Park Avenue Baptist Church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor—Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "Every Red Sea Cloven;" evening, "A Shepherd's Love." All sittings free.

Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. H. J. Johnston, pastor—Services, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Epworth League service at 7 p. m. Morning subject, "The Hidden Church." At the evening service a sermon will be delivered to the graduating class of the North Plainfield High School. Seats will be reserved in body of church for teachers and scholars of the school.

Monroe Avenue M. E. Church, Rev. William C. O'Donnell, pastor—Services at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. Epworth League, 7:15 p. m. Morning subject, "The Christian's Cross;" evening, "The Christian's Crown."

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. Chas. E. Herring, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Evening subject, "Life of St. Paul." This sermon will be illustrated and the last one of this series.

Congregational Church, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor. Morning service at 10:45; Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. There will be a special service in the evening at 7:30 with an address by Dr. Wordbury, on the subject of "Alaska and Florida," which will be illustrated with pictures and charts. Rev F. P. Wordbury, D. D., will occupy the pulpit in the morning, at which time an offering will be taken for the A. M. A.

MRS. THOMAS A. EDISON.

A Surprise for Her in Her Husband's Laboratory.

Mrs. Thomas A. Edison is a very beautiful woman. If one hears singularly little about her beauty it is undoubtedly because she never seems to think about it herself. It is all very well theoretically to say that unconsciousness enhances beauty, and for the discerning it may; but the most of people are more impressed by the woman who carries herself as if she were beautiful (as the French say) than by loveliness that has no coquetry, that shows no deep attention to the toilet, that is genuinely inattentive to its own claims. Mrs. Edison's belongs to this last type, and thus she has a naivete that the old Italian painters, at any rate, would have deeply appreciated. She looks like an Italian, for her coloring is softly, not glitteringly, brunette, with a superb complexion, the skin peculiarly fine in texture, and a rich, deep color in her cheeks. She is, perhaps, the only woman within a hundred miles of New York that is fitted by beauty and expression to make a perfect model for a Madonna. For, though she looks young, as if she were in the early twenties, she has the quiet poise of the wife and mother. She is given, in general society, to talking but little. She is as untouched by modern restlessness as if she were a Greek woman, and looks as if she could sit still for an hour any time without an effort, and at the same time she shows that she is perfectly alive, easily enterested, and responsive on the subjects that appeal to her; these are, first, Mr. Edison and her children, and next, children and their education in general. Then without the air of condescension in such cases, she devotes much time to reading detective novels with Mr. Edison. Yes, the detective novel is a favorite diversion with that great brain, and the Madonna-faced wife of his bosom is seriously attentive to his needs in this way, and continually gathers up anything she can find that she thinks will meet the case. She reads them with him, whether with any other sentiment than that of a happy sense of duty fulfilled, it is impossible to discover, but when it comes to the scientific works that he devours as a regular diet she gives up. Mrs. Edison is not scientific; she has as little affinity for physics as other typical women, and that is saying a good deal, but a true story of a recent occurrence at the great laboratory would seem to show that one might go further and say she has less affinity for physical science than most women; that less knowledge of it rubs off on her. She, with pride, was showing some friends about the laboratory and trying vaguely to tell them things; they found her more at home in cleaning the smuts off Mr. Edison's face than in any other phase of laboratory work, but still they were not prepared for her complete astonishment when a workman came along and lit a gas jet by electricity! She had never heard of such a thing before. Now, is that not a delicious story? Any one ought to recognize its veracity, for it is the kind of thing that only real life has the happy audacity to compound.—Leslie's Weekly.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Miss Della Fritts, of the borough, is enjoying a short vacation.

John Auten, of the borough, spent yesterday with friends in Plainfield.

The Greenbrook school will close for the summer, Thursday, June 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxson Dunham, of the borough, are visiting relatives in Plainfield.

Miss Maude Van Dyke, of Plainfield, was the guest of friends in the borough yesterday.

Mrs. Clarence Oakley, of New Brunswick, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Swackhamer.

Miss Fannie Smith, a teacher in the public school, is the guest of friends at Morristown for a few days.

Before long there promises to be several interesting legal cases in Justice Storms' court, New Market.

Miss Anna Gaskill, of Rahway, who has been visiting her brother, Wesley Gaskill, returned home yesterday.

Superintendent Whitney, of the public schools, and his family, will leave town in a short time to spend their vacation.

Charles Johnson, Dunellen's hustling real estate dealer, is interesting himself in South Plainfield property, and is called to that place frequently.

Joseph Nolen, of Plainfield, has secured a position as driver for Milkman Giles, of Plainfield, who has a route through Dunellen and New Market.

The members of the Grace M. E church lawn tennis association of Plainfield are the guests this afternoon of the Dunellen association of the M. E. church.

Justice Storms, of New Market, has issued summons in the cases of Werner against Blackford, and P. Casey & Son against Cronin, on contract, returnable June 22d.

Rev. L. E. Livermore, of Plainfield, is occupying the pulpit of the Seventh-day Baptist church, New Market, today, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. F. E. Peterson, who is in Wisconsin.

During the summer months the Board of Education will have all the necessary repairs made to the public school buildings and they will have the buildings thoroughly renovated.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

James Fitzgerald has embarked in the livery business.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Robinson have moved to New York city.

Rev. J. S. Braker returned yesterday from New York city.

Miss Margaret Scully, of Raritan, is visiting Mrs. William Lee.

A clambake will be held at the West Side House, this evening.

Frank Allen and T. R. Collins have returned from their visit in Liberty Corners.

Miss Huffman, of Madison, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Cook, of this place.

A lawn party was given by Miss Sadie Lee at her residence, on Front street, this afternoon from 3 until 6 o'clock.

Over seventy Knights of Pythias from Plainfield and Brooklyn will come to this place tomorrow afternoon to decorate the graves of their brethren. At the Fanwood station they will be met by the members of Goodwill Lodge, of Scotch Plains, and escorted to the cemetery. After the decoration services the Knights will march in a body to Blimm's Hotel, where they will partake of a sumptuous dinner.

—B. T. Barnes, representing the Preferred Accident Insurance company, yesterday paid William N. Tier $150.00 insurance, as the result of an accident he recently met with, at which time his wrist was broken.

—Extract of Malt is now the "general tonic" largely recommended by physicians. Nothing of a similar nature has ever equaled the consumption of this article. Mr. Rowley, of Somerset street, has just received a supply of his "Crown Brand," and is

WESTFIELD.

STUDENTS' PROUD NIGHT

HIGH SHOOL GRADUATES ITS CLASS WITH HONORS.

Westfield Township Committee Will Issue $60,000 in Sewer Bonds—Question of the Rights of Westfield Exempt Firemen.

'Mid music and flowers and the plaudits of a host of admiring friends, the graduating class of the Westfield High School last evening said goodby to school days. The Westfield Club Auditorium, where the graduating exercises were held, was much too small to accommodate those whose kindly interest in the class prompted them to attend. The program began promptly at 8 o'clock with an overture "Mazepha," by Karff's orchestra; Rev. Wm. A. Ruth, of the Methodist church made the opening prayer and Charles Ring Foster then read the salutatory. His subject, "Cuba," was well handled and showed careful preparation. Miss Clara Louise Connoly in her essay treated on "Seigfried." The High School Glee Club sang, and Miss Golanna Hazel Wallace read her essay upon "Altars of Fame." Miss Gertrude Noe's essay was entitled "Illustrations." Miss Alice Ive Love read an essay which had for its subject the class motto, "Per Angusta ad Augusta." The class history was delivered by Miss Isabel Blean Morrow, and Miss Ada Ruth delivered a well-written essay upon "Music in the Public Schools." The class prophecy by John McCormick was omitted, because of the inability of the prophet to stand upon the stage and read it, owing to an accident. After a selection by the orchestra, the valedictory was delivered by Lloyd Summerfield Thompson. All the graduates received presents of flowers from friends in the audience. After the valedictory John B. Green, president of the Board of Education, made an address congratulating the class upon its excellent record, and then presented diplomas to the following graduates: Clara Louise Connoly, Charles Ring Foster, Alice Iva Love, John McCormick, Isabel Blean Morrow, Gertrude Noe, Ada Florence Ruth, Lloyd Summerfield Thompson and Gloanna Hazel Wallace. Of these Mr. Foster will enter Wesleyan College; Miss Love will enter Peddie Institute; L. S. Thompson will study law in New York; Miss Ruth will study music and Miss Wallace will take a course in the State Normal School at Trenton. After the graduation exercises a reception was tendered the graduates by the class of '98 At 11 o'clock supper was served and those present then whirled in the dance until the clock warned them to disperse. The baccalaureate sermon will be preached by Rev. Rufus S. Green, D. D., at a union meeting in the Metodist church tomorrow evening.

The most important business that came before the Westfield Township Committee at its meeting last night, was in connection with the proposed issue of sewer bonds. After discussion the committee decided to advertise for bids on coupon or registered bonds to the amount of $60,000. The face value of each bond will be $1,000; they will date from July 1st, 1897, and will be payable in gold. Of this amount $30,000 will be for 30 years, but redeemable after 20 years at the option of the township. Of the remaining $30,000 of the issue, $3,000 will be payable each year on and after July 1, 1898. The rate of interest will be determined after the bids are received, as it will then be known at what rate the bonds can be most advantageously issued. The bonds will bear certificates of legality by Counsellor Frank Bergen, and will be engraved by the American Bank Note Company, of New York. In connection with the invitation for bids the committee issues an interesting statement of facts concerning the condition of the township, which estimates the present population at 4,500, and gives the assessed property valuation for 1896 at $1,379,000. The only bonded debt which the township now has, is $25,000 issue of school bonds. A communication from A. J. Miller to the committee raised an interesting point of law affecting the rights of exempt firemen. Mr. Miller who was at one time a resident of Westfield, served as a fireman and received exemption papers entitling him to exemption from taxes upon $500 worth of property. Mr. Miller shortly afterward moved to New York city, and the tax assessor levied taxes upon the full value of his Westfield real estate, upon the theory that removal from the state had deprived him of his exemption rights. This action of the assessor was taken by advice from the township counsel, Frank Bergen. Miller then sought advice in the matter from counsel of the New Jersey State Exempt Firemen's Association and was informed that a removal from the state did not affect his exemption rights. This is the present state of the case. Miller states that he will enforce his exemption rights and the township refuses to concede his claim. Both sides are acting by advise of counsel. It looks at present as if the dispute would be taken to the courts for settlement. If this happens, the outcome will be watched with a great deal of interest by exempt firemen throughout the State. The report of superintendent of the sewers Chamberlain showed the system to be in good condition. Twenty-five permits to connect with the sewer were issued during the past month A petition signed by about 100 property owners was received asking the Committee to construct a new street from North to South avenues, to cross the railroad south of the Broad street crossing by means of an overhead bridge. The matter of elaborating a map of the township for insertion in a new atlas of the State now in preparation by a Boston publishing house, was entrusted to E. R. Collins. A request from C. D. Reese, secretary of Empire Engine Company, asking to have the name of J. K. McCaffey entered upon the list of exempt firemen, was granted by the Committee. Two notes amounting to $4,053.75 on the sewer account, coming due next Thursday, were ordered to be replaced by a note for $2,500 for one month, and a note for $1,619.33 falling due July 2d, was renewed in full for one month. Bills amounting to $242.02 were also ordered paid.

George T. Cruttenden and Miss Jennie N. Austin, of Brooklyn, were married yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock in New York by Mayor Strong. They will spend their honeymoon in Connecticut and will then come to Westfield to live.

Bishop Vincent in Town.

Plainfield was favored last evening with a visit from Bishop Vincent and wife, of Topeka, Kansas. The Bishop has been lecturing in the east, and while on his way to Pennsylvania for a rest he and his wife spent the night with H. M. Estil. The Bishop has changed but very little and at the North Avenue station this morning he was recognized by a number of friends.

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Silk trimmed vests..... 15c
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Much of the loss caused by these reductions we take ourselves—its clearing time in this department, and we must have shelf room. If its dress goods you save money by buying here.

40 in black and blue Etima cloth..... 25c
54-in all-wool Cloth..... 39c
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54-in silk and wool Mixture..... 49c
54-in all wool Bicycle Suiting..... 49c

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Ladies' hose, extra fine quality..... 14c
Ladies' lisle hose, very fine..... 25c
Children's plain hose, fine quality..... 15c
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Men's fine black half hose..... 13c
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Lake Morat, in Switzerland, has a queer habit of turning red about two or three times every ten years. It is a pretty lake, like most of the sheets of water in that picturesque country, and its peculiar freak is attributed to a disposition to celebrate the slaughter of Burgundians under Charles the Bold, on June 21, 1476. But the French say that it blushes for the conduct of the Swiss, who in that battle gave the Burgundians no quarter. The old fishermen of the lake, who catch enormous fish called silures, that weigh between twenty-five and forty kilograms says when they see the waters of the lake reddening, that it is the blood of the Burgundians. As a matter of fact, some of the bodies of the Burgundians killed in the battle were thrown into the lake, while others were tossed into a grave filled with quicklime. This historical recollection angered the Burgundian soldiers of the victorious armies of the republic of 1708 so much that they destroyed the monument raised in honor of their compatriots who fell heroically in that battle, and Henri Martin very justly reproached them for that piece of vandalism. It would hardly do to attribute the reddening of the waters of the lake to the blood of the soldiers of Charles the Bold. The color is due simply to the presence in large quantities of little aquatic plants called by naturalists Oscillatoria rubescens. The curious thing about it is that Lake Morat is the only lake in which this curious growth is developed, and the peculiarity is beginning to interest scientific men.

NEW DEFINITION OF VERACITY.

A Jersey City Witness Says It's a Bad Thing to Carry Around.

Richard Welling was a witness at the trial of Rachel Schreiber in the General Sessions Court in Jersey City the other day for larceny and receiving stolen goods. Maggie Werner, the 14-year-old neice of the defendant's husband, was the principal witness against her, and the defence tried to prove by the testimony of Mr. Welling and others that Maggie's statements could not be relied upon. Mr. Welling took the witness stand with a confident air and testified that Maggie's reputation for truth and veracity was bad.

"What is the meaning of veracity?" asked Assistant Prosecutor Noonan sharply. The question came so suddenly as to confuse the witness, and he hesitated about answering.

"It's a pretty bad thing to carry around with you, isn't it?" continued Mr. Noonan.

"Yes, sir," answered the witness, looking very much relieved.

"You wouldn't like to be accused of veracity, would you?"

"No, sir; I would not."

"I move the testimony of this witness be stricken out," said Mr. Noonan, addressing the Court.

"Strike it out," ordered Judge Hudspeth, and Mr. Welling looked as if he did not know where he was at. Mrs. Schreiber was acquitted.—New York Sun.

HER DESIRE MODEST.

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Here is a good story. A woman once sent the following advertisement to a London paper: "A lady, in delicate health, wishes to meet with a useful companion. She must be domesticated, musical, early riser, amiable, of good appearance, and have some experience of nursing. Total abstainer preferred. Comfortable home. No salary." A few days after the advertiser received a hamper labelled: "This side up, with care—perishable." On opening it she found a fine tabby cat, with a letter tied to her tail. It ran thus: "Madam: In answer to your advertisement, I am happy to furnish you with a very useful companion, which you will find exactly suited to your requirements. She is domesticated, a good vocalist, an early riser, possesses an amiable disposition and is considered handsome. She has had a great experience as a nurse, having brought up a large family. I need scarcely add that she is a total abstainer. As salary to her is no object, she will serve you faithfully in return for a comfortable home."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Stratagem of War.

A certain American in the war of 1812 played a mean trick upon the Admiral of the attacking British squadron. The Britons were entirely too strong for the Americans, so stategy became necessary. Accordingly, one clever young man spread the report that he had invented a fearful machine of war which he would send among the British boats and explode at the proper moment. Then he filled a barrel with sand and a little gunpowder, and towed it near the British ships. A fuse set the powder off. There was an explosion, and to the amazement of all, the British ships put to sea, fully convinced that a new infernal machine had been invented.

How a Great General Slept.

A good story is told of the Duke of Wellington. The French, with a fresh force double that of the duke, were closing in upon his jaded troops one stormy night in Spain. Wellington completed his preparations, and then, turning to a scout, asked: "How long will it be before they can reach us?"

"Half an hour," was the reply.

"Then I can go to sleep," he said; and wrapping his cloak about him, he dropped where he stood in the muddy trench, and in an instant was asleep. He awoke when the bugles of the enemy sounded in his ears.—Weekly Telegraph.

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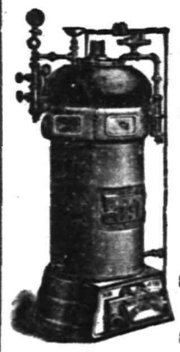

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Time Table in Effect MAY 24th, 1897.

PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 8 59, 7 20, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 38, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a m; 12 09, 1 18, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 23, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28, p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 18, a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 28, 10 17, p m.

Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 3 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, (5 00 except Saturdays) 5 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p. m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 57, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8 00, 8 28, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, am; 12 09, 1 18, 2 07, 2 12, 2 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 22 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 18, 7 18, 7 55, 8 28, 9 03, 10 05, 11 25, p. m; (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 2 32, 3 28, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30, 11 25 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 30, 10 10. Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 3 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 18, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 8 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night, Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 39, 5 09, 6 38, 10 35, 1 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 48, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 3 05, 3 28, 4 55, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 30, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 9 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 3 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 28, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 08, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a m; 8 30, 10 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 19 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 15 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 11 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 16 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

5 05 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton. Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

FOR LONG BRANCH, OCEAN GROVE, ETC.

Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m. 1 18, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m. 1 18, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 08, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 18 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 18, 3 51, 5 32 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, 10 46 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 37* night. Sundays—5 17, 5 45, 9 55 10 44 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 09* 6 45 p. m., 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 4 25, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 17night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a.m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 46 a. m., 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 10 46 a. m., 5 09*, 6 45, p. m., 1 17 night.

For Buffalo, Chicago and all points West, week-days at 9 54 a. m., 8 21 p. m. Sunday 6 35 p. m.

Plainfield passengers by trains marked (*) change cars at Bound Brook.

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J. H. OLHAUSEN,
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H. P. BALDWIN,
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LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD.

In effect June 13, 1897.

LEAVE SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

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7 44 a. m. and 1 44 p. m. Daily (Sundays 80 1) Local for Mauch Chunk.

9 10 a. m. Daily express for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Chicago, and principal intermediate stations.

10 07 a. m. 3 34, 5 22, 7 32 p. m. daily except Sunday. (Sundays 11 39 a.m.) Local for Bound Brook.

11 54 a. m. Daily except Sunday. Local for Mauch Chunk.

12 53 p. m. daily except Sunday. "BLACK DIAMOND EXPRESS" for Rochester and Buffalo.

2 34 and 4 58 p. m. daily except Sunday, express for Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Pottsville, Hazleton, Shamokin, and principal intermediate stations.

6 25 p. m. daily. Local for Easton.

7 10 p. m., daily except Sunday, for Slatington and principal intermediate stations.

7 02 and 9 58 p. m. daily, solid vestibule express for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Chicago, and principal intermediate stations.

9 22 p. m. daily except Sunday. Fast line for Buffalo.

2 15 p.m. Sundays, local for L. & B. Junction.

EASTWARD.

For New York and Brooklyn-Local-6 47, 7 15, 7 43, 9 40, a. m. 2 29, 4 45 and 7 10 p. m. Sunday 7 55 9 03 a. m., 2 21, 7 10 p. m. Express—7 25, 8 27, 10 02 a. m. 12 13, 2 17, 5 11, 7 07 and 9 06 p. m. Sundays—7 25 a. m. and 7 07 p. m.

For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 6 48, 7 50, 10 05 a. m. 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. m. Sunday 8 00, 9 00 local a. m. 2 20 and 7 10 p. m.

For Metuchen only 6 25 p. m. except Sunday

For further information consult Ticket Agent.

ROLLIN H. WILBUR,
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NEW YORK TERMINALS—Foot of Cortlandt and Desbrosses and 23d streets.

Arrival and Departure of Mails.

NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:30 a. m., 2:30, 5, 5:30, 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:30, 9:20 a. m., 1:30, 5, and 7:30 p. m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:30 a. m., and 4:30 p. m.

PHILA. WASH. and WESTERN Direct.

Arrive—1 p. m.
Close—5 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

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Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
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Some gowns are so dainty in the weave, so delicate in tint, that they seem to soil by being looked at—one or two wearings making them unpresentable, NOT USELESS. We make a specialty of cleaning fine fabrics, the more delicate the material, the better the results. Sometimes an accident will ruin a gown, without injuring the texture We dye them then, sometimes we get a prettier effect than the origina. olor. Fine goods stand redyeing. The finer the material the better the new color. We charge so little for cleaning or dyeing, that even if you are in doubt as to the result, it's worth while to experiment. Want a new evening gown for a dollar or two? Laundry orders will receive your work.

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The regular meetings of this Council are held on the second and fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p.m.
M. L. Bullock, Regent.
Frederick C. Pope, Secretary.

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A Special Markdown Sale in Graniteware.

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Double Rice Boilers, 47c.
Preserve Kettles, 23c.
Sauce Pans 17c.
Granite Covered Stew Pans, 21c.
Granite Tea Pots, 15c.
3 and 4 qt. Coffee Pots, 25c.
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A FEW PRICES

Men's all-wool royal blue serge suits, worth $12, at selling out price, $4.50; men's best all-wool blue serge suit, worth $16, at selling out price, $5.90; men's fine gray clay serge, all-wool suit, worth $13.50, at selling out price, $5; fine men's gray or dark brown clay diagonal suit, worth $16, selling out price $6.25. No other store in Plainfield will sell the same suit for less than $18. A very fine business suit in all-wool worsted or cassimeres, worth $10, at $4.25; fine men's working suit, worth $8, at $2.50. This suit is all wool and warranted not to fade. Extra fine all-wool silk or satin lined clay diagonal all-wool suit in frocks, worth $20, at $8.25; a very fine English silk-mixed suit, worth not less than $22, at $6.90; over 500 suits in fancy cheviots and overplaids, dark or light colors, that we are selling at $2, $3, $3.50 and $4.50. Every one of them are worth from $8 to $15 of any man's money. Don't wait one minute, but come at once, as you never will have the chance again. Youths' suits in all-wool clay diagonal sacks, worth $10, at $4.50: young men's plaid suits, all wool, worth $8, at $2.90; boy's long pants suit at $2; children's suits, latest style plaids in brown and light colors at $1, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75, worth from $2 to $5; men's fine summer underwear at 15c; men's bicycle suits. $1.75, $2, $2.50 and $3.50, worth from $ 4 to $10; men's bicycle pants from 35c up. Be on hand early and avoid the rush. Over 2,000 suits to choose from. Durable men's pants at 75c; fine Sunday pants at 95c, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75; every pair of them all wool and they are worth from $2.50 to $5. This closing out sale commences Saturday, June 12, at 7:30 a. m.

Car Fare Paid to All Buyers of Clothing.

NEW YORK CLOTHING CO.,
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Next door to Music Hall

STRAW HATS FROM 3c to $3.00.
FURNISHINGS.
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CRANE & CLARK
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FOR DOORWAYS AND ARCHES, IN STOCK AND TO ORDER.
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Up-to-date Furnishings for Gents' Wear.

In addition to many attractive offerings we place on sale

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

20 dozen Madras and fine Cambric and Negligee Shirts, linen collar and wrist bands, at the remarkable price of 69c.

25 dozen gauze underwear, color blue, at 29c each, regular price 49c.

25 dozen extra fine half hose, black, at the ridiculous price of 9c a pair.

Linen collars at 9c, 3 for 25c, and the cuffs at 12c per pair.

Golf caps at 25c and 45c. The very newest in fancy bosom dress shirts at 79c-98c.

OLEOMARGARINE LAW.

Looking Toward Prosecution of Armour & Co. For Its Violation.

Albany, June 19.—Former State Agricultural Commissioner Fred C. Schraub has been in this city conferring with Attorney General Hancock relative to the prosecution of the cases against Philip D. Armour & Co. for violating the oleomargarine law of this state.

The appellate division of the supreme court, in the fourth department, has handed down a decision affirming an order issued by Justice McLennan at Syracuse authorizing the agents of the state to examine the books of railroad and express companies to learn of the shipments of oleomargarine into this state.

Attorney General Hancock advised Mr. Schraub, who is special attorney for the state in this matter, that the decision of the appellate division is final, that the attorneys for Armour cannot take an appeal, and that the order of Justice McLennan can be enforced at once.

BRITISH CRUISER ARRIVES.

The Pallas Arrives at Boston and Is Saluted From the Navy Yard.

Boston, June 19.—The British steel cruiser Pallas, Captain Humpage commanding, came to an anchorage in the upper harbor at 3:15 p. m. yesterday, from Halifax. Harbor Master Bragdon assigned the British war vessel the position recently vacated by the United States cruiser New York.

Immediately upon coming to an anchor the Pallas fired the national salute of 21 guns, which was responded to by 21 guns from the shore battery at the navy yard. Next in order was the salute of 11 guns for the commandant of the yard from the cruiser, which was replied to with a like number of guns from the navy yard.

After these formalities were over Captain Humpage came ashore and paid his respects to the British consul.

Lost Torpedo Recovered.

New York, June 19.—The stray torpedo found on Monmouth Beach has been recovered by the torpedo boat Porter and brought to the Brooklyn navy yard. The torpedo had not suffered at all from its cruise, and when tested its mechanisms worked perfectly. In returning up the bay the Porter had a lively brush with the Sandy Hook boat Monmouth. The Porter was under one-third power, steaming with only one of her three boilers, so it was a very close race. Despite her disadvantage the torpedo boat beat the big steamer by a little less than a half mile in the run to the Battery.

Express Superintendent Dead.

Manchester, N. H., June 19.—Andrew Bunton, superintendent of the New Hampshire and Vermont division of the American Express company, died of a complication of diseases, aged 54 years. Mr. Bunton was born in Manchester. He entered the express business in 1856, and in 1869 he was appointed to the position which he held at the time of his death. He was a thirty-third degree mason and was a member and ex-president of the New Hampshire club. He leaves one son.

Injured by a Falling Balcony.

Black River Falls, Wis., June 19.—During a street parade by a circus a balcony over a sidewalk occupied by about 20 people gave way and the party was hurled about 18 feet to the sidewalk. Many people were injured. Several children who occupied the sidewalk were also badly hurt. Genie Erickson and Carrie Hanson were among those most seriously hurt, the latter being probably fatally injured. Several Indians received dangerous injuries by falling timbers.

Heroic Rescue of a Child.

Saratoga, June 19.—Fireman Harvey Strong, attached to an Adirondack freight train, showed great presence of mind. While his train was approaching Saratoga a child was discovered playing on the track. While Engineer Whipple did all possible to slow the train, Strong sprang from the locomotive cab to the sideboard of the locomotive, then to the pilot, and jumping to the ground he seized the child in time to let the train go by.

Coffin Makers Give Up Business.

Detroit, June 19.—The National Association of Burial Case Manufacturers went out of existence after a life of 20 years. Just on what point the members disagreed is known only to those on the inside, and they will not tell. It is believed that the members were unable to agree upon questions of fixing and sticking to prices in competition with outside manufacturers.

Francis Joseph Receives Our Ministers.

Vienna, June 19.—Emperor Francis Joseph has received in audience Mr. Bartlett Tripp, the retiring United States minister to Austria-Hungary, who presented his letters of recall. Later his majesty received in audience Mr. Charlemagne Tower, the new United States minister here, who presented his credentials.

Cut His Throat.

Boston, June 19.—James B. Jinkins has committed suicide in his boarding house here by cutting his throat with a razor. The deed was committed in the presence of his wife and child before they could prevent the action. Despondency through ill health is assigned as the cause. He was 54 years of age.

Syndicate Purchases Bonds.

Boston, June 19.—About $3,000,000 of the state bonds have been purchased by the syndicate formed by J. P. Morgan & Co., Blake Bros. and Kidder, Peabody & Co. They are 3½ per cent 40 year bonds and are issued for various purposes and cover all bonds to be issued this year.

Murderer Hanged.

Atlanta, June 19.—Tom Delk, the 24-year-old outlaw, was hanged at Zebulon for the murder of Sheriff Gwynn. He died game, making no demonstration of any sort. Four thousand people were around the gallows inclosure, but the walls were not broken.

Big Mortgage Filed.

Saratoga, June 19.—A mortgage made by the West Troy Waterworks company to the American Loan and Trust company of New York to secure payment of $450,000 has been filed in the Saratoga county clerk's office.

A SPLENDID BANQUET

Dinner Given In London By the Imperial Institute.

MADE A BRILLIANT SPECTACLE.

Hundreds of Guests Present, Who Represented Every Branch of Life—Speeches by the Prince of Wales and Others.

London, June 19.—The Prince of Wales, as president of the Imperial institute, presided over a banquet given by the institute last evening to the colonial premiers.

A large crowd watched the arrival of the guests, who were received by Lord Herschell, chairman of the executive committee of the institute. Everybody wore a decoration of some sort. Stars, ribbons and various orders, together with the splendor of oriental costumes worn by eastern potentates, made a brilliant scene.

The guests numbered hundreds and represented every branch of national and colonial life. Among those present were the Marquis of Salisbury, the Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, the Earl of Kimberly, the Marquis of Dufferin, Lord Ripon, Lord Lansdowne, the Marquis of Lorne, Lord Rosebery, Mr. Wilfred Laurier, the Dominion premier; Mr. Whiteway, the premier of Newfoundland; Baron Rothschild, Lord Lyon Playfair, Sir Donald Smith, the Canadian high commissioner; the archbishop of Canterbury and a splendid array of men of high rank in the army, navy, church and civil service, with a sprinkling of literary, scientific and artistic notables.

It was 9 o'clock before the assembly was complete. The Prince of Wales led the procession into the dining pavilion amid the strains of the national anthem.

After dinner the Prince of Wales proposed "The Health of the Queen." In a felicitous speech he referred to the approaching jubilee celebration, adding that he had no doubt they would receive the familiar toast with more acclamation even than was usually the case. This was followed by prolonged cheering, waving of handkerchiefs and cries of "God bless her!" the entire company standing. "I beg you," he said, to "drink with me her health, congratulating her not only upon her diamond jubilee, but upon her record reign."

This was followed by a renewed outburst of cheers, the band repeating the music of the national anthem. Amid the enthusiasm the prince called "for one cheer more." This was given, only to be followed by another and that by a third.

Prince of Wales' Response.

The Prince of Wales in proposing the health of the guests gave a cordial welcome to the distinguished gentlemen who had come to celebrate the jubilee. He said he rejoiced to see the Indian princes making common cause with them in honor of their colonial guests. He was convinced that the colonies would always come to the assistance of the mother country in time of need and danger.

Referring to the enormous growth and increase of the colonies during the record reign, he expressed the hope that the peaceful circumstances under which they were met together might long continue.

"God grant it," he said, "but if the national flag is threatened I am convinced that all the colonies will unite to maintain what exists and to preserve the integrity of the empire."

The prince welcomed the premiers and hoped earnestly that their stay would not be irksome. No one, he said, could be more gratified than the queen that they had come to do honor to a great epoch of history.

Lord Rosebery, proposing the "Houses of Legislature, Home and Colonial," said he hoped this unparalleled gathering would not separate without an effort to draw closer the bonds of empire.

The Marquis of Salisbury, responding for the house of lords, confessed that the misgivings he had when the colonial legislatures were first created were entirely unfounded. He said:

"If those legislatures are able to exercise self control and to fulfill their high ideal, they will produce an empire such as the world has not yet seen. There is talk of fiscal union and of military union. Both may, to a certain extent, be good things, but they will not be the basis upon which our empire will rest. It will rest upon the growth of sympathy and of common thought and feeling between the mother country and the colonies."

The Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, responded for the house of commons. He made no allusion to the colonial office.

The whole proceedings were most enthusiastic. The Prince of Wales has rarely if ever spoken so impressively and feelingly as in his speech toasting the guests.

Freaks of the Weather.

Indianapolis, June 19.—A remarkable weather condition prevailed here yesterday. After half an inch rainfall during the night, the temperature at 6:22 a. m. stood at 72, at 7 a. m. it had risen to 89 and at 9 a. m. had dropped to 78. At 7 a. m. the temperature at Chicago registered 56, while at Louisville it was 10 degrees warmer. This unusual difference called out telegrams asking for verification of the figures from Washington and Chicago weather bureaus.

Cyclones Visit Iowa.

Ottumwa, Ia., June 19.—A small cyclone passed over Rose Hill, a village in Keokuk county, touching the ground in several places just outside the town. The damage done was confined to trees and outbuildings. Another cyclone of somewhat greater violence passed six miles east of Oskaloosa. Its path was over 2 miles in length and about 50 yards in width. The damage was slight, however.

Fires Cause an Assignment.

St. Louis, June 19.—The Udell Woodenware company, whose stock for the third time in as many years was burned last week, have filed a general assignment, turning all the assets of the company over to A. Welborn Moise, as trustee of the creditors. Assignee Moise states that the liabilities are $80,000 and the assets $83,000.

Barnato Inquest Held.

Southampton, June 19.—On the arrival of the British steamship Scot with the body of the late Barney Barnato the coroner's officers went aboard to ascertain as to the necessity of holding an inquest. An inquest was held and the jury returned a verdict of death from drowning while temporarily insane.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 4:28 a. m.
Sun Sets: 7:34 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 8:34 p. m.

GOSSIP OF THE CYCLERS.

TEMS INTERESTING TO DEVOTEES OF THE STEEL STEEDS.

The Popular Exercise Provides Incidents and Expressions That are of Especial Moment When Wheeling is the Rage

Mrs. Thomas Minford, of 517 East Front street, is learning to ride a bicycle.

E. H. Cleveley, of North avenue, has returned from a cycling trip to Paterson.

Mrs Wallace, of the Mountain Park Inn, is about to join the ranks of the wheel women.

Miss Bertha Jenkins, of East Front street, enjoys riding a new wheel which she recently purchased.

A double century run will be held by the Time Wheelmen, of Philadelphia, on June 27th. The start, however, will not be until midnight, and, according to schedule, the riders should reach Newark at 7 a. m., returning to the Quaker City that night Captain Ilko will be in command, and expects to be accompanied by from 150 to 200 men.

The cyclists of the Plainfield Y. M. C. A. did not attend the run of the Y. M. C. A. Cycling League of Northern New Jersey, Thursday evening, as they thought it had been postponed. Last evening, they went to Madison the destination of the run, only to find that it had been held the night before despite the rain. Returning, S. Clinton Crane, Edward A. Laing, and Clarence Thorn formed a fast division and came through at a fast pace. They met a wheelmen from Elizabeth and he rode with them. They were about three miles this side of Springfield when the tire on the Elizabeth man's wheel, who was ahead, exploded and he slowed up Crane was right behind and he slowed up also. Laing struck Crane's rear tire with his front one and went sailing through the air while Thorn crashed into his wheel. Laing was badly cut up and Thorn received a sprained wrist and several cuts about the head. His wheel was wrecked.

AMONG THE STEPPERS.

There will be several matches between local horses at the Gentlemen's Driving Park this afternoon.

MARRIED IN BROOKLYN.

Miss Jessie A. Hayes Becomes the Wife of Stephen A. Mahooney.

Miss Josie A. Hayes, of this city, and Stephen A. Mahooney, of Brooklyn, were united in marriage at St. Thomas R. C. church, Brooklyn, last evening. The wedding was a very pretty one. The bride was dressed in white silk, trimmed with lace and pearls. Her bridesmaid, Miss Nellie Quinn, of Brooklyn, was attired in pink silk. The best man was James Quinn, of Brooklyn. After the marriage, a reception was held at the home of Mrs. Quinn, of 12th street, Brooklyn. The couple received many handsome and useful presents.

Among those present from this city were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Leary, Mr. and Mrs. Michael McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. William Goeller, Miss Mamie Leahy, and Miss Kittie Leahy.

Carriages in Collision.

The left front wheel to the carriage belonging to L. W. Serrell, of West Front street, was wrecked this morning at the corner of Park and North avenues in a collision with the carriage of A. W. Haviland, of Rockview avenue. The street was crowded with carriages and both of those in the accident were trying to avoid an ice wagon.

—L. Hammond, of Manning avenue, while tearing an old roof off of the house occupied by Andrew Kenney, of Manning avenue, this morning, sustained a severe sprain to his right hand.

—The work of macadamizing Harmony street in the borough will be started in a few days. All of the property owners on the street have signed their names signifying that they will contribute toward the work.

COWS AND GOATS TRESPASSED

Destroyed Lawns and Made Way With Old Tomato Cans.

City Judge DeMeza felt in a good humor this morning, although a trifle sarcastic. His pleasant feeling may be accounted for by the fact that there was only a corporal's guard of offenders to appear before him.

The first was a resident of Netherwood, the owner of sundry cows and goats, who were the means of finally landing him in the city jail His name was Sylvester Deleyo. He lives on Netherwood avenue. The complaint charged him with allowing his cows and goats to stray away and eat up other people's flowers and tomato cans. Amos Andrews made the complaint because his lawn was trampled up by the other man's cattle. Deleyo explained that his cows and goats were now tied so that they would wander no more and Mr. Andrews did not wish to press the complaint if the animals would stay where they were put. The Judge smiled indulgently and suspended sentence.

Bridget Neuman appeared and pleaded guilty to the charge of being disorderly. The Judge told her to appear next Saturday for sentence, and that meanwhile he would investigate the circumstances of the case.

GUESTS AT THE HUNTERSTON.

Many Seek Recreation and Rest at the Heightr.

Among the latest arrivals at the Hunterston Hotel are the following people:

Mr. and Mrs. Coakfair, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bonehille, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Falk, Master Falk, E M. Dickson and servant, B. T. Burke and family and maids, Mrs. W.H. Thompson, D. L. Newburgh and family, Miss Jones, Mr. and Mrs. F. Lewis, J. A. Blanchard and family, Mrs. Marion Blanchard and maid, Mr. and McIlvaine, nurse and child. C. E. Leivis, New York; Mr. and John F. Dryden, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Kuser, Newark; John Catognis, Miss Flora Catognis, Roanoke, Va.; Miss A. Doherman, Miss K. Doherman and the Misses Plimmer, Brooklyn.

The regular season opens tonight with a hop. Those who were invited to the first dance must feel at liberty to take this opportunity of availing themselves of this as well as all other entertainments they may have. Rogers' orchestra will furnish music every morning and evening through the summer months.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Fred Townsend, of Craig place, has secured a position with E. M. Laing, the Park avenue hatter.

Dr. Frank Wells, of Central avenue, sailed this morning for Europe. He will be absent all summer.

Fred Hoffman, of the borough, has secured a position with the Paul T. Norton Flour Company at their local store on East Front street.

Mrs. William Hodge, of Clark street, has returned from the Elizabeth General hospital, where she has been under treatment for some time.

The marriage of John Gallagher and Miss Nora Casey will be solemnized next Tuesday at 5 p. m., in St. Mary's church, by Rev. Father Murphy.

John Goodwin, of the borough, who has been in New York state at a hospital under treatment for a disease of long standing, has returned home and is very much improved.

Mr. Chamberlain, of Madison avenue, who recently met with an accident on Park avenue while riding his wheel, has about recovered from his injuries and is able to ride his wheel again.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Additional local news on the third page.

—Rogers will furnish the Music for the High School reception next Friday night.

—The M. E. church Sunday-school will meet for the summer months at 10 a. m. Sundays.

—Trinity church Sunday-school commences the morning session of the school tomorrow morning at 9:30.

—There was a large attendance at the Y. M. C. A. hall last evening to hear the illustrated lecture on camp life. Several boys will go from this city to the summer camp on Lake Champlain.

SEEMS A WEAKNESS OF GENERALS.

But It Always Excites the Envy of Younger Men.

Kissing pretty girls has been a favorite occupation of nearly all great men of mature age, military men being particularly given to it. Gen. Grant was perhaps the notable exception. This recalls an incident which came under the observation of the writer at Galena, Ill., shortly after the close of the war. Gen. Grant had returned on a short visit to his old home A great crowd was assembled at the railway station to welcome him. As the General alighted from the train he was greeted by a procession of a dozen or more young ladies. As the first blooming miss grasped the hand of the hero she held up her ruby lips—the lips of brave and tender girls like this are always ruby—with the firm but inexpressibly sweet compression which every experienced osculator recognizes at a glance as meaning business. The General seemed surprised, flushed slightly, glanced down the line of waiting beauties, drew a long breath, and then, with the resolute look of a man determined to fight it out on that line if it took all Summer, he deliberately and with praiseworthy impartiality kissed every girl in the procession. The General was a modest man, but he was never known to flinch in the face of his duty to his countrymen—or countrywomen.

Gen. R. E. Lee, notwithstanding the staid decorum of his ordinary demeanor, was ever ready, it is stated, to face an emergency of this kind. At Lexington, Va., in the closing years of his life, there were many pretty girls and many osculatory encounters, the girls being quite willing to "have it to say" that they had been so distinguished by the great commander. The college boys heard of it with mingled feelings of envy and emulation. To this day, it is said, the visitor at Lexington will be stopped at this or that turn of the road by his guide, with the remark: "Here, in 1860, I saw Gen. Lee kiss Miss So-and-So. They met; they chatted. At the parting the damsel would say, 'Why, General, aren't you going to kiss me?' and thereupon the General would respond with evident animation." A great number of spots at the Southern Mecca are decorated with similar legends—so many, in fact, that the tourist is inspired with regrets that he, too, was not a great General and strategist.

Gen. Sherman's exploits in this attractive field are more widely known. Indeed, they were extended over a wider area and were performed with, perhaps, a trifle less discrimination. At every Grand Army reunion there would be found a number of blooming misses who aspired to kiss the General. Being a gallant man—every soldier must be gallant—Gen. Sherman responded to the seductive challenges with exemplary alacrity, to the sorrow of the young officers, who thought such sweetness wasted on an old man, and a married man at that. It does seem hard. Gen. Joseph E. Johnston, who opposed Gen. Sherman on so many fields, was in this line of operations also a rival worthy of his steel.

It was not the good fortune of Gen. Johnston to attend Grand Army reunions to any considerable extent, but in his limited sphere Gen. Johnston had in his last years a great many Confederate admirers of the charming sex, who, with his ready sanction, testified their cordiality in the characteristic and always pleasant feminine manner. He was a handsome man, even in extreme old age, so that there was no drawback to chill the fluttering heart of the impulsive feminine patriot.

It must not be assumed that the Generals that have been named are the only ones who have had the courage to meet their feminine admirers of the third generation half way. Their name is legion, so far, at least, as appreciation goes. It is noticeable, however, that the girls draw the osculatory line at Major Generals. They are severe in their requirements, exacting rank, fame, and an age few ordinary mortals can attain without falsifying the family records.

The kissing of great Generals is to be distinguished from that of great politicians. President Buchanan, it is true, was a truly fortunate man in this regard, but he was a President and a bachelor. He was, in fact, wholly outside of the category of ordinary politicians, whose kissing is commonly restricted to children and babies. Such *osculation is useful in a campaign, but* it is said not to be exhilarating.

—Joseph Wisemen has appointed C. H. Hand as agent to rent the Cycle Academy for dances and other public affairs.

—The annual offering for the Baptist Educational Society will be taken in the Baptist church tomorrow morning.

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Worcester sauce,	7c. bot	Corn starch,	3c. pkg	Vanilla extracts,	7c. bot
Im. Marmalade,	12c bot	Satin Gloss Soap,	3c. cake	Morgan's Sapolio,	6c. cake
Spratts dog cake,	5c. lb	Imported Macaroni,	9c.	Imp. Sardines,	10c. box
Fresh Salmon,	9c. can	Salad oil,	16c. qt	Gold Dust,	16c pkg
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California prunes,	6c. lb	Boneless chicken,	21c. ½ lb	Regular price,	74c
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Shrewsbury Catsup,	20c	Scheuer's cocoa,	½ lb. 17c.	Phila. cream cheese,	17c.
Good rice,	5c lb	Leader milk,	6c. can.	Heinz' B. B beans,	7c.
Sweet chocolate,	4c. cake	Good brooms,	12c. each	Rolled oats,	2c. lb
Baking powder, 1 lb.,	25c.	Brushed peaches,	10c. lb	Lima beans,	5c. qt.
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AMERICAN MISSIONS.

REV. DR. WOODBURY SPOKE AT THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

He is Secretary of the American Missionary Association and Told Something of its Work—An Illustrated Address.

Two very interesting services, in behalf of the American Missionary Association, were held yesterday in the Congregational church. The Association was represented by its secretary, Rev. Frank P. Woodbury, D. D., who spoke morning and evening, and showed himself a cultured, eloquent and interesting speaker. The morning sermon was a strong presentation of the work of the A. M. A., which lies among the Indian tribes at the west, the colored people and "poor whites" of the south, and the immigrants of different races and religions lately come from other lands to ours. Dr. Woodbury spoke especially of the work for the negroes, and its wonderful success, though the association has been able merely to touch the borders of what might be done. At the conclusion of the sermon, a generous offering was made for the association.

The evening address was illustrated by a set of large maps and pictures, hung at the left of the pulpit. First came a map of the continent, upon which Dr. Woodbury pointed out the various fields of work of the A. M. A. A view of an Alaska mission station followed, while Dr. Woodbury told the story of the first young men who went there as missionaries, and of the martyrdom of one of them. A picture of the Indian school at Santee was a more civilized subject, and the work among the Indians was briefly dwelt upon. A map of the south showed the region inhabited by the "mountain whites," and one of their schools, with a Christian Endeavor Society grouped in front of it, was next shown. This school was in North Carolina, and is carried on by four young women, one of them being Dr. Woodbury's daughter. There being no church, they organized an Endeavor Society, and conduct religious services themselves.

The next two charts were designed to show the need of earnest Christian work in the south. The first was a map shaded to show the comparative illiteracy of the different states, from the eastern and northern states, scarcely shaded at all, to the blackness of Louisiana. The second was another map, with a large black dot for every lynching reported in the newspapers since 1893. New Jersey was without a spot, while Louisiana, as before, had the worst record.

A picture of the colored school at All Healing, N. C., was next shown, followed by a map showing the schools taught by pupils of A. M. A. institutions, Eureka Church Arbor, the home of a plantation mission in the pine woods of southern Georgia, and one of the larger institutions supported by the association, for educating the leaders among the colored people, that they may go out and help others.

The service was a somewhat unique one, and was much enjoyed. It was held under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society.

Missionary Day Services.

Next Sunday morning, at 9:30, the Sunday-school of the Congregational church will observe their annual Missionary Day. There will be missionary songs, letters from the mission stations to whose work the school has contributed and a short address. The quarterly review will take place at the evening service, at 7:30, in the form of an informal talk on the lessons of the quarter by the pastor, Rev. C. L Goodrich, interspersed with Bible readings, and illustrated with many fine stereopticon views.

Juniors Picnic on the Mountains

The members of the Junior Endeavor Society of Trinity Reformed church were treated to an outing on Johnston's Drive on Saturday by their superintendent, Mrs. Cornelius Schenck, and her co-workers, Miss Wikoff and Miss Berkaw. The little folks, numbering over fifty, had a glorious day of it and were full of thanks for the delightful outing. They also enjoyed having their pastor, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., with them.

Endeavor Rally.

The summer meeting of the Plainfield Christian Endeavor Union will be held in the Congregational church, Tuesday evening, at 7:45. All Endeavors and their friends are earnestly invited to be present. There will be an address on a timely subject by Rev. Cornelius Brett, D. D., of Jersey City, a short open parliament conducted by Rev. C. E. Herring, and bright music, including solo singing by William N, Runyon.

—Additional local news on the third page.

WILL PICNIC AWHEEL.

CONGREGATIONAL ENDEAVOR SOCIETY PLAN A NOVEL OUTING.

It Will Be a Bicycle Picnic—The Young People Will Ride to Glenside Park and Spend Saturday Afternoon.

Plainfield has had the name of originating church bicycle runs, of forming a Christian Endeavor bicycle squad to visit the different societies not far from this city, and of having the first Epworth League in the country to give a bicycle sociable. Now the bicycle has been used in another way and the members of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Congreation al church are planning a bicycle picnic for next Saturday afternoon.

There is a majority of the young people of the Congregational church that ride wheels. It will be remembered that the first church run was held by that congregation last summer. Most of them spend their Saturday afternoons on the smooth roads of this part of Jersey enjoying a spin on their bicycles. Knowing this fact, Mrs. A. C. LaBoyteaux, chairman of the social committee of the society, planned that all should go together and make a little picnic of it.

The proposed bicycle picnic immediately found favor among the young people of the church. The weather has gotten too warm for the regular sociable in the church parlors and the thought of something new pleased everybody.

The Endeavorers will gather at the home of Mrs. A. C. LaBoyteaux, on Fairview avenue, and will prepare to start at 2 o'clock, Saturday afternoon. All the young women of the party are expected to bring lunch enough for two and then share it with some other member of the party. The Endeavorers will ride up Front street to Scotch Plains and then turn to their left through the Gap and out to Glenside Park.

It is at Glenside Park that the pic nic proper is to be held. Wheels will be stacked in the cool shade, and the party will clamber up through the rocky glen to the spring for a draught of the delightful spring water there. Some will climb up the steep side of the mountain, others will explore the park until the supper hour arrives, when all will gather under the shade of the spreading chestnuts and enjoy the repast picnic fashion. The return to Plainfield will be made in the twilight. If the weather should be threatening the picnic and ride will be postponed.

DECORATED THE GRAVES.

THE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS OBSERVED MEMORIAL DAY YESTERDAY.

Crescent Division, Assisted by Rathbone Division of Brooklyn, Visited the Local Cemeteries and Decorated The Graves.

Yesterday was observed by Crescent Division, U. R., K. of P., of this city, as Decoration Day, and they had for their guests about twenty members of Rathbone Division, of Brooklyn. The visitors were met at the North Avenue Station and escorted, in company with the Independent Fife and Drum Corps, to the various cemeteries about Plainfield and vicinity where special services were held over the graves of the deceased Knights. The cemeteries visited were North Plainfield, Plainfield avenue, Hillside and Scotch Plains. The service consisted of an address by Sir Knight Guard Joseph Blimm on the principles of the order; prayer by Chaplain J. S. Highm; and addresses by Captain J. E. Flannery, and First Lieutenant Jacob Blimm, Jr.

At the Plainfield avenue cemetery the members from Brooklyn conducted the service. At the conclusion of the services the Knights retired to Blimm's hotel, Scotch Plains, where supper was served.

Some Local Teddy Roosevelts.

The special committee of the Common Council, consisting of Councilmen Tolles, Baker and Westphal, met last Friday evening to consider the subject of substituting arc lights for incandescent upon the principal streets of the city. The members gave the matter their serious attention and decided to make a personal tour of investigation about the city streets some night in order to learn exactly what the present system of lighting amounts to. After its investigations are completed the committee will make a full report upon the matter.

Preached to the Cadets.

Twenty of the Plainfield high school cadets attended divine service at the Church of the Redeemer yesterday morning and listened to an interesting discourse by the pastor, of the church, Rev. Mr. Harris. The cadets all appeared in full uniforms under the command of Captain George F. Edwards.

BOWLING ON THE GREEN.

LADIES' DAY AT THE MIDDLESEX BOWLING GREEN CLUB GROUNDS.

It is One of the Social Events of Dunellen and is Held on the Lawn of C. H. Schepflin—The Guests Who Were Present.

One of the social events at Dunellen each year is the annual ladies' day of the Middlesex Bowling Green Club on their grounds at the charming home of C. H. Schepflin. The members of the club are all well-to-do and enjoy genuine sport, which happens to be bowling on the green. Last Saturday was the day chosen by the executive committee for the annual visitation of the women, most all of whom are wives or sisters of the members. Clear and beautiful weather had been arranged for and nothing to mar the full enjoyment of the event happened. The members and their wives and sisters gathered early in the afternoon and the largest part of the time was passed in bowling by the women. On this annual occasion the men are not allowed to bowl but all the privileges are extended to the women. Of course, the members did the honors by assisting the fair bowlers in rolling and gave them all necessary instructions. The woman bowled remarkably well and they were highly complimented for making such excellent scores. During the entire afternoon, Hart's orchestra, from New Brunswick discoursed a pleasing selection of music. Under a large lawn, Max Wiertz, the caterer, had prepared a most tempting supper. About 5 o'clock it was served and the jolly party gathered in a shady part of the grounds where amid cooling breezes and sweet strains of music a most delightful time was passed. Following the supper a social time was indulged in after which the members of the party left for their homes.

The Middlesex Bowling Green Club has been in existence eleven years and during that time it has been most successful in all of its undertakings. A majority of the members belong in New Brunswick while there are also members in Plainfield, Somerville, Perth Amboy and Dunellen. The executive committee, Frederick Weigel, City Attorney of New Brunswick; former Sheriff Peter W. Fick and Robert M. Pettit, also of New Brunswick, have served the club as such for three years, and their reputation is so well established that the members will not let them resign. As each year rolls by the committee seems to give the club and their fair friends a better time than the preceding year. During the summer months the club meets every other Saturday and one day in June is selected for the women. The officers of the club are President, C. H. Schepflin, Dunellen; Vice President, F. J. Richers, Perth Amboy; Secretary, H. Brewster Willis; Treasurer, P. W. Fick, of New Brunswick.

Those who were present on Saturday included the following:—Assemblyman James Fountain, Miss Fountain, Mr. and Mrs. J. Schwinger, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schenck, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Schenck, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Pettit, Mr. and Mrs. Mundy, Mr. and Mrs. L. Powelson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Brewster Willis, Mr. and Mrs. D. Betts, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Weigel, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hindell, Mr. and Mrs. Lundstead, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sperling and daughter, Charles Rusling, H. Manning, of New Brunswick; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Schepflin, Dunellen; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Pettit, of Perth Amboy; Andrew Love, Sr., of Plainfield; Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Lippencott, of Newark; Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Heilner, Mrs. Buchannan, of Elizabeth; B. Kent, of Greenwich, Conn.

Funera of a Good Man.

The funera of William Britton Moore was held from the residence of his son, Fred S. Moore, 433 Orchard place, Saturday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. E. M. Rodman, who spoke very highly of the deceased. The pall bearers were S. A. Davis, James Huntington, John Butler, Thomas Carty. The floral tributes were very beautiful. The remains were conveyed to Rahway for interment.

Religious Progress.

Rev. Dr. Winfield C. Snodgrass, pastor of the First M. E. church, preached on the Queen's Jubilee, last evening. He told something of the progress that had been made during her reign and told also of the religious advancement during that time. The sermon was an interesting one and was listened to by a large congregation.

Talked On the Queen's Jubilee.

The Queen's Jubilee was the subject of an interesting sermon by Rev. Dr. W. R. Richards, yesterday morning, at the Crescent Avenue church. There were several new ideas introducted in the discourse to which the congregation listened with interest.

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SHORTAGE IN TREASURY

TROUBLE IN BENEFIT ASSOCIATION OF POND TOOL WORKS.

A Deficit of $540.02 Cannot Be Explained By the Treasurer, James D. Anderson—The Association Takes Action in the Case.

After a number of weeks of the utmost secrecy it has finally leaked out that the funds of the Benefit Association of Pond Tool Works are deficient to the amount of $540 02, which the members are unable to account for. Sometime ago the president, Councilman C. J. Newman, was injured and he was entitled to benefits from the association, and when he attempted to collect the money he was unable to get it until after seven weeks of the most persistent effort with the treasurer, J. D. Anderson. Mr. Newman began to think that something must be wrong and he at once instituted a thorough examination of all accounts. At first, he was unable to get any satisfaction from the treasurer who seemed to be unwilling to explain the shortage which was apparent to those who knew of the affair. Mr. Newman was not the only one who failed to receive benefits, and before it was surmised that there was a shortage in accounts several extra assessments were made to keep the treasury in funds, and at one time benefits were suspended for several weeks owing to the low condition of the treasury.

The members and officers began to wonder what had become of all the money supposed to be in the treasury, and accordingly the auditing committee of the association made a thorough investigation of the books. They met on several occasions with Mr. Anderson and tried to learn just where the shortage was. The latter was unable to explain the difficulty, although he held that he was only a few dollars short. After a very careful examination the auditing committee discovered the exact amount short and a meeting was called for Saturday evening for the purpose of making a report and also to give Mr. Anderson an opportunity to explain his side of the affair. The meeting was held in Red Men's Hall and there was an unusually large number of members present. The auditing committee made a statement showing the condition of the treasury up to the time Mr. Anderson was relieved of his office, and the amount short was stated to be $540.02. The committee also stated that they held a mortgage on the household furniture owned by their late treasurer, and that an insurance policy for $500 had been turned over to them. On investigation, however, it was learned that the policy had lapsed and consequently was of no account. Temporarily, Mr. Anderson was paying $2 a week to the association pending any final action that the members of the association might take. The committee said that Mr. Anderson had been before Judge DeMeza on three different occasions, and it was on one of these occasions that he and his wife signed papers turning over the furniture in their home to the association.

The above are the principal facts in the case and after they were presented to the members there was a general discussion. It was decided that the missing money must be paid back within two years or the claim would be outlawed. Most of the members were inclined to be lenient and give Mr Anderson all the time they could. The latter was present at the meeting and stated that in his own mind he was sure that he only owed the association a few dollars but the figures of the committee showed the accounts in a different light, and if the association would give him time he would pay it all back. One member thought it would be a good idea if Mr. Anderson could borrow the entire sum, $540.02, from some source and immediately make good the amount he is short.

After much discussion a resolution was adopted that Mr. Anderson pay $5 each week to the association for the term of two years, and upon any failure to meet the obligation he is to be prosecuted criminally. In connection with this resolution Robert Gow, Mr. Leland and Samuel Robinson were appointed a committee to see that the payment be made each week, and in case of failure they are to prosecute Mr. Anderson.

The latter said that he would be unable to meet the requirements of the resolution but was willing to do all that he could to pay back the deficiency.

The action taken by the members of the association last Saturday evening is said to be final, and if Mr. Anderson fails to meet the requirements, the other alternative will be followed.

Died After a Long Illness.

Mrs. Kate Evans died at her home, 413 Cottage place, yesterday morning, after an illness of four years. She has been very low for several days.

IN THE FOREST OF ARDEN

SCENES FROM "AS YOU LIKE IT" GIVEN ON THE MOUNTAIN.

The Shakespeare Club of Plainfield Held Its Annual Picnic at Hilltop, Mrs. F. O. Herring's Cottage on the Mountain.

Rosalind and Orlando and several of their friends from the forests of Arden were transported to the woods in the vicinity of Mrs. F. O. Herring's charming little cottage on the mountain, known as "Hilltop," Saturday afternoon, and there passed through the love scenes with which Shakespeare has credited them. It was the annual outing or picnic of the Shakespeare Club of Plainfield.

For twelve years the lovers of Shakespeare in this city and the borough have gathered together every two weeks during the winter months and read and recited portions of the works of their favorite poet. It has been the custom every year to end the season with an outing in some shady nook where the natural scenery can be utilized for the setting of the rustic scenes in Shakespeare's plays.

This year the members of the Shakespeare Club were invited to visit the charming little cottage on the mountain that Mrs. F. O. Herring had built for the entertainment of her friends. The invitation was accepted, and early in the forenoon three of Captain Hand's stages carried the party up the mountain to "Hilltop," as Mrs. Herring's cottage has been called.

It had been arranged that selections from "As You Like It" should be given right there in the woods with the green foliage for a background. Of course, the scenes selected were those in the forest of Arden, the natural setting for which was delightful. The members who were not taking part gathered around the cottage and watched the others.

The cast was as follows:

Rosalind	Mrs. C. E. Brooks
Audry	Miss Scribner
Duke	C. E. Brooks
Orlando	James R. Joy
Touchstone	D. N. Van Vliet
Jacques	John M. Whiton

While those who took part were amateurs, they filled the different parts with credit, and the selections were given with a simplicity and carelessness that mightily pleased their friends in the audience. Nobody felt called upon to criticise, and the scene came to a satisfactory close.

A bountiful dinner had been prepared for the Shakespearean members and all partook amid a lively flow of repartee. The dinner over, the party climbed into the stages once more and descended to earth by way of Scotch Plains.

SUCCESSFUL PASTORATE

REV. CORNELIUS SCHENCK YESTERDAY COMPLETED HIS 10TH YEAR.

He Has Been Pastor of Trinity Reformed Church for Ten Years—The Church Has Flourished Under His Care.

The tenth anniversary of the pastorate of Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph.D., of Trinity Reformed church, was quietly noticed yesterday morning. Preceding the sermon, which was a Scriptural and spiritual discourse on the mind of Christ, Phil. 2:5, a statistical statement was read, which is of more than passing interest.

In the ten years the number of families have increased from 190 to 254; of communicant members from 360 to 515; of Sunday-shcool enrollment from 320 to 425. There were added to the church on confession of faith, 256, and by certificate, 250, making a total of 506; 50 of the members had died, while the number of funerals attended by the pastor was 216. The number of baptisms were: Infants, 96; adults, 107.

The contributions for strictly religious and benevolent objects have averaged over $1,000 yearly, and for congregational purposes over $6,000 yearly. The last of the mortgage indebtedness of the church was paid in 1892, and the society is without debt.

Dr. Schenck complimented the various organizations of the church on the work they had done and concluded with the prayer that the mind which was in Christ might be in them all.

Death Comes Quietly.

The death of Mrs. Michael Ettinger, aged 38 years, occurred yesterday morning, at her home on Cottage place. She had been ill for several months with consumption and her death was not wholly unexpected. She leaves a husband and two children. The funeral services will be held tomorrow morning from the house at 9:30, and will be private.

—The bread, cakes and pies of Schlief's bakery, 132 Park avenue, recommend themselves.

—A special line of choice strawberries, cherries and pineapples for canning, at Neuman Bros., tomorrow.

INFECTION IN THE MILK.

CAUSE OF THE SCARLET FEVER EPIDEMIC SUPPOSEDLY DISCOVERED.

Two of the Sons of Milkman Nelson Giles Were Ill With the Disease—One Son Handled the Milk Cans.

Two weeks ago scarlet fever made its appearance in this city, but in a mild form. Nevertheless, the health authorities were somewhat disturbed, as it seemed impossible to tell how the disease was started and what caused it to spread. The members of the Board of Health have been quietly investigating the subject and Saturday afternoon discovered what they think is the cause. The son of Nelson Giles, a local milkman, who has been daily handling the milk cans, was found to be in the worst stage of the disease. Another son, who was taken ill with the fever some time ago, is now staying at his grandfather's farm at Stelton.

There has been a suspicion for some time that the disease was being spread through milk, but it was impossible for the Board to discover anything. All the milkmen that came to this city declared that there was no illness at their farms and an investigation did not reveal any.

Saturday afternon, Randolph Giles, son of Nelson Giles, called on Dr. Adams and explained that he was not feeling well. It did not take the doctor long to discover that the lad was in the worst stages of the disease and that the skin was scaling off. The doctor reported the matter to the Board of Health and young Giles was quarantined at his home in the Miller flats, Park avenue.

Mr. Giles' milk depot is in the old Alert Hose Company house on Madison avenue. He said he did not know of his son's illness when the health authorities called on him and finally informed him of the fact. He then had 280 quarts of milk in stock and Inspector Addis dumped it all into the sewer. He then came to McVey's Hotel, on North avenue, and dumped eighty quarts that had just been delivered there.

A storekeeper on West Front street had bought twelve quarts of Giles and had frozen it into ice cream when Inspector Addis arrived at his store and compelled him to throw it away.

It was learned that Russell Giles, another son of Nelson Giles, was taken ill some time ago and sent to his grandfather's farm near Stelton. It is supposed that he was suffering with scarlet fever. Mr. Giles' two farms were reported to be all right, all the help there being in a healthy condition. The members of the Board were of the opinion that the infection came from the milk depot where the two boys, Randolph and Russell were accustomed to handle the milk cans and assist in washing them.

Mr. Giles was greatly surprised at the visit of the Health Board, and professed complete ignorance of the illness of his son. Mr. Giles and his other son, Mifford Giles, were instructed not to carry any more milk until they were given permission.

Yesterday morning, when Inspector Addis came down town, he found Mifford Giles driving around with two large cans of milk. Inspector Addis ordered him to stop and throw the milk into the sewer. He learned from Roundsman Flynn who had been watching Giles, that he had left a can at McVey's. Mr. McVey said that he knew of no milk being left there. Giles said that he had left some there and it was found in the cellar. When the inspector found it, Mr. McVey was pouring the milk into an out house. Inspector Addis threw the rest into the sewer.

It had been understood that Mifford Giles was to board on East Third street until the quarantine was removed from his home but when the inspector found that he had been delivering milk, Giles was sent home to remain there in the quarantine. He said that he did not think it would do any harm for him to deliver a little milk, Addis alleges.

An improved fumigating apparatus was received from Asbury Park today. The house of Mayor Fisk will be fumigated this afternoon. Mifford Giles, who was sent home, will be disinfected this afternoon, as will also Giles' milk depot, and Mr. Giles will be allowed to continue the business after all chance of contagion is over. While the Board wishes to prevent any further spread of the disease, it does not wish to injure Mr. Giles' business any more than can be really helped.

Since Saturday, nine new cases of scarlet fever have been reported to the Board, making a total of forty-one cases, thirteen of which are in six families.

The samples of water taken from the drug stores and other places in the city. have been found to be in good condition.

THE END IS IN SIGHT

The Consideration of the Tariff Bill Expected Soon.

THE WOOL SCHEDULE TO BE PUSHED

Party Differences Cause More Perplexity at Present Than the Bill Itself. The House Programme the Usual Routine.

Washington, June 21.—The Republican senators in charge of the tariff bill begin to feel that the end is almost in sight. They do not hope to conclude the consideration of the bill by the close of the present week, but they expect by that time to be able to say when they can complete the work.

As a matter of fact, the difficulty of adjusting differences in their own party is causing the managers more perplexity at present than is the open opposition to the bill in the senate. It has been found almost impossible to harmonize the contending forces among Republicans on the tobacco and wool schedules. The differences on tobacco have been compromised, though not to the satisfaction of all concerned, and if there should be another caucus before the tobacco schedule is taken up in the senate the question is liable to be reopened there.

The wool schedule now confronts the senate, and it is Senator Allison's purpose to press the schedule forward to a close. Hence, it will be impossible to postpone for a very much longer time the settlement of the differences on this question. It is expected that if the committee is not able to announce a determination at once the matter will be referred to an early caucus, or a caucus may be called if the committee fixes a rate that is not satisfactory to the wool men.

There is little doubt that an advance will be conceded by the committee, but the question of interest is whether the increase will be all that the wool men demand.

The wool schedule will, of course, give rise to an animated debate, but the Democratic senators say there is no disposition on their part to needlessly prolong it. There are also numerous articles on the free list and in the "sundry" schedule which will arouse differences of opinion, and if the Republicans do not withdraw the internal revenue features of the bill there will be a sharp clash over this.

They are practically decided, however, to retreat from these provisions. It is also practically determined that the house provision in regard to Hawaiian sugar will be continued, pending the disposition of the Hawaiian annexation treaty. For the rest, the question of reciprocity and the problem presented by the trusts in connection with the tariff are still undetermined by the Republicans themselves, but there is no doubt that there will be more or less general debate upon any proposition agreed to when presented in the senate.

The programme in the house will be the same as during past weeks. There will be two sessions, one on Monday and another on Thursday. It is probable that the committee on rules will bring in a special order on Monday for the consideration of the bill appropriating money to repair the drydock at the Brooklyn navy yard, and the bill will no doubt be passed.

Contagious Diseases of Animals.

Washington, June 21.—In accordance with the law for the suppression of contagious diseases among domestic animals, Secretary Wilson of the agricultural department has issued to managers and agents of railroads and transportation companies, stockmen and others a circular notifying them that the contagious disease known as sheep scab, or scabies of sheep, exists among sheep in the United States and that it is a violation of the law to receive for transportation or transport any stock affected with that disease from one state or territory to another.

It is also a violation of the law to deliver for such transportation to any railroad company, or master or owner of any boat or vessel, any sheep, knowing them to be affected with the contagious disease referred to, and it is also unlawful to drive on foot or transport in private conveyance from one state or territory to another any sheep so affected. Transportation companies and individuals engaged in the business of shipping and transporting sheep are requested to co-operate with the department in the enforcement of the laws for preventing the spread of the disease, and orders are given that cars, boats or vehicles which have been used in the transportation of animals affected shall be immediately cleansed and disinfected.

River Steamer Burned.

Ogdensburg, N. Y., June 21.—The big ferry steamer International of the Canadian Pacific Car and Passenger Transfer company was burned at its dock in Prescott. The fire started near the boilers, and the boat was a mass of flames when discovered. To save it, the steamer was scuttled and sunk in about 16 feet of water. The full extent of the damages cannot be learned until the boat is raised, but it will foot up several thousand dollars. A burning timber fell foul of the whistle valve, causing a prolonged shriek that aroused the inhabitants of both this city and Prescott.

Wrecked Schooner's Crew Landed.

Philadelphia, June 21.—The tug Lillie Graham, Captain Le Compt, has brought to this city the crew of the schooner John C. Atkins, which was run into off Fort Delaware by a Reading tug towing barges. The schooner lost her deckload of lumber and became waterlogged. After the crew had been taken off the Atkins was towed to Newcastle flats, where she now lies. The tug was not damaged and proceeded on its way.

Miser Killed by Lightning.

Springfield, Ills., June 21.—During a thunderstorm Christian Gonalt, alias Chris Minenkin, was killed by lightning while plowing a field near Farmersville. It was discovered on searching his person that he had about $25,000 in cash. He had been living a miser's life.

Senator Aldrich Convalescent.

Providence, June 21.—United States Senator Nelson Aldrich, who has been resting at his home at Sharwich Neck for some days, will return to Washington next week. He is greatly improved in health.

THE JUBILEE BEGUN.

Queen Victoria Attends the Ceremonies at St. George's Chapel.

THE SCENE WAS MOST IMPRESSIVE.

The Service Was Private and For the Members of the Royal Family, All of Whom Were Present—Her Majesty Very Much Affected.

London, June 21.—Queen Victoria began the celebration of her jubilee yesterday, as was befitting her entire career, before the altar of her faith, while throughout London, the United Kingdom and the empire, in every cathedral, church or chapel of the Established Church of England were held services similar to those at St. George's chapel, Windsor, where her majesty paid her devotions and offered solemn thanksgiving.

The announcement that the service at St. George's chapel would be private and for the members of the royal family prevented the gathering of a large crowd. The scene was most impressive and the service very simple. Her majesty sat in the chair of state immediately in front of the communion rail and just beside the brass plate the inscription of which designates the spot which was the temporary place of interment of the prince consort.

The ladies and gentlemen who are the grand officers of the queen's household entered first, followed by the military Knights of Windsor in the full costume of cocked hats and scarlet coats. The Duke of Devonshire and Lord Rosebery occupied their stalls as Knights of the Garter.

The Dean of Windsor, wearing the insignia of chaplain of the Order of the Garter, officiated, assisted by the lord bishop of Barry and several canons.

The Queen's Arrival.

Punctually at 11 o'clock, amid the soft strains of an organ voluntary, the queen arrived from the cloisters at the entrance. Assisted by her Indian attendant, she walked slowly to the chair of state, the congregation standing. She was dressed all in black except for a white tuft in her bonnet. The Empress Frederick of Germany, attired in deep black, took the seat at the right of the queen, while the Duke of Connaught, wearing his Windsor uniform, seated himself at her left.

The others grouped themselves closely behind and looked very like a simple family of worshipers. Among them were the Duchess of Connaught, Prince Henry of Prussia and the Princess Henry, Prince Christian and Princess Christian, with their children, Princess Henry of Battenberg, the Grand Duke Sergius and the grand duchess.

Ordinary morning prayers began with a short exhortation from I. Tim., and the Suffrages after the Creed contained these sentences:

Priest—O Lord save the queen.

Answer—Who putteth her trust in thee.

Priest—Send her help from thy holy place.

Answer—And evermore mightily defend her.

Priest—Let her enemies have no advantage over her.

Answer—Let not the wicked approach to hurt her.

After the first collect a special collect was read, and instead of the usual prayer for the queen and royal family two special prayers were substituted.

A special prayer for unity was said, and there were special psalms and gospels used instead of those for the day, the gospel being the sixteenth verse of the twenty-second chapter of St. Matthew, "Render, therefore, unto Caesar the things which are Caesar's."

There was no sermon, but a special hymn, written by the Right Rev. William Walsham, lord bishop of Wakefield, with music by Sir Arthur Sullivan, was sung at her majesty's request.

Before the benediction a special thanksgiving was offered.

Music by St. George's Choir.

The choir of St. George's chapel rendered the musical portion of the service, Sir Walter Parratt presiding at the organ. The service lasted 40 minutes, the queen remaining seated throughout and following closely the special prayers and hymn.

At the end there was a pause. The queen, with bowed head, continued in silent prayer. Then followed a touching scene, which will ever linger in the memory of those who witnessed it. Summoning the Empress Frederick, who bowed low at her side, the queen kissed her on both cheeks. The Duke of Connaught and the others of the family followed, receiving a similar token of affection on bended knee. In many cases the recipient was kissed several times.

The queen was profoundly moved, and the tears rolled down her cheeks. At last, and evidently with great reluctance, she beckoned her Indian attendant, and, leaning on his arm, passed slowly out of the chapel, the entire congregation standing, the soft light falling through the multicolored windows and the exquisite strains of the organ rising and swelling beneath the gothic bannered roof. It was a scene never to be forgotten and thrilled all present with strong emotion.

Part of a Lost Vessel's Cargo.

Alpena, Mich., June 21.—The steamer Root has arrived here with a barrel of copper from the wreck of the long lost steamer Pewabic. This is conclusive proof that the much sought for ship has at last been found. The copper is in nuggets and weighs 1,500 pounds. The divers say that the hull of the Pewabic is badly broken up, and for a radius of 15 feet around the boat the copper and iron of her cargo can be seen in large quantities.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Mabel Du Bois, of Park avenue, is the guest of relatives in White House.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are to-day its warmest friends. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Walter B. Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, returned to Hoboken, this morning, for a month's supplementary term at Stevens Institute.

"There's no use in talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, La Cygne, Kas., "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy does the work. After taking medicines of my own preparation and those of others, I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss Harriet E. Delano, formerly junior teacher at the Plainfield High School, has been spending the winter in charge of the hospital ward at Wellesley College.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman fo the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

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DECISION IN LIQUOR CASE.

A Person Who Knowingly Violates Must Be Made to Pay.

Kansas City, June 21.—An interesting decision bearing on the Kansas prohibitory law has been rendered by Judge Gates in the circuit court here in the case of the Val Blatz Brewing company against the firm of Bobrecker Bros. The plaintiff consigned a quantity of beer to itself in Leavenworth, Kan., being both consignee and consignor. Then, contrary to the rules and regulations made and provided by the prohibitory law, resold the liquor to Bobrecker Bros. of this city.

The latter refused to pay for it and when sued for the value of the liquor set up the unique defense that the plaintiff was violating the prohibitory law of Kansas in selling the beer, and that the comity of states forbade the legalization by one state of an action which was illegal in another state.

Judge Gates held that the defendants knew the prohibitory law was being violated and that they could not hide behind the known violation of a law. The liquor was bought and must be paid for. Judgment was rendered for the brewing company.

DEBS' FOLLOWERS.

They Adopt a Constitution, Which Is Against All Monopolies.

Chicago, June 21.—Eugene V. Debs declared in an interview that the free silver wave had receded to such an extent that it was a dead issue.

Mr. Debs will encourage socialism as the issue in 1900. The constitution, which has been adopted by an overwhelming majority, favors the public ownership of all industries controlled by monopolies, trusts and combines, such as railroads, telegraphs, telephones, transportation, waterworks, gas and electric light plants. It also favors public proprietary control of all mines, oil and gas wells. It favors reduction of the hours of labor in proportion to the progress of production. Relief for the unemployed is suggested in the undertaking of public works and improvements.

Woolen Mills Burned at Providence.

Providence, June 21.—Fire broke out among a number of bales of raw wool stored in the house of the Manton mills, at Manton village, at the city line. The flames quickly spread through the three-story wooden building, which was soon gutted. The automatic sprinklers in the finishing room of the main mill went off, and the damage to the goods in this department from water will equal the loss of the wool. The entire damage is estimated at about $60,000 by the owner, H. A. Kimball. The mill is employed on woolens and worsteds and has about 500 hands. The loss is fully covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Receiver For Mining Property.

Denver, June 21.—Judge Allen has decided to appoint a receiver for the Bassick mine, but the receiver has not yet been named. Under a recent decision of the federal courts E. C. Bassick is in possession of the property. The present action was brought by minority stockholders in the Bassick company, asking that the court determine the rights of the company as against Bassick and Dennis Ryan. It is alleged that these two entered into a conspiracy to defraud the company out of the property. The Bassick mine is located in Custer county. It is valued at $5,000,000.

Unknown Man Killed by the Cars.

Gardiner, Mass., June 21.—A freight train on the Fitchburg railroad struck and killed an unknown man who was walking on the track three miles east of this town. When picked up, it was found that the wheels of the train had cut the body completely in two, while the left leg and arm were badly mangled. Nothing was found that would lead to an identification except a handkerchief on which was the name E. Burdick. The man was dressed in a black worsted suit, a white shirt and congress shoes. The body will be buried tomorrow unless claimed before then.

Earthquake In San Francisco.

San Francisco, June 21.—Two sharp and severe shocks of earthquake were felt here yesterday, the official time of the first, as taken by the United States weather bureau, being 12:14. It was followed almost immediately by a second shock. The vibrations were from west to east. Clocks were stopped, suspended lamps and decorations were broken in some places, but no real damage is reported. The shocks were the most severe experienced here for many years. The earthquake was general throughout the state.

Suicide of a Contractor.

Syracuse, June 21.—Henry F. Crawford, a contractor, aged 47 years, committed suicide at his home in this city by cutting his throat with a razor. He had been insane at intervals for a year, suffering from paresis. The act appeared not to have been premeditated. He had just shaved himself and appeared to have suddenly taken the notion of cutting his throat.

Deficit In Pennsylvania's Finances.

Harrisburg, June 21.—Deputy Attorney General Elkin has given out a statement of the condition of the state's finances, in which he shows there is a deficit of $3,500,000 in the state treasury. Mr. Elkin says the legislature has for several years appropriated more money than the net revenues received by the state, hence the present large deficiency.

Accidents to Boys.

Waltham, Mass., June 21.—Two boys are at the hospital here at the point of death from concussion of the brain. One of them, Daniel Sullivan, aged 15, of Arlington, jumped off a moving train on the Fitchburg road. The second is Otis Steele of Weston, who collided with a tree while scorching down Charles street.

Postoffice Robbed.

Redstone, N. H., June 21.—Wyman & Dobbs' store and the postoffice have been broken open and cash and checks to the amount of about $1,000 stolen. Mr. Wyman is postmaster and keeps the office in his store. All the postoffice funds were taken.

Student's Body Recovered.

Hanover, N. H., June 21.—Harold Dawes Gilbert of Newton Highlands, Mass., the Dartmouth student who was drowned in the Connecticut river while canoeing nine days ago, has been found on the edge of a log jam.

BRANDED IN CHURCH

A Christianized Hebrew Branded as an Immoral Person.

WAS SUSPENDED FROM COMMUNION.

Has Been Seeking For a Long Time to Become a Presbyterian Preacher. His Wife Speaks In His Defense and Causes a Sensation.

New York, June 21.—Herman Warszawiak the Christianized Hebrew who has been seeking admission into the Presbyterian church as a minister and who for a long time had the support of Rev. Dr. John Hall of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, was yesterday morning publicly denounced before the congregation in that church as an immoral person and guilty of gambling. He was also suspended from the communion of the church.

When the judgment was read to the fashionable congregation, Mrs. Warszawiak, who was present, arose and declared in a loud voice that her husband was innocent. She was put out of the church, while the pastor announced a hymn to quiet the congregation.

Defends Her Husband.

Mrs. Warszawiak said: "My husband is innocent. I cannot sit here and allow him to be harshly spoken of before so many people and not defend him." The ushers, at a signal from Dr. Pritchard of Alexander chapel, who had taken Dr. Hall's place for the day, led Mrs. Warszawiak from the church.

The congregation had begun to sing the hymn announced. Mrs. Warszawiak at first resisted, but was soon prevailed upon to leave.

Notwithstanding the singing of the hymn, the excitement, though suppressed, was intense.

After the incident the services went on as usual, but at the close many remained to talk of the scene, and it was late when the church was closed.

An Interesting Case.

The announcement of the finding in the case of Warszawiak yesterday was the culmination of one of the most interesting church suits of recent years. A young man had done missionary work among the Hebrews, his own people, whom he had left.

Supposedly prospering in his work and taken into the friendship of one of the most influential preachers of this city, he had, by the finding of the church, been declared a hypocrite and gambler.

The session of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church had been investigating for a long time the status of Warszawiak. Detectives had been employed to look into the charges, and they had been aided by Anthony Comstock.

The specifications on which he was found guilty charged him with playing roulette and gambling in a poolroom and gambling house in Weehawken, N. J., called the Hoffman House. The decision in the case was reached last Thursday night.

Severe Storm In Alabama.

Montgomery, Ala., June 21.—The severest storm known in this section visited Montgomery. The wind registered 54 miles an hour for a few minutes, and almost three-quarters of an inch of rain fell, within 20 minutes, which is more than the total rainfall for the month of May. The barometer dropped two-tenths, while the temperature dropped 20 degrees in as many minutes. The wind's velocity was greater than ever before registered here. Shade trees all over town were felled and crops in the surrounding country damaged, numerous roofs were blown off and fences laid low.

Riot at a Negro Excursion.

Chattanooga, June 21.—A special from Gadsden, Ala., says: Henry Thomas, a negro excursionist from Birmingham, fired into a party of Gadsden negroes just as the train was leaving and wounded Will Garner, a local cabman. Garner and his friends returned the fire, and a general riot ensued. Thomas was shot in the back and neck and was stabbed twice in the shoulder and will die. Two other Birmingham negroes were shot and another was stabbed. Mean whisky was the cause of the trouble.

Engine Derailed by Cows.

Lexington, Mass., June 21.—An engine on the Boston and Maine railroad, attached to a freight train running from Lowell to Bedford, ran into and killed four cows which were upon the track near Bedford Springs. The engine was thrown into the ditch upon its side. Engineer Bushee was caught underneath it and was badly, though not fatally scalded. None of the cars left the rails. A wrecking train has put the engine upon the rails.

St. Louis Poolrooms.

St. Louis, June 21.—The St. Louis poolrooms, which for the last six months have enjoyed entire immunity from police interference, will, it is expected, be closed by the operation of the Missouri Breeders' law. As there appears to be some doubt concerning the constitutionality of the law, Cole E. Ullman will keep his book open in the expectation of being raided and making a test case. All other poolrooms will close.

Killed by a Pitched Ball.

Saratoga, June 21.—Austin Smith, aged 19, the son of James Smith of Sandy Hill, was killed while playing baseball with a picked nine on the Washington county fair grounds, located between Sandy Hill and Fort Edward. Smith was at the bat, when Pitcher Edward McGinnis pitched a curved ball, which struck Smith under the ear, causing concussion of the brain and almost instant death.

Rumors of a Big Defalcation.

San Francisco, June 21.—The local newspapers published statements to the effect that Isaac Norton, the cashier of the internal revenue office, who committed suicide on Wednesday last, was a defaulter to the extent of $50,000. The official by whom an investigation into the affairs of the office is being made declines either to affirm or deny the statement.

A Virginia Cyclone.

Newport News, Va., June 21.—A cyclone has wrecked several houses and did much damage to growing crops. Considerable damage was also done to the small craft lying at anchor in the James river.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

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Fair Tonight and Tuesday; Warmer Tuesday Afternoon.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 78 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

June 22—Town Improvement Association meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Hall at 10 a. m.

Subscribers to The Daily Press who are leaving town for summer vacations can have the paper sent to their temporary address without extra expense by simply notifying the business office

EFFICIENT HEALTH BOARD.

The efficiency of a Board of Health can only be fully appreciated by an experience such as Plainfield is now passing through. Citizens can now have the satisfaction of knowing that Plainfield has one of the best and most efficient Health Boards in the State and that the members of it are constantly on the lookout for the welfare of the city. The vigilance of the Board which has kept the recent epidemic within small bounds and now located the cause, speaks well for the Board. Dr. Hunt, of the State Board, who came to assist in the search, is very high in his praise of the local Health Board.

WESTFIELD BOYS STARTED WEST.

They Became Tired Out at Elizabethport and Returned Home.

Two Westfield lads, Leland Smith and Victor French, aged 11 and 12 years, respectively, disappeared from their homes on Thursday morning and, when they did not return at evening, their parents became alarmed and started out to search for them. It was learned that they had told other boys about town that they were going to Echo Lake, fishing. It was feared that the boys had been drowned and a searching party went to the lake. No trace of them could be found there, however, and anxiety as to their whereabouts continued until Friday morning, when the boys reappeared at their homes hungry and penitent. They had walked all the way to Elizabethport, with the attention of going west to seek their fortunes. Their courage failed when night came on and they set out for home again. They were much exhausted from the long tramp, and promised never to do so more.

DIED AT THE HOSPITAL.

An Aged Minister of Scotch Plains Passed Away Yesterday.

The death of the Rev. W. F. Cable, aged 74 years, a resident of Scotch Plains, occurred at Muhlenberg Hospital Saturday night after an illness of short duration. The deceased was taken to the hospital last Monday suffering with bronchitis and heart trouble and he failed rapidly. Mr. Cable was a retired rector in the Episcopal church and the Bishop of this Diocese will make arrangements for the interment and service owing to the fact that the deceased has no family or relatives. He had been in this country about one year and moved from Hoboken to Scotch Plains a few months ago. A. M. Runyon & Son, undertakers, have taken charge of the body and the service will be held from the Church of the Heavenly Rest tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. Interment will be at Hillside.

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Addressed the Graduates.

An interesting service was held at Grace M. E. church last evening, when the pastor, Rev. H. J. Johnston, delivered a special sermon to the three graduates of the North Plainfield High School. Seats were reserved for the graduates, teachers and superintendent of the school. Mr. Johnston took for his subject the word, "Ambition," and from it he drew many helpful lessons which he impressed strongly on the minds of all present. The musical part of the service was a feature which all enjoyed.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way

Miss Josie Fritz, of Somerset street, is visiting friends in Scranton.

Ray Avery, of Rahway, has been the guest of friends in Plainfield.

Miss Jessie Little, of East Ninth street, is the guest of Brooklyn friends.

Miss Caroline Drake, of Duer street, has gone to Scranton to visit relatives

Mrs. Shaw and Miss Shaw, of Putnam avenue, have gone to Belmar for the summer.

Mrs. W. C. Ayers, of West Second street, has about recovered from her recent illness.

George W. Cole, of West Second street, is able to be out again after a severe illness.

Miss Mabelle Phillips, of Madison avenue, is visiting friends in Virginia for two weeks.

Mrs. H. T. Smith, of Westervelt avenue, has gone to Glen Cove, L. I., to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bodine, of Grandview avenue, are the proud parents of a little girl.

Mrs. John Vroom, of West Second street, has gone to Oak Tree to spend a week with friends.

Samuel Huntington and family, of Franklin place, have gone away on their summer vacation.

Mrs Robert Binning, of New York, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Elijah Stites, of Chatham street.

Mrs. George Dufferts, of White House, is a guest at the home of W. C. Williams, of West Seventh street.

Mrs. Ward, of the First Baptist church choir, sang a very pretty alto solo at the service yesterday morning.

George A. Horne, of Willow avenue, returns this evening after attending the closing exercises at Lehigh University.

Mr. Lampson, formerly a resident of Plainfield, but now living in Newark, was in the city yesterday calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wharton Edwards, of Franklin place, are sojourning at the Monegan Islands, Maine, for the summer.

Miss Anne Miller, of LaGrande avenue, has returned from her studies at Wellesley College and is home on her summer vacation.

Mrs. John C. Hafner, of Richmond street, left yesterday for a two-weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Richard Hornby, at Phillipsburg.

Harry L. McGee, of Orchard place, Washington Park, returns to Stevens Institute today to take a supplementary term in the machine shop.

Everett J. Peck, of Myrtle avenue, returned today from Bethlehem, where he has been to take his entrance examinations to Lehigh University.

The first of next week Alfred Garland, of East Fifth street, will leave for Asbury Park where he will spend the summer with his father, Prof. Garland.

J. Vincent Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, returned from Bethlehem, Saturday evening, after successfully passing his entrance examinations for Lehigh University.

FUNERAL OF MRS. BEACH.

The Services Held at the Residence of Her Daughter on East Second Street.

The funeral services of the late Mrs. Lydia Beach, wife of the late Joseph Beach, were held last evening from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. A. Woodruff, 215 East Second street, the pastor of the deceased, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph.D., officiating. The home was filled with sorrowing relatives and friends who had personally known the deceased and loved her for her many excellent qualities. Mr. Schenck read the favorite psalm, the 103d, and also the favorite Bible chapter, the 11th of John. He spoke tender words of comfort to the bereaved family and commended the beautiful Christian life of the deceased to all. He portrayed in a very impressive and beautiful manner the departed as being asleep, not dead.

A quartette consisting of Miss Blair, Miss Newell, Messrs. Clark and Cutter, sang "No Sorrow There," and "The Christian's Good Night," very effectively.

This morning the remains were taken to Rahway and services were held from the Presbyterian church at that place. The interment was in the family plot at Rahway.

In Honor of the Jubilee.

At the services of the Church of the Holy Cross, North Plainfield, yesterday, prayers were offered for her majesty, Victoria, Queen of Great Britian and Ireland. Rev. T. Logan Murphy preached an able and eloquent sermon, paying a glowing tribute to her majesty, and spoke of the phenominal prosperity of the English Nation during her reign. The vested choir of men and boys rendered appropriate music.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—A regular communication of Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. T., will be held tonight.

—You can wear a collar with comfort providing it is one of those neat fitting collars sold at Peck's

—The Sunday-school sessions at the First Baptist church are now held in the morning instead of afternoon.

—The subject for the midweek prayer service of the Congregational church this week will be "God in nature."

—Anchor Lodge, No. 148, F and A. M., will hold a regular communication tomorrow evening and work several degrees.

—An adjourned meeting of the City Council will be held this evening, when important business will be transacted.

—The rush of work still continues at the Potter Press Works, and it is quite likely that there will be plenty of work all summer.

—A meeting of Washington Camp, Patriotic Order Sons of America, will be held this evening and important business will be transacted.

—The A. O. H., accompanied by the Independent Fife and Drum Corps, went to Jersey City, yesterday, to witness the laying of the corner stone of a new Catholic church in that city.

—The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of the First M. E. church, will give a lawn party tomorrow afternoon and evening from four till ten o'clock on the lawn of Mrs. C. H. Rugg, 250 East Second street.

—The deed for the Sheridan House property to the Union County Board of Freeholders for $25,000 was filed in the County Clerk's office Thursday; also another for Hetfield lot adjoining for $2,000. The county will soon build a new court and county house on the plot acquired, which adjoins the present old court-house. Architects will be asked to compete in the drawings.

—The members of Miantonomoh Tribe, I.O. R. M., held a meeting yesterday and decided to attend the funeral of Mrs. Newcorn today. The service was held from the house on West Front street at 1 o'clock, and interment was at Bound Brook. The members of Iona Council, Degree of Pocohontas, also attended in a body and at the grave performed the ceremony of the order.

THE PASTOR'S SIDE.

Says There Was No Trouble in the First Church of Christ.

To the Editor of the The Daily Press:

Dear Sir:—I beg leave to make known through your columns, that the article in your Saturday evening's paper, June 19, entitled, "Church Unity at Zero," is misleading and partially untrue. The statement,—"For sometime past the members of the First Church of Christ have been at variance with each other regarding the government of the church affair,"—has no foundation, but on the countrary, the church has not been more harmonious, and as a whole has never done a better work, than in the past few weeks; and as for the pastor preaching for $3.90 per week no such thing was ever arranged for or thought of by the church or pastor, and nothing was said or done on Friday evening contrary to the carrying out of the contract previously made and well known by both parties.

The officers were elected in decency and in order, and not one angry word was uttered nor was there one moment of disorder during the entire evening. The meeting closed with the spirit of the song,—"God be With You Till We Meet Again," which was heartily sung by all, and the benediction.

In justification of the church, the pastor and your appreciated columns these words seem necessary.

Very respectfully yours,
W. O. Thomas,
Pastor.

THEATRICAL.

According to Manager W. D. Mann "The Girl From Paris," at N. Y. Hearld Square Theatre, has received more advertising from people who having seen it once, tell all their friends to see it, and go again themselves, than any other play that has ever been at the theatre. The souvenirs for June 28th, the 250th performance, will not be clocks, but handsome Frenchplate hand mirrors, heavily mounted in silver from the jeweler, Kirkpatrick oval shape and designed for a lady's dressing table.

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"MELLOWING" SMALL STATAURY.

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Nowadays when small casts of the great pieces of statuary are beginning to replace the hopelessly inartistic bisque shepherds and sheperdesses of a decade or two ago, it is a matter of economy for the mistress of the house to understand the art of "ivorizing." The glaring white Venus of Milo, which one may purchase from the basket of the peripatetic art dealer, may be made softly mellow and beautiful at about one-tenth of the price necessary to buy her already "mellowed." The medallion heads of the poets, musicians and conquerors of the world with which aesthetically intellectual young persons love to adorn their rooms, are also much improved by being subjected to the mellowing process.

Besides the cast, the requirements for the work are a cake of white soap, powdered raw sienna and turpentine, with a large stock of patience, care and painstaking. The process with all its different, trying periods, requires about three days. The first experiment should be made on either cheap or damaged casts.

Fill two large tins or basins with water. Then make the water very soapy by rubbing in it a cake of white soap. Use the contents of one of these vessels for bathing your cast. Afterward let it become thoroughly dry. Then take the second basin, put into the soapy water enough powdered raw sienna to color the water to a pale tint, and bathe the cast with the solution three times, allowing it to dry between each application. The raw sienna is deceptive, and it is better to give three washes and produce a gradual shade, than to use the wash but once, and produce a too somber effect. The tinting of raw sienna is then put on with a brush. Next melt some beeswax on a stove or above the gas, and thin it with turpentine. Pour this mixture over the cast, and the result of your labors is ready for a room with a dry atmosphere, where it should remain over night. The final touch is that of polishing with a dry cloth or a bit of chamois.—New York Sun.

AN OLD NEVADA TRAGEDY.

The Fight Between Bodlen and Chimay at the Bodie Saloon.

"I saw a great deal of killing in one form or another, and a heap of savage fights in Nevada's mountains," said Capt. William Mason, once of the Comstock Lode and a score of other lodes in the Silver State, "but for surprise and horror the fight between Bodlen and Chimay in the Bodie saloon lay over anything else by long odds. It was about midnight that the men fell to shooting—what it was about I forget now—but the saloon was running full blast, and there was a scattering to get out of the way of the shots. But the shooting was all on one side, for the cylinder on Chimay's pistol wouldn't revolve, and Bodlen sent shots into him until Chimay fell with *enough holes in him to let out three* lives. He was carried into a back room and laid out on the floor to wait for the Coroner, and then everybody went back into the front part of the saloon, and the games and the drinking went on as lively as before.

"Bodlen, as the winner, was naturally popular and a good deal looked up to that night, and had a good many invitations to drink, and he set 'em up himself off and on. He was standing at the bar with a group around him, the hero of the night. Of a sudden the door of the back room, where Chimay had been laid away, opened, and the first man that looked gave a yell like an Indian and nearly fell backward, and the rest of us felt like doing the same thing when we saw that it was Chimay standing there, pistol in hand, looking round. He saw the man he wanted, and by this time everybody between him and Bodlen had got out of the way. He raised his pistol and Bodlen pulled his, and the shots rang out again, but this time Chimay's pistol cylinder revolved, and at his second shot Bodlen dropped his pistol, staggered and went down on his face, shot through the heart. Chimay watched him fall, and then his pistol dropped from his hand and he fell backward into the room a corpse for good this time.

"For clear nerve and resolution, what Chimay had done beat anything I ever knew of. Left to himself he had revived, picked up his pistol, taken it apart, fixed the cylinder so that it would work, and then came out and shot his man. That was a specimen chip of Nevada in the old days."

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.!

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mr. Runyon and son, Albert, of Plainfield, were the guests of friends in the borough on Saturday.

John Van Middlesworth and daughter, Miss Van Middlesworth, of the borough, spent Saturday at Coney Island.

Miss Kittie Dinneen, of the borough, left Saturday for Danbury, Conn., where she will spend the summer.

John Auten, of the borough, left Saturday for Chatham, where he will spend the summer at the Fairview House with friends.

Mrs. Cannon, who has been ill for some time past, is reported as being much improved and hopes of her speedy recovery are entertained.

John Probasco, of Pittstown, this State, who has been the guest of friends in this vicinity for several days, returned to his home on Saturday. Mr. Probasco will again visit friends in the borough this week.

Charles Johnston is not only interested in the selling of real estate, but of late he has interested himself in tilling the soil. Mr. Johnston is somewhat of an expert in farming and knows how to raise the best of crops.

The reference made in The Daily Press of last Saturday to the very dusty condition of the streets in the borough seems to have met with favorable comment. The dust is certainly one of the worst things that Dunellenites have to contend with at present, and at a very slight expense the streets of the borough could be sprinkled and everybody could live in comfort during the summer months.

About twenty-five members of the Lawn Tennis Association of the North Plainfield Grace M. E. church spent Saturday afternoon with the Dunellen Lawn Tennis Association and a very pleasant time was the result. The afternoon was spent in playing tennis and some very good scores were made. The Plainfield party was chaperoned by Revs. Johnston and O'Donnell, and among those from Plainfield who played were: Miss Marguerite Schuck, the Misses Carroll, Miss Smith, Dr. H. K. Carroll, Raymond Carroll, Rev. H. J. Johnston, pastor of Grace M. E. church; Rev. W. C. O'Donnell, pastor of Monroe Avenue church. The social part of the gathering was a feature and it is quite likely that the Dunellen Association will visit the Plainfield Association at an early date.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Miss Winnie Clark is visiting friends in Brooklyn.

Norman Dunn is able to be out again after his recent illness.

Miss Johnson entertained a number of friends from out of town yesterday.

A successful clambake was held at Lee's Hotel Saturday afternoon and evening.

A large fishing party went from this place to try their luck upon the Passaic river yesterday.

A large band of gypsies passed through town Saturday afternoon, going in the direction of Feltville.

T M. Paff, Sr., and E. A. Wright went up to the Passaic river upon a fishing excursion Friday, and brought home a fine mess of eels and catfish.

Over seventy Knights of Pythias from Plainfield and Brooklyn visited this place yesterday afternoon and decorated the graves of their dead brethern. At the Fanwood station the visitors were met by the members of Goodwill Lodge, of Scotch Plains, and escorted to the cemetery. After the decoration services the Knights marched in a body to Blimm's Hotel, and there partook of a fine dinner.

Ralph Tolles, of Westervelt avenue, has secured the position of night operator at the local office of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, and will commence his duties next week.

WESTFIELD

PASTOR TURNED DOWN.

REV. MR. FRANCIS DID NOT DELIVER THE BACCALAUREATE.

Although It Was His Turn, He Was Informed That The School Trustees Would Have Another Man—Other Items.

The baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the Lincoln High School, was preached by Rev. Rufus S. Green, D. D., in the Methodist church last evening. The sermon was an eloquent one. A large audience was present and several selections were sung by the High School choir. It has been customary in years past for the ministers of the place to meet and select one of their number to deliver the baccalaureate sermon, the honor being conferred upon the different pastors in rotation. This year, however, a most surprising thing happened to disturb the usual course of events. The Rev. Mr. Ketcham, of the Congregational church, and Martin Welles, a member of the board of school trustees, called upon Rev. William Ruth, pastor of the Methodist church, before action had been taken by the pastors, and asked him to deliver the baccalaureate sermon. This Mr. Ruth refused to do, upon the ground that it was not his turn, and that he had not been selected by the ministers' meeting. Ketcham and Welles then informed Mr. Ruth that any other man whom the ministers' meeting should select would be turned down by the school board. Mr. Ruth, however, remained firm in his refusal. The news of this interview soon reached the ears of Rev. G. A. Francis, of the Baptist church, whose turn it was to deliver the sermon. Mr. Francis demanded an explanation of Mr. Ketcham's attitude, and the situation was commencing to look ominous when someone suggested as a compromise the name of Dr. Green, a retired minister, living in the town. There was no opposition to the selection of Dr. Green, and as he has no church Mr. Ruth offered the use of his church for the sermon, and the offer was accepted. The reasons for Dr. Green's appointment were hushed up for a time, but the matter is now freely talked of, and people are inquiring who is really responsible for the slight cast upon Mr. Francis.

H H. Lamson, of Roseville, visited friends in town yesterday.

Miss Hilda Green is entertaining friends from New York city.

Dr. Elmer Wherry, of New York city, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Lou Bennett, of Elm street, is visiting friends at Narragansett Pier.

B. J. Crosby, of Westfield avenue, will return from his western trip July 1st.

Mrs. R. M. Hooper, of New York, spent Saturday with friends in this place.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Rice, of Newark, spent Friday and Saturday in town.

Welch Bros. have finished painting the house of J. Dix Ritchie, on Charles street.

Miss Marvin, of Smith College, is the guest of Mrs. George Embree, of Kimball avenue.

I. Kamenetzky, the Broad street tailor, has placed a fine awning in front of his store.

The Epworth League will hold a business meeting in the parlors of the M. E. church this evening.

Miss Ella Hall, Edwin Hall and Charles Manning rode to New Brunswick and back on their bicycles yesterday afternoon.

The Westfield Club baseball team defeated the Crescents, of Plainfield, at that city Saturday, by the score of 16 to 9. A full account of the game appears in another column.

The Rev. G. A. Francis, of the Baptist church, has gone to Clayton, to attend the ordination of his youngest brother, Rev. Eben Francis, which will take place in that place on Wednesday.

The Westfield Club baseball team has at last secured the promise of two games with the Cranfords, for $20 a game. This is encouraging, as it assures an addition of $40 to Westfield's treasury.

The mid-monthly prayer meeting of the Woman's Association of the Congregational church was held in the Sunday-school room of that church this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The leader was Mrs. David Williams.

The ladies of St. Paul's Episcopal church gave an ice cream festival upon the lawn of George Embree's residence, on Kimball avenue, Saturday afternoon and evening. The house and the lawn were prettily decorated with flags and Japanese lanterns. Tables were arranged upon the lawn and within the house a cake sale was conducted. The waitresses were Miss Mable Holcomb, Misses Bessie and Maud Eliot, Mrs. Wiggs, Miss Sergeant, Miss Marvin, Miss Hilda Green, Miss Gertrude Noe, Miss Ethel Green and Miss Alice Barton.

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REALTY CHANGES.

Plainfield Matters of Record in the County Clerk's Office.

The following property transfers have been recorded in the office of the County Clerk, June 11th to 17th, inclusive:

Floyd F. Simmons et ux., New Providence, to Louis F. W. Fink, Plainfield, 1 94-100 acres, road Scotch Plains to Union Village, $400; Alice S. Anthony to John J. H. Poillon, N. Y., lot Putnam avenue, Plainfield, subject to mortgage, $10,000; Isaac W. Rushmore et ux., Plainfield, to Mabel M. Pinton, lot W. Eighth street, Plainfield, $1; Sarah Delaney, Canada, to Augustus J. Brunson, North Plainfield, tract East Ninth street and Third place, Carlton place, Broadway, Carlton avenue, Putnam avenue, Crescent avenue, Seventh street, etc., $1; Fanwood township to Nelson Runyon, Plainfield, 30 acres, district 5, taxes $1; E. E. Vail et ux., to Rachel Coddington, Plainfield, lot Elm street, Plainfield, $3,000; John M. Hetfield et ux., Plainfield, to Freeholders of Union county, lot Rahway avenue, near Union street, Elizabeth, $2,000; Sarah R. Preece, Brooklyn, to Lemuel B. Woolston, North Plainfield, lot 10, block 1, Pound map, $100; Freeman Steele et ux., Washington, N. J., to Essie R. Thompson, Plainfield, lot Ravine road, near Berkeley avenue, subject to mortgage, $6,000.

The following contracts have also been filed:

J. A. Smith, Plainfield, with Ralph V. Saums, carpenter, stable, Central avenue, Plainfield, $977; same with H. H. Jessup, mason, on barn $830; Board of trustees, school district No. 1, with J. A. Hubbard, Plainfield, altering old Seventh-Day Baptist church, $4,154; Mary McCabe, Plainfield, with Herman Hansen, Plainfield, carpenter, mason, etc., house Johnson avenue, North Plainfield $500.

Borough Realty Changes.

The following real estate transfers in North Plainfield have recently been recorded in the Somerset County Clerk's office:

Charles A. Reed to Herman Klinsman, $365; W. H. H. Wyckoff sheriff, to Floret Wormser, $1,000; Jeremiah Manning et als., to Emily A. Searing, $600; Jeremiah Manning et als., to Augustus V. Searing, Jr., $600; Herman Schwed et ux., to Philip and Augusta Giese, $850; E. Frank Vail to George Ball, $1; Sarah D. Taynor, to Mary E. Daley, et als., $35; Hippolyte Texier et ux., to Plainfield Ice and Cold Storage Company, $1; Sarah Brady to Sarah Bird, $1,800; Harry W. Breckenridge to U. S. Pipe Line Company, $1.

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Funeral services will be held in the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue on Tuesday, June 22nd at 2.45 p. m.

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The continued cool weather makes it imperative that makers should sell now, and to unload quick they sell at a loss. Values will surprise you here.

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Lisle finish vests..... 10c
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Much of the loss caused by these reductions we take ourselves—its clearing time in this department, and we must have shelf room. If its dress goods you save money by buying here.

40 in black and blue Etima cloth..... 25c
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Business bringing items these, all bought for a quick sale. Fix your hosiery thoughts on this store—we sell nothing but what will wear and give satisfaction.

Ladies' hose, extra fine quality..... 14c
Ladies' lisle hose, very fine..... 25c
Children's plain hose, fine quality..... 15c
Boy's bicycle hose, double sole knee..... 15c
Men's fine black half hose..... 13c
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"During a residence at Zuni, the largest of the Indian pueblos, in Northwestern New Mexico, I have often watched the mothers and daughters of the tribe at their interesting work of making haiwe, or 'paper-bread,'" says a writer in the Woman's Home Companion. "They use a basis of either corn or wheat, which is often boiled in advance to make it more tender, and is then ground on much the same primitive style of stone hand-mill as that used in old Mexico. * * * After the maize of wheat has been once ground through the hand-mill, it is passed through the same operation at least once more, to make it still finer, and then it is mixed into a very thin batter in an olla, or decorated water jar, fashioned from clay, fired and painted by the women pottery makers of the tribe, who are wonderfully adept in the potter's art, and that of decoration in striking and yet tasteful designs.

"If our flour prepared for the baking be of wheat the bread will be of a bluish tint, and if of corn, whiter, while the preparation has been made above the wood-fed flame burning in the fireplace of the stone or concrete house, there has been slowly heating a slab of stone, the upper surface of which is smooth and oily by long use in making haiwe. Kneeling before the hot stone, when all is ready, the Indian woman dips her hand into the jar of batter at her side and then swiftly sweeps that dripping member over the face of the tablet, leaving a broad veneer of liquid dough, which thoroughly bakes in a few seconds. Catching the thin edge of the sheet of bread by the fingers of the other hand, she peels it almost off the smooth stone by one dextrous jerk, leaving one edge still attached. Giving another sweep of her now freshly battered palm, she joins the two separate sheets into one by slightly overlapping the adhering film with the fresh application. The double operation of smearing and pealing continues in swift succession, and by the method described there is no break in the long strip of bread, which falls in ever-lengthening folds by the side of the panadera as she works. A Zuni woman takes great pride in her ability to show the entire baking in one unbroken sheet, no matter how long she may continue. When finished, the long bolt of bread is folded much after the fashion of the leaves of an uncut mazazine, and is then tightly rolled, that it may not dry. In this manner it is kept in a state of preservation for future use, for it is seldom baked for immediate consumption.

"This 'paper-bread' is not used for ordinary household purposes, but is baked when a party of warriors or hunters are making ready for a long trip into the wilds, or when someone is departing on an extended journey."

Pine Nuts.

A small buff-colored nut called the pignon is the fruit of a species of pine tree, a native of Upper California, and its healthful food qualities are greatly appreciated by California and Oregon Indians.

It is a little nut about an inch in length, and is rather three-sided, a trifle longer than round. The hard thick shell would sorely tax one's patience, and it surely would be difficult to get the sweet edible kernal free from outside entanglement; but, as the shell matures, a slight crack appears upon one side, allowing entrance for the blade of a pen-knife or nut-pick, and, presto! the walls of the little brown house fall apart—a small white kernal is discovered, enveloped in a thin film of gauzy brown. A most surprising number of nuts are found in one cone; this, however, does not appear so marvelous when one takes into account the actual size of the cone, measuring, as is often the case, a foot in length and seven hundred inches in diameter, having fully two hundred scales, in each of which lie two seeds, so that in a perfectly fertile cone a harvest of four hundred pretty brown nuts may be counted on. The yield from a single tree is often enormous.—Harper's Bazar.

The Cunning Reynard.

Southey's story is of a tame fox at Bridgewater, which had been brought up from a cub to run in the wheel as a turnspit. One day, however, his vagabond instincts proved too much for him, and he determined to take a holiday. The fleshpots of his Egypt were a dust and ashes to his palate compared with the chickens of his own selection. Unfortunately he chose the hunting season for his excursion, and soon came in contact with his hereditary persecutors. He evidently determined to give them a good run, for he took them twice through a stream, after a grand circumbendibus, which involved a chase of nearly thirty miles; he made his way back with hounds in full cry, and re-entering the kitchen, resumed operations in the wheel with as much unconcern as though he had never left it. The fat cook, with whom he was a great favorite, succeeded in beating the hounds off till the arrival of the huntsman, who humanely assisted in saving a life, which, if sagacity and ingenuity be virtues, well deserved to be spared.—English Illustrated Magazine.

One hundred and twenty stokers are required to feed the furnace of a first-class Atlantic steamer.

COULD TALK ABOUT FLIES.

Dull Pupil Who Proved He was not a Fool When it Came to His Specialty.

One of the speakers at a banquet given here recently, says the Washington Post, dwelt at some length upon a man's natural aptitude to the vocation in life he pursued. He told an interesting story illustrating his meaning from one of his schoolboy recollections, as follows:

"At my first school there was a boy to whom the teacher could not succeed in imparting the simplest rules of elementary knowledge. Try as she might, her efforts were failures. Her patience, after exhausting trials, turned to despair. One day, when he seemed duller than usual, she sent him from the recitation bench to his seat with a severe reprimand, promising to recommend his dismissal to the trustees.

"Shortly afterward she observed him bending over some pursuit at his desk. His eyes were lighted with an expression that seemed inspiration. Anxious to know the cause of this almost miraculous transformation from sloth that was sluggish to activity that was life, she passed down the aisle by his desk on some pretext that would not disturb him, and found the cause of his glowing study to be the examination of a fly, which he had caught and was examining, having dissected it into parts. The truth dawned upon the teacher. The boy's mind ran to entomology. He was a born naturalist.

"The teacher said nothing, but that afternoon called up the entire class for general recitation. The boy's appearance was as dull as ever. 'Boys,' said the teacher addressing the entire school, 'I want to see how far your general powers of observation on trivial subjects go. For instance, you have all seen thousands of flies. Now, I want each of you to tell me his impressions of a fly.' Beyond the fact that a fly was a fly and had two wings not one of the school could say a thing further. At the first mention of the subject the dull boy was all aglow. He held up his hand and snapped his fingers. He realized his superiority. It was his day. He told of the fly from a general and analytical standpoint, its interior and exterior construction, its habits, its food, its generation and its propensities. The rest of the school sat astonished. The boy went on and launched into a general description of bugs and insects he had caught in the woods.

"From that day the teacher encouraged his peculiar aptitude, and troubled him no more with the rules of grammar and arithmetic. She went into the woods with him and helped in his studies of nature. She brought the attention of the school trustees to his case, and, to make a long story short, he was sent to Europe for study. In Leipsic he was made moderator of the Natural Conservatory of Science. He held for a time an important position in the Smithsonian, at Washington, D. C., and he is now in Paris, one of the leading entomologists of the world.

GOOD AMERICAN MANNERS.

The Politeness, However, Evidently not Appreciated.

It was in the elevator of the Hotel Continental in Paris—one of those slow-going machines in which this noted hotel delights. Four or five persons were in the car besides the operator, who had waxed fat in his laborious occupation of pulling on the rope. One of the company was fresh from the Ecole des Beaux-Arts, where, indeed, his whole time was employed when not engaged in the necessary relaxation at Versailles, in the Bois, at the café, or in other restful places of the world's capital. His companion was not of this description. Among the others were a lady and a gentleman, to the former of whom the two Americans had removed their hats. But the gentleman with her made no motion to remove his, but regarded the company with a studied indifference.

"Oh," said one of the Americans, "it does not appear to be necessary to remove one's hat here," and thereupon clapped his on his head. The lady and gentleman getting out at the next floor, the elevator guard politely informed the remainder of the company that they were the Grand Duke and Grand Duchess of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, the latter being own sister to the then Imperial Autocrat of All the Russias, as I believe it was stated.—Architecture and Building.

A Matter of Expense.

Jack—Was yours a long courtship, old fellow?

Will— Gracious, no! My wife had nine little brothers and sisters.

"Really. But what difference did that make?"

"What difference? Well, if you had to bribe a crowd like that to keep out of the parlor every time you went to see your girl, you'd soon want to cut expenses."—Boston Traveller.

Outside the Tent.

"Well, Mariar," said the old man, as he got down from the wagon seat where he had been patiently waiting, "did you see all the animals?"

"All but two," she said with a sigh. "I hunted the longest time, but I couldn't seem to find the carnivora and the egress. I expect they was the best part of the show, too."—Washington Times.

Doubtless.

Jones—Has he a stable mind?

Bones—I guess so. He's always talking about horses.—New York Journal.

A pinch of black pepper wrapped in cotton and dipped in camphor is a new cure for the toothache.

DR. NANSEN'S WIFE.

King Oscar Has a Special Admiration for Her Voice.

Of Dr. Nansen's wife not much information has found its way into print. She seems to have a very imperfectly developed taste for publicity, but what is known of her is interesting and indicates that she is an uncommon woman, both in talent and character. It is recorded by Dr. Nansen's biographers, Broegger and Rolfsen, that his first meeting with his future wife was in the woods about Frogner Seator, where, one day, observing the soles of two feet sticking up out of the snow, he approached them, with natural curiosity, in time to see the head of Eva Sars emerge from a snowbank. Dr. Nansen was married in 1889, after his return from his successful expedition across Greenland. When he started in the Fram in 1893, his wife, left at home at Lysaker, near Christiana, with one child, turned for occupation to the development and use of her gifts as a singer, and with notable success. King Oscar of Sweden is one of her admirers, and especially likes her singing, which he has often heard; and since she has been in England the compliment has been paid her of asking her to sing before the Queen. She is a staunch backer of her adventurous husband, whose departure on his perilous errand cost her anxieties and misgivings as to which she said little at the time. Since her husband's return she has sometimes spoken in conversation of her fears, and has said that careful comparison of Dr. Nansen's diary with her record or remembrance of her own sensations bears her out in the belief that the times when she was the most concerned about him were the seasons of his greatest peril. That implies a telepathic communication born of intense sympathy and solicitude, the possibility of which science seems no longer disposed to deny. Mrs. Nansen's father was Professor Sars, a well-known zoologist. Zoology, it will be remembered, is a branch of science of which Dr. Nansen has made a special study.—Harper's Weekly.

Took the Conceit Out of Him.

"I'm going to have a little fun this afternoon," remarked Joseph Goodfellow, as he worked his way into his overcoat, preparatory to leaving his office Saturday. "That boy of mine has been reading about the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight, and boxing in barns all over town, till he imagines he is a pugilist. I'm going to take him out in the back yard and take some of the conceit out of him. He is a pretty husky boy, but you know I used to be very clever with the mittens myself."

This morning the following appeared under the head of personal mention:

"The friends of Mr. Joseph Goodfellow will regret to learn that he is seriously ill at his home in the Western Addition."

In the sporting columns of the same journal was the following:

"I hereby challenge any 16-year-old boy on the Pacific coast, who don't weigh over 135 pounds, to fight to a finish for fun or marbles.—Kid Goodfellow."—San Francisco Post.

A Remarkable Tree.

A redwood tree which was recently cut down in the state of Washington was 465 feet in height, or about one-eleventh of a mile. To the point where the first limb branched out was 220 feet. At the base the circumference was found to be 38 feet 11 inches. If it were sawed into lumber it would make 96,345 feet of boards. This amount of lumber would serve for the construction of eight cottages two stories high, each containing seven rooms. The age of the tree is said to have been 634 years.—New York Tribune.

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 3 30, 3 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45 (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p.m.; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

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Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, am; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 06, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 35, 9 03, 10 05, 11 35, a.m; (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 3 35, 4 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30, 11 25 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, (1 40, Saturdays only) 3 11, 3 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 54, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 39, 5 09, 6 30, 10 35, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 38, 7 45, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 06, 3 28, 4 25, 5 38, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 32, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 03, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a m; 6 30, 10 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

8 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

3 15 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 48 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

3 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

9 2h a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

FOR LONG BRANCH, OCEAN GROVE, ETC.

Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m. 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 8 53 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m. 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 03, p. m., Sundays 8 53 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 32 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 37* 1 17 night. Sundays—5 17, 5 45, 9 55 10 44 a. m., 2 35, 4 55, 5 09* 6 45 p. m. 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 4 35, 5 34*, 6 28*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 17night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a.m., 2 35, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m., 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 10 44 a. m., 5 09*, 6 45, p. m., 1 17 night.

For Buffalo, Chicago and all points West, week-days at 9 54 a. m., 8 21 p. m. Sunday 6 35 p. m.

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For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 6 48, 7 50, 10 06 a. m. 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. m. Sunday 8 00, 9 00 local a. m. 2 20 and 7 10 p. m.

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25 dozen gauze underwear, color blue, at 29c each, regular price 49c.

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Linen collars at 9c, 3 for 25c, and the cuffs at 12c per pair.

Golf caps at 25c and 45c. The very newest in fancy bosom dress shirts at 79c-98c.

A FIERCE FIGHT.

Italians' Street Brawl Brings Out the Militia In a Massachusetts Town.

South Framingham, Mass., June 21.—A street brawl by drunken Italian laborers, the attempted arrest of one of them by officers, one of whom was nearly killed, led to the calling out of the local militia company. The Italians came into town on the train from Natick. Four of them had a savage fight on Waverly street. Officers Robert Trace and David Bastien made an attempt to stop the fight by warning the men to go home peaceably. But this they would not do, so the officers attempted to arrest one of the ringleaders.

The scrimmage was a short and fierce one, for all of the Italians set upon the officers in the attempt to rescue the arrested man, and Officer Bastien was badly clubbed with a bottle of beer.

The officer sank unconscious from what later proved to be a badly fractured skull. Officer Trace could not hold his prisoner, who was dragged away and out of sight, all the Italians taking to their heels. Officer Trace fired three shots in the direction of the fleeing men, but none took effect. Officer Bastien was taken to the hospital, where his condition was found to be critical.

Shortly after, the police sounded the militia alarm on the bells and steam whistles, but as the rain was pouring in torrents, few of the soldiers turned out. The object was to scour the town for the assailants of Officer Bastien, and this meant the surrounding of the Italian colony here. The militiamen who responded accompanied the police force and a number of citizens to Dog's Nest, as the colony is known, where a house to house canvass was made.

Three men were arrested, two of whom Officer Trace identified as the men in the fight. They were taken to the police station and will be held to await the result of Officer Bastien's injury.

The hospital physicians reported Mr. Bastien's condition as hopeless. He was badly used up in the fight. The incipient riot has created considerable excitement in the town against the Italians, who are generally described as a troublesome lot.

FIRE IN BUFFALO.

Joseph Melenski and His Five Children Frightfully Burned, One Fatally.

Buffalo, June 21.—Fire partly destroyed the home of Joseph Melenski in East Buffalo. Melenski was awakened by the cries of his children and running to a bedroom in which five of them were sleeping found the bed and furniture in flames. Melenski carried the children into the yard, and then an alarm was turned in. All of the children were frightfully burned.

Sophia, aged 10, died in the Fitch hospital; Mary, aged 12; Bronislowa, 5 years old; Veronica, 3 years old, and Cecilia, aged 8, are lying in cots at the hospital, and the attending physicians say there is little chance for their recovery.

They are all badly burned about the head, body and arms. Melenski is also in the hospital, his arms and face being fearfully burned in the attempt to save his children. The property loss was trifling.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

The Seventh regiment, N. G., S. N. Y., began its week's stay at the state camp, near Peekskill.

The tug Edna B. King was nearly struck by a shell fired from David's island, N. Y.

The senate has confirmed the nomination of Stewart L. Woodford to be United States minister to Spain.

There is no truth in the report from Rome that Giuseppe Verdi, the celebrated composer, who is now in his 83d year, is seriously ill.

William Bell, the millionaire piano and organ manufacturer of Guelph, Ont., was stricken with paralysis Saturday. He cannot recover.

Mr. Bartlett Tripp, the former United States embassador at Vienna, is a passenger on board the American line steamship Paris for New York.

Walter Norris, aged 16, was killed by lightning at Bogart, Ga. He was standing on his front porch and had a baby in his arms at the time. The baby was not injured.

The funeral of Barney Barnato, the South Africa diamond king, who committed suicide while en route from Cape Town for Southampton, took place at London. The interment was in the Jewish cemetery at Willesden.

Prominent Minister Dead.

Saratoga, June 21.—Rev. Dr. James N. Crocker, aged 70 years, died here after an illness of three weeks. He was a prominent Presbyterian and for 20 years had been in the synod of New York. A widow and three children survive him. The funeral will take place on Wednesday.

Weather Predictions.

Fair; slightly cooler; northwesterly winds.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western quiet, but steady; city mills patents, $4.60@4.85; winter patents, $4.45@4.75; city mills clears, $4.60@4.75; winter straights, $4.05@4.20.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened quiet and barely steady, easing off under the decline at Liverpool and favorable crop news and finally rallied on covering; July, 74 3-16@74⅝c.; September, 70 3-16@70¾c.

RYE—Steady; No. 2 western, 36½@27c.

CORN—No. 2 easier under lower cables and in sympathy with wheat, except next month's, which was steady on covering; July, 29 1-16@29⅞c.; September, 30⅞@31⅛c.

OATS—No. 2 inactive; track, white, state, 25@32c.; track, white, western, 25@32c.

PORK—Steady; mess, $8.25@8.75; family, $9.25@10.

LARD—Quiet; prime western steam, $3.85 nominal.

BUTTER—Quiet; state dairy, 10@14c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Quiet; state, large, 8¼@8⅝c.; small, 7½@8c.

EGGS—Steady; state and Pennsylvania, 12@12½c.; western, 10½@11½c.

SUGAR—Raw firm; fair refining, 3c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c.; refined firm; crushed, 5⅜c.; powdered, 5⅛c.

TURPENTINE—Quiet at 27½@28c.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, 22@28c.

RICE—Steady; domestic, 4¼@6c.; Japan, 4¼@4½c

THE BIG BOAT RACES

All of the Crews Now at Poughkeepsie Ready For the Event.

HOW THE CONTESTANTS APPEAR.

Some Information Regarding the Different Tactics on Which to Base the Chances of Winning—Programme of the Several Events.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 21.—Yale is here. The blue floats over the boathouse and the training quarters, and the boating colony has a score more added to its already large number. The arrival of the brawny giants will now make it possible for the collegiate experts who have picked winners and condemned methods to change their opinions. That the Yale men will be in the race is apparent. Never was seen such a lot of stalwart looking men. The eight as picked to row on varsity day weigh just 122 pounds more than the Cornell men and about 40 pounds more than the Harvard boys. When they row over the course for the first time, they will be watched by hundreds of anxious eyes. So far as can be seen, they form equally as formidable a crew as Yale has ever had.

The greatest excitement of the day next to the arrival of Yale seemed to be the announcement that John Harvard had been painted during the day. Investigation showed that there had not been a violation of the sacred statue at Harvard, but that the training launch John Harvard had been treated to a new coat of paint of dazzling white.

The Crews.

For the benefit and information of those desiring to know the points of the three crews to row in the big varsity race of Friday, June 25, these statistics are given:

There is a difference of 14½ pounds in the average weights of the crews. Yale is the heaviest and Cornell the lightest, with Harvard as a happy medium. If weight counts for endurance, then Yale has the advantage; but, on the contrary, Cornell, with the lightest crew on the river, won last year's race easily. Cornell is lighter than ever this year, the lately added youngsters, who succeeded some heavy men, being very light. For ideality Harvard's weight is the best. The average weights of the crews, exclusive of the coxswains, are as follows: Cornell, 159 pounds; Harvard, 169; Yale, 173½.

Harvard suffered last year from lack of endurance, while the light Cornell crew finished in splendid shape, although judged by the college "experts," some of whom are doing similar newspaper work this year, as being too light to possibly withstand the strain of four miles. It is generally conceded that Yale crews always finish strong and that endurance is their best point. Harvard has trained this year to overcome last year's defeat, and it is not only possible, but probable that the hard racing will be done in the last mile.

Both Harvard and Cornell have studied much on the starts, and both incline to a quick start, but an equally quick slow down to a normal stroke. Yale catches water quickly, but swings down to an easy gait at once. If Harvard and Cornell get fighting in the first mile or two and keep up a fast stroke, Yale, with her easy stroke, will win the race; or, if Harvard and Yale put up a terrific contest in the first mile, Cornell will repeat her performance of last year.

Harvard pulls the longest stroke and has the quickest recovery. Yale comes next and uses more body on the oar, but ships it more quickly for recovery. Cornell is about the same as last year, not quite so long as the present Harvard stroke, but snappier.

Cornell will use a new Watters paper boat, but both Harvard and Yale will use cedar boats built in this country. The Cornell and Yale crews use the American swivel oarlock, but the Harvard crews use the English thole pin and claim that they get much more power.

Other Points to Judge From.

These few facts, not theories, are things that will undoubtedly be factors in the race, tide and water not considered, and people of speculative minds can determine for themselves the winner with equally as much accuracy as the experts who are writing opinions from here. But after you have speculated, before a final decision is given, tide and water, Yale luck, Harvard misfortune and Cornell boating success should be marked down as unknown quantities, liable to cause disaster to any decisive opinion.

The programme for the entire series of races is briefly as follows:

Wednesday, June 23.—Two mile race for freshmen of Yale, Harvard and Cornell, to be rowed up stream between 4 and 5 o'clock p. m.

Friday, June 25.—Four mile race for varsity crews of Yale, Harvard, and Cornell, to be rowed down stream at 3:30 p. m. sharp.

Wednesday, June 30.—Two mile race, Cornell, Columbia and Pennsylvania, to be rowed down stream between 4 and 5 p. m.

Friday, July 1.—Four mile varsity race, Cornell, Columbia and Pennsylvania, to be rowed down stream between 4 and 5 p. m.

There is much discussion here about the tide changes. It is apprehended that unless the race is pulled off sharply on June 25 there may be trouble for whichever crew gets the beginning of the flood.

Bicycle Tubing Combination.

Cleveland, June 21.—A consolidation of interests engaged in manufacturing weldless steel tubing for bicycles has been formed in London, with H. A. Losier of this city as the head. A number of wealthy Englishmen, with Arthur Pilkington at their head, have invested $3,000,000 in the new corporation. Three large factories—Toledo, Ellwood City, Pa., and Greenville, Pa.—are embraced. The Pennsylvania establishments, which already cover seven acres of land and employ 1,200 men, will be enlarged to employ 3,000 men.

New Steam Pilotboat.

New York, June 21.—The new steam pilotboat New York, built by the Harlan & Hollingsworth company of Wilmington, Del., for the New York and Sandy Hook pilots, has arrived in port, and as she steamed up the bay she was saluted by numerous steamboats and tugs. The New York will have a trial trip on the 22d instant.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 4:29 a. m.
Sun Sets: 7:34 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 8:34 p. m.

CRESCENTS OUTPLAYED

THE WESTFIELD ATHLETIC CLUB WON AT BASEBALL SATURDAY.

Costly Errors by Plainfield Fielders and Bunched Hits by the Westfield Team Gave the Game to Westfield, by 10 to 9.

The Crescents met their match Saturday afternoon, in the nine from the Westfield Athletic Club and were fairly defeated. A few costly errors on the part of the Crescents and some well bunched hits by the Westfield boys did the business while the Westfield umpire came around with a decision that gave the Westfields four runs. Not but that they would have beaten anyhow, but this little gift of the umpire's made the score greater than it would otherwise have been.

The game was played on the Crescent's grounds at the corner of LaGrande avenue and Richmond street, and was witnessed by about four hundred spectators. The crowd was enthusiastic when the home team did anything to merit it, but some of the players were the subject of various derisive remarks.

Either Higgins, the Westfield pitcher, was a daisy, or else the local batters were afraid of him, for not a hit was made off him until the sixth inning and then they were weak and scattered. He had rather poor support, which accounts for most of the runs of the Crescents.

McLarty was hit freely and some ragged fielding made the result a foregone conclusion after the first few innings. Townley and Sutphen were both playing in poor form, and made several costly errors Sutphen struck out every time he came to bat.

It was in the second inning that the fun began. The Westfield boys found that a fly was a sure hit as it went out of bounds so they kept sending the ball in that direction. Three runs had come in and the bases were filled with only one out. Kelly batted an easy grounder to Cooney at third and the latter promptly threw the ball home to Bolsterli who stood at the plate. He touched the plate before the man running from third reached there and then caught Kelly before he reached first. The Westfield umpire couldn't seem to see that one man was forced out and called the runner safe at home. That was rather discouraging and four men crossed the plate, ere the boys recovered from the effects.

The local players made a big effort to catch up but Higgins' curves were puzzling and Westfield easily won. The Westfield infielders did not put up as good a game as the Plainfield boys but their errors did not prove costly. Bolsterli caught well, although McLarty was pretty swift for him. The new men, Cooney and Corbin, impressed the crowd favorably and will be fixtures on the team.

The scores are as follows:—

CRESCENTS.

	A. B.	R.	B. H.	P. O.	A.	E.
Townley, ss	3	1	0	1	3	2
Cooney, 3b	5	1	1	1	5	0
Corbin, 1b	5	1	1	15	0	1
Bolsterli, c	5	2	0	4	1	0
Symons, lf	5	1	1	0	0	0
Lederer, 2b	3	1	2	1	3	0
Mumford, cf	5	0	0	1	0	0
Sutphen, rf	5	0	0	0	0	2
McLarty, p	4	2	1	0	10	1
	40	9	6	23	22	6

WESTFIELD A. C.

	A. B.	R.	B. H.	P. O.	A.	E.
Roth, ss	5	3	1	1	3	3
Mason lf	5	4	1	0	0	1
Kelly, c	5	0	2	11	0	1
Crooks, cf	6	1	2	3	0	0
Higgins, p	4	2	2	0	12	1
Williams, 3b	5	1	3	1	4	2
Randolph, 1b	4	2	1	10	0	1
Smith, 2b	5	1	1	1	3	2
Abrams, rf	4	2	2	0	0	0
	43	16	15	27	22	11

BY INNINGS.

Crescents.....0 0 2 1 0 0 4 1 1-- 9
Westfield.....0 7 0 2 2 2 2 1 x--16

Earned runs, Crescents, 1; Westfield, 2. Two-base hits, Lederer, Corbin, Symons, Mason, Crooks, Williams, Smith, Abrams. Stolen bases, Townley, Cooney, Bolsterli, (2), Lederer, (2), Williams, Randolph, (3). Double plays, Lederer, Townley and Corbin. Bases on balls, Off Higgins, 3; off McLarty, 4. Struck out, By Higgins, 11; by McLarty, 5. Left on bases, Crescents, 8; Westfield, 9. Sacrifice hit, Corbin. Passed balls, Bolsterli, 2; Kelly, 3. Wild pitches, McLarty, 1; Higgins, 1. Time of game, Two hours. Umpires, James Brown, of Plainfield, and C. Allen, of Westfield.

Burglars Foiled.

An attempt was made Saturday night to break into the home of Mr. Closson, on East Front street. The burglar alarm worked quickly and awoke the coachman, who sleeps in the house, in time to see three men run off of the porch. The men could not be identified.

JUNIOR ATHLETES MEET

FRED OVERTON CARRIED OFF THE HONORS OF THE DAY.

The Crescent Wheelmen Juniors Held Their Third Annual Field Day at Crescent Oval, Saturday Afternoon—Summary

The Crescent Wheelmen Juniors held their third annual field day at the Crescent Oval Saturday afternoon. There was a fair attendance. The day was a perfect one for field sports and the young athletes did very well. Fred Overton carried off the honors of the day by winning four events. I. Hand finished first in the bicycle events, but was disqualified in one for looking back at the finish.

The summaries of the events were as follows:

100 yard dash—First heat, won by F. Overton, scratch; H. Roome, 3 yards, second. Second heat, won by R. Smith, 5 yards; E. Hobbie, 4 yards, second; final heat, won by Overton; Smith, second; Roome, third. Time, 12 1-5 seconds.

One-third mile bicycle race—Won by I. Hand; J. Hawkins, second; F. Talmadge, third. Time, 50 4 5 seconds.

Pole vault—Won by H. Rogers, 8 inches; A. Denton, scratch, second; F. Rogers, 6 inches, third. Height, 6 feet, 10 inches.

One-mile bicycle race—Won by J. Hawkins, 110 yards; I. Hand, 75 yards, second. Time, 2:33.

220-yards dash—Won by F. Overton, scratch; R. Smith, 10 yards, second; H. Roome, 5 yards, third. Time, 28 seconds.

Putting the shot—Won by F. Overton, scratch; H. Cathcart, 2 inches, second; A. Crowe, 6 inches, third. Distance, 23 feet, 11 1-2 inches.

Running broad jump—Won by F. Overton, scratch; H. Cathcart, 2 inches, second; A. Denton, 6 inches, third. Distance, 14 feet, 1 inch.

Two-mile bicycle race—Won by I. Hand, 150 yards; J. Hawkins, 200 yards, second. Time, 5:55.

FUNERAL OF MRS. NEWCORN.

It Was Held This Afternoon at Her Late Home on West Front Street.

The funeral services of the late Mrs. William Newcorn were held at 1:30 this afternoon at the house on West Front street, near New street.

The attendance was very large and included delegations from Iona Council, Degree af Pocahontas, and from Miantonomoh Tribe, No. 181, I. O. R. M. The members of the Hebrew Synagogue, of this city, were also present.

Rev. Dr. Tinsler, of the Henry street synagogue, New York city, preached the sermon. The floral offerings were many and elaborate.

Interment was in the Jewish cemetery at Bound Brook.

RISBERG'S LIGHT SENTENCE.

Judge Fort Gave Him Three Months in Jail and $100 Fine.

John Risberg, of this city, who was convicted by a Newark jury two weeks ago of being implicated in the death of Mrs. Mary Noble, was sentenced by Judge J. Frank Fort in the Newark Criminal Court this morning to serve three months in the county jail and pay a fine of $100.

Senator Charles A. Reed and Judge George W. DeMeza of this city represented Risberg. The Senator made a strong plea for clemency from the court just before the prisoner was sentenced. The penalth inflicted was a very light one as the maximum punishment for the offense is fifteen years in state prison and a fine of $5,000.

Hop at the Hunterston.

An informal hop was held at the Hotel Hunterston last Saturday evening, which was attended by a large number of society people from Plainfield and Netherwood. Music for dancing was furnished by Rogers, and the guests enjoyed themselves thoroughly. The usual hospitality of the management was extended, and an evening of pleasure resulted. During the evening light refreshments were served to the guests.

Miss Fender Died.

Miss Caroline Adelia Fender, aged 30 years, died at her home, on Grove street, yesterday morning, after a long illness with consumption and heart trouble. She had been confined to the house for some time past and was unable to leave her bed. Notice of funeral will be given later.

PLUCK OF FOUNDRY EMPLOYES.

Men Working Stripped to the Waist in Showers of Molten Steel.

Modern Machinery, of Chicago, in describing the work done in a steel foundry, tells of remarkable instances of nerve displayed by the men. When the furnace is tapped there is a torrent of scoria that scatters over a wide area, descending in an umbrella-shaped mass of sparks that envelope the men at the ladle.

Through the pyrotechnic display of the rain of fire and luminous reflections you can see a workman shrug his shoulders or wriggle a little. This is the only sign he gives that a spark of molten steel has fallen inside his flannel shirt. The manager said that in the performance of their work the men would run into a deluge of flying sparks so thick you would think no one could go into it and come out alive, and that, too, in summer when they were stripped to the waist and had not even a shirt to protect them. In the shadow of the furnace and ladle it would often register 125 degrees, and the very life was cooked out of the air. Some of the men are singed and scarred more than veterans of many battles; heroes of the workshop, they stand under fire every day of their lives and expect no songs to be sung in their honor or monuments to be erected to their memories.

The manager related an incredible incident, which he gave merely as a sample of the nerve these men have. One day the foreman of the casting department had started a ladle of steel on its journey among the moulds and was seen to shake his foot several times. He went on, however, and not until all the steel was safe in the beds of sand did he hobble to the wall, where he took a piece of steel as big as his thumb out of his shoe. It had burned into his great toe joint, and the man was laid up for weeks.

HOTELS IN GREECE.

Landlords not Particularly Enterprising in That Sunny Land.

In Greece the hotels of the interior follow one general type—the Italian. There is no common sitting room. Why should there be? There is no office, but that does not seem to interfere with the presentation of the bills. The ground floor is given up to a cafe or restaurant, if the innkeeper goes into that line of business. Very often, however, the master of the Apollo has only rooms to let. The sleeping apartments on the floor above are often approached by an outside stairway, and, as is to be expected in a southern climate, they are scantily furnished. Overfurnishing is a vice anywhere. Under a southern sky it is a crime of which the Greeks are not guilty. There is usually a mirror, though that tribute of human vanity is sometimes lacking, and, like the Turk, the solitary Turkish towel bears no brother near his throne. The bedstead is invariably of iron. As in primitive United States within my memory, single rooms are rare. Two, three, four, five beds are put in one room or strung along the corridors. A fastidious person who desires to occupy a room alone has to pay for all the beds therein. In some places special charges are made for sleeping in the daytime, and there is a fixed rate for sleeping on the floor.—Atlantic Monthly.

Unseasonable Civility.

A Northern visitor in Atlanta was walking with his host in the garden the other morning, when they came upon the gardener, an old negro of 70 years.

"This," said the host, "is Moses—an old family servant."

"Mr. Moses," said the Northerner, extending his hand and touching his hat, "I am happy to meet you."

The old negro, ignoring the proffered hand, threw his own hat on the grass and, pulling at his wool, made a low obeisance.

When the guest was gone he approached his employer and former master. "Marse Jim," he said, "ain't de 'lection done over?"

"The election?"

"Yes, suh—de votin'?"

"Of course! Why do you ask?"

"Bekase," said the puzzled old fellow, "dat's de fust white man dat lif' he hat ter me en try ter shake hands out o' season. Dey sholy is sumpin' up!"—Atlanta Constitution.

DIED.

ETTINGER—At Plainfield N. J. Sunday, June 20th, 1897, Katherine, wife of Michael Ettinger, aged 38 years.
Funeral service at St. Mary's Cemetery, Tuesday, June 22nd, at 9.30 A. M.

REPORTS

are being circulated that I am handling Mr. Giles' milk at the dairy, 327 Watchung avenue. This is to notify all persons interested that I have had none of that milk since Friday, when I knew it was under suspicion. But a small amount has ever reached my patrons.

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Worcester sauce,	7c. bot
Im. Marmalade,	12c bot
Spratts dog cake,	5c. lb
Fresh Salmon,	9c. can
Jersey tomatoes,	5c. can

Monday, June 21.

Best lard,	4c. lb
Sweet Corn,	5c. can
Corn starch,	3c. pkg
Satin Gloss Soap,	3c. cake
Imported Macaroni,	9c.
Salad oil,	16c. qt
Best soda crackers,	4c. lb

Tuesday, June 22.

White beans,	3c. qt
Best pepper,	12c. lb
Vanilla extracts,	7c. bot
Morgan's Sapolio,	6c. cake
Imp. Sardines,	10c. box
Gold Dust,	16c pkg
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Thursday, June 24.

Best sm'd shoulders,	5c. lb
Best ammonia,	4c. bot
Scheuer's cocoa,	½ lb. 17c.
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Good brooms,	12c. each
Brushed peaches,	10c. lb
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Friday, June 25.

Best ginger snaps,	3c. lb
Club soda,	90c. doz
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MORE SEWERS TO COME.

THE COMMON COUNCIL TALKED ON VARIOUS OTHER QUESTIONS.

An Adjourned Meeting Was Held Last Night—Property Owners to Pay for Last Winter's Snow Shoveling by the City.

In the absence of President Dumont from the City Council meeting last evening, Councilman Serrell was chosen president pro tem The only other member absent was Mr. Stebbins. The business under consideration was of no great importance, but still it was necessary that the adjourned meeting be held to transact it. Communications from I. W. Rushmore asking for three crosswalks at the intersection of Grant avenue and West Third street, and one from J. Sattels asking for an electric light on East Sixth street near Watchung avenue, and another from J. Parker Mason asking for a crosswalk on Stelle avenue across Field avenue, were all referred with power.

The bond, acceptance and agreement of the Plainfield Sanitary Company were reported to the Council by Corporation Counsel C. A. Marsh as being correct, and after examination by the finance committee were ordered filed. The report of the treasurer, J. B. Dumont, of the Public Library and Reading Room, showed that $5,556.60 had been received during the year and at present there is a balance of $2,507.45 in the treasury.

Mr. Baker made a report on a statement furnished him by the Street Commissioner showing the amount due the city from certain property-owners who had failed to shovel snow from their sidewalks last winter. The various amounts will be charged to the tax bills of each one who is indebted to the city. Mr. Baker stated that the present method of paying bills was not a satisfactory one and he offered an ordinance which provides that the bill, voucher and receipt be combined in one. Heretofore the city has experienced difficulty in securing a receipt after the check was received, hence the change which was adopted by the Council. Mr. Baker also offered a resolution that $3,500 be borrowed in anticipation of taxes and that the same be charged to the fire fund.

Mr. Frost offered a resolution that the property owners on Watchung avenue from East Fourth street to La Grande avenue, also on Crescent avenue, be required to set curbing in front of their property to the proper grade. Owing to a slight mistake the Westervelt avenue ordinance, which provides for the widening of a portion of the avenue, was placed back on the first reading and adopted on first and second readings, and July 8th was the time set when those interested can meet the Council and offer any objections to the proposed work.

Another ordinance was offered by Mr. Frost which provides that sewers can be laid in all streets where there are none at present, and which may be called for at some future time. Mr. Frost stated that there two or three extensions called for at present, hence the ordinance.

Mr. Westphal raised an objection to the ordinance on the ground that a number of streets are included in the list which have never been accepted by the city, and he thought the city should do no work on the streets until they had been accepted. Mr. Frost replied that the Corporation Counsel had examined the matter and had reported favorably on it. To substantiate this Mr. Gavett was sent for and he verified that statement. Mr. Westphal was not satisfied, however, and refused to support the ordinance as did also Mr. Runyon. Mr. Westphal offered a motion that the matter be laid over until the next meeting, but the motion was lost. It was stated by Mr. Barrows that at present Somerset street to the brook and Stelle avenue were the only two streets which neede i the sewers, and the other streets could be attended to at the proper time. After much discussion the ordinance was adopted on first and second reading and ordered engrossed and advertised.

Mr. Newman offered a resolution providing for the signing of contracts between the city and the Plainfield Water Supply Company for two new hydrants which were located some time ago. Mr. Barrows asked the council for $150 to complete the purchase of the summer uniforms for the policemen. The first resolution offered some time ago did not call for a sufficient amount of money and thus it is that the above amount was asked for.

Mr. Westphal asked the council for $500, for the purpose of moving a building, located on the city property adjoining the Industrial Home, to the rear of the Home where it could be repaired and fixed in a suitable manner to accommodate women. According to the laws of the State men and women cannot be kept together and thus it is that the alms committee desire to make provision for the women. Mr. Westphal stated that the work would not cost $500 but that amount was asked for so the committee would be on the safe side. This concluded the business of the evening and the council adjourned.

DUSKY MAIDENS MET.

ONE IS SAID TO HAVE SLAPPED THE OTHER'S FACE.

So the Alleged Victim Appealed to City Judge DeMeza to Investigate the Trouble—It Began With Words.

North avenue saw an unusual sight, Sunday evening, when two colored women indulged in personalities until one finally slapped the other across the mouth, knocked her hat off and performed several other indignities.

Yesterday, Miss Carrie Bundy, daughter of Henry Bundy, formerly the colored sexton of the Park Avenue Baptist church, appeared before City Judge DeMeza and made a complaint against her friend, Miss Josephine Davis, who, she alleges, called her unpleasant names, slapped her face and became otherwise disorderly. The defendant in the case is a resident of the "Crystal Palace," as a tenament house in the West End is familiarly called.

Like all good people, the two colored young women started for church, last Sunday evening. They passed on North avenue and Carrie Bundy says that Josephine made a disgraceful remark as she flounced by. Carrie resented the remark and more words followed. Then, Carrie alleges, the other girl made a dive at her across the sidewalk and brought her hand against Carrie's face with a resounding whack. The alleged blow injured Miss Bundy's dignity more than it did her. Then the angry maiden struck out again and the other girl says that her hat was knocked off her head. A crowd gathered and the contesting parties retired to meet again.

The next meeting was in the city court this morning before City Judge DeMeza. Josephine Davis declared that the story of the complainant was all a pack of falsehoods and that it was Carrie Bundy and not Josephine Davis who had started all the trouble. The Judge listened dubiously to both and decided to listen to all the merits of the case Saturday morning, when the case will come up for trial.

A NOTED SCULPTOR

Thomas Ball, Who Has Been Abroad for Many Years, has Returned to America.

Thomas Ball, the sculptor, spent the Sabbath with Plainfield friends. For thirty two years Mr. Ball has resided in Florence, Italy, from whence he has made occasional visits to his native land He is now seventy eight years of age and has returned to the United States to spend the remainder of his days.

Mr. Ball is perhaps best known through his equestrian statue of Washington at Boston, though fine statues of Webster, Lincoln and others have added to his fame. He has lately completed the great monument to Washington, which is to be erected by E. F. Searles at Methuen, Mass. The colossal bronze figure of Washington, fifteen feet in height, was exhibited at the Columbian Exposition. The last of the other figures has lately been finished in clay and is now being cast in bronze in Munich. The monument is of marble, surmounted by the statue of Washington, the base surrounded by the figures mentioned. Mr. Ball has spent seven years upon this monument, and it may be a year or more before it will be ereected.

Going Camping.

"Camp Northfield" is attracting attention from young men of the local Young Men's Christian Association. The camp, which will open its season on June 25th, will continue until September 1st. Of all the many places for spending a summer's vacation, "Camp Northfield" offers very many special enjoyments and the young men of Plainfield would not make a mistake in selecting this place for their outing. The expenses are moderate. If you want to go, talk the matter over with the secretary of the Y. M. C. A. Get one of the camp prospectus free, at the Y. M. C. A. rooms.

Masons Attended Service.

The members of Stone Square Lodge, No. 38, F. and A. M., attended divine service at the Mt. Zion A.M.E. church, Sunday evening, and listened to an eloquent sermon delivered by the pastor, Rev. James E. Groves. His text was taken from Psalms 133, "How Good and How Blessed it is for Brethren to Dwell Together in Unity." Following the discourse the collection was raised by Rev. L. Sturgis, presiding elder of this district. The amount of money received from all of the services of the day was $90.

Daniel Upsher's Funeral.

The body of the late Daniel Upsher, who was killed by a railroad train near Trenton, Friday afternoon, was brought to Plainfield yesterday by Undertaker DeMott. The funeral services were held from the Mt. Olive Baptist church this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

SUCCESSFUL CLASS DAY

NORTH PLAINFIELD HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES HOLD EXERCISES.

A Host of Their Friends Filled All the Available Space in the Schoolhouse—Programme That Was Rendered.

The North Plainfield Public School could not hold all the friends of the class of '97 of that school, last evening, who came to attend the class day exercises and hear what the class had to say of the past, present and future. The exercises were entirely in the hands of the pupils of the High School.

Dr. Warde, superintendent of the school, and his efficient corps of teachers were present and occupied seats reserved for them. The members of the Board of Education were also present. The three graduates, the Misses Edna Louise French, H. Helen Phillips and Bessie Thompson Day, were seated on the platform, and with them were the two juniors, Miss Bertha Stevens and Wm. E. Pierson, who acted as a committee of introduction. The ushers were Fred Overton, '99; James Pope, 1900; Walter Emmons, 1900, and Benj. Schuck, 1901.

Long before the appointed time, every seat in the assembly hall was filled and it was necessary to keep the doors shut most of the time to prevent overcrowding the stairs and aisles. At last everybody was given a seat or found standing room and the exercises began. Neat little programmes, printed in the class colors, were distributed.

The programme as published in The Press last week was followed out. There were several selections by the High School chorus, under the direction of W. E. MacClymont A piano duet was given by Miss Conroy, '99, and Bert Simpson, 1901, who acted as accompanist for the chorus singing. Piano solos were rendered by Miss Nellie Valiant, 1901, and Miss May Conroy, '99. "General Grant" was the subject of a declamation by Morgan Townsend, 1901. Miss Rita Pond, '99, gave two recitations, "Charlie Machree," and "The King's Bell." They were given with much feeling and expression. Arthur Smith, '99 showed his talent in giving character sketches by the rendition of two, 'Shylock Lends The Ducats," and "Rollo." Charles M. Dolliver, '94, gave an oration from Peter Bayne's "Waterloo" in a very creditable manner that promised much for his abilities in that direction for the future.

The pupils were assisted in the programme by Miss May Jeffrey, soprano soloist, and the Plainfield Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar Club. The selections of both were appreciated by the audience and heartily applauded. The mandolin club made a very favorable impression as few knew what a flourishing club it is.

The three graduates took part in the programme. Miss French gave the class history and poem, telling of the struggles of the little class and what it has finally accomplished. Miss Phillips delivered an oration on "The Arbitration Treaty." Miss Day gave a declamation that was suited to the occasion and the class prophecy, which told some of the wonderful things that her schoolmates were to accomplish in the future. The class song was sung by the High School chorus.

After the exercises were over, the friends of the graduates gathered around to congratulate them on the successful carrying out of the first Class Day in the history of the North Plainfield school Everything was well done and the audience enjoyed it, although the room was crowded.

Going to Lake Champlain.

The boys' camp on Lake Champlain, near Westport, N. Y., will open on July 6th, and it now seems probable that some of the Plainfield boys will join the campers. Frank and Herbert Rogers, sons of Geo. T. Rogers, of Myrtle avenue, in company with F. O. Bristol, assistant secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association, will join the campers for the month of July. J. V. Beekman, Jr., of West Eighth street, will substitute for F. O. Bristol during his absence. If there are any other boys in this city who are thinking of going to the boys' camp they are requested to hand their names to the secretary at the Y. M. C. A.

A Strawberry Tea.

A strawberry tea was given by Miss Fannie M. Hayes, of West Seventh street, Saturday afternoon, in honor of her return from the south. There was dancing on the lawn and refreshments were served.

Walter G. Runyon Takes a Wife.

Walter G. Runyon, a builder, and Mrs. Levina Davis, were married at Asbury Park, Saturday afternoon. Both the bride and the groom were formerly residents of this city, and are well known here.

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THROWN FROM CAR STEP

MRS. NORTHUP INJURED ON HER WAY TO THIS CITY.

She Started to Board a Forty-second Street Car in New York When the Conductor Pulled the Bell Rope.

A very serious accident occurred late yesterday afternoon near Forty-second street, New York, when Mrs. Northup, formerly a resident of this city, was thrown from a street car and sustained injuries of a serious nature. Mrs. Northup had been in Providence, R. I., for some time and was on her way to Plainfield to visit her daughter, Mrs. Albert Demarest, of West Front street.

She arrived at the Grand Central Station, New York, in the afternoon and, walking down to Forty-second street, attempted to board a street car to come down town. While getting on the car the conductor pulled the bell-cord and the car started before Mrs. Northup could enter the car. As a result she was forced back from the sudden starting of the car and thrown on the hard block pavement. She fell on her left side, also striking her back. People who noticed the accident at once ran to the assistance of Mrs. Northup, and she was assisted to a nearby place where she was made as comfortable as possible until an ambulance could be secured to take her to the Liberty street ferry. Her condition was such that she was unable to move and had to be carried in a chair. She was brought to Plainfield on a train which reached this city about 8 o'clock and the ambulance was used in this city to convey her to the home of her daughter. Dr. Probasco was called and assisted in taking the woman to her destination and afterwards he gave the proper treatment.

Today Mrs. Northup's condition is worse, if anything, for she feels the effect of her fall more acutely. She is unable to move unless assisted and she suffers greatly from her injuries. Before leaving the scene of the accident in New York, she obtained the name of the conductor on the street car, the number of the car, also the names of several persons who witnessed the accident, and it is quite likely that there will be some interesting developments later on. It is said that the accident was wholly the result of carelessness on the part of the conductor.

JUDGE DE MEZA WORKING

HE METED OUT JUSTICE TO SEVERAL SMALL OFFENDERS.

One Man Had His Light Stolen and Rode Without It—The Keelys Appeared and One Pleaded Guilty.

There were several offenders in the city court, this morning, to whom City Judge De Meza alloted justice in homœpathic doses.

William Wilson was found drunk near Grant avenue station and was locked up until he could sober down. He pleaded guilty and the Judge fined him $3, which he paid in preference to go to jail for ten days.

D. F. Morse went to Scotch Plains last evening, and some enterprising Scotch Plainsite made off with his lantern so Morse rode home in the dark. He thought that it would be all right to ride home without one under the circumstances, but the Judge did not see it in that light, and Morse paid his fine of $1.

Frank Denckiau rode on the sidewalk as well as on his wheel and received a lecture from the Judge for so doing. He was let off without a fine.

John Keeley came up on the charge of violating the hack license and pleaded not guilty. As the complainant did not have his witnesses present the trial was set down for Saturday morning.

Patrick Keely, who was arrested on complaint of George Belcher, appeared and pleaded guilty to the charge of being drunk and disorderly and calling Belcher improper names. The Judge reserved his decision in the case until tomorrow morning.

Slipped in the Mud.

While riding along North avenue this morning, the little daughter of E. D. Gilmore, of West Second street, slipped in the mud and fell from her wheel. Her foot became entangled in the spokes of the wheel in her fall and she badly wrenched her ankle. She was carried into the Press office and then driven home by a kindly milkman. The injury was a painful one and she was unable to bear the weight of her body on the foot.

Funeral of Mrs. Ettinger.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Michael Ettinger was held this morning from her home on Cottage place. Only the immediate family were present at the house. Father Smyth performed the Catholic service at the grave. The interment was at St. Mary's Cemetery.

COSTLY CHERRY PICKING

MISS LOUGHLIN FELL FROM A TREE AND WAS INJURED.

She Had Climbed Into the Branches of a Cherry Tree When a Limb Gave Way—Very Serious Internal Injuries Feared.

A very narrow escape from fatal injury occurred yesterday afternoon on East Third street, when Miss Margaret Loughlin fell from a cherry tree and sustained severe injuries to her body. Miss Loughlin had ascended the tree for the purpose of picking cherries and she had gathered a large quantity when the accident happened. She was standing on a small limb when it broke and threw her with great force to the ground. She fell on her side and back, and when discovered soon afterwards by the members of the family it was thought that her back was broken. She was in a semi-conscious condition as a result of the fall and unable to talk.

Immediately the ambulance was sent for and Miss Loughlin was removed to the hospital where Dr. Long made a thorough examination. He learned that there were no broken bones although the body was bruised and very sore. Miss Loughlin suffers a great deal of pain and while it is not thought that her injuries are very serious the doctor is at present unable to tell how the case may terminate. There may possibly be internal injuries which might develop a little later.

The distance she fell was a long one and the suddenness with which she came down gave her a great shock from which she is recovering slowly.

ENDEAVORERS' SUMMER MEETING.

The Last Rally of the Season Will Be Held in the Congregational Church Tonight.

This evening the Plainfield Christian Endeavor Union holds its last public meeting for the season. The meeting will be held in the Congregational church, on West Seventh street, and will open promptly at 7.45 o'clock with a service of song conducted by Horace J. Martin. The hymn book used will be the Christian Endeavor edition of Gospel Hymns, No. 6, and all Endeavorers owning copies are requested to bring them.

The address of the evening will be by Rev. Cornelius Brett, D. D., of Jersey City. His subject will be "The Christian Endeavorer on His Summer Vacation." Dr. Brett is vice-president of the New Jersey State Union, and is a very entertaining speaker, a thorough favorite in Christian Endeavor circles. His subject is an unusually interesting one, and one which will appeal to all young people, and the older ones as well, at this season. An open parliament on the same topic, conducted by Rev. C. E. Herring, will follow the address, affording an opportunity for many Endeavorers to give their ideas of what a "Summer Christian" should be an do.

Giles Has Not Been There.

J. W. VanSickle is very indignant over the statement that the News published stating that Inspector Addis said that the three cases in the Warnock family could be traced directly to meat handled by one of the Giles lads. Mr. VanSickle wishes The Press to correct the statement. Up to a week ago one of the Giles lads was employed in his market, but he never cuts or handles the meat and has not carried or taken meat to Warnock's house for over three weeks, as Warnock trades with another butcher.

A Summer Festival.

The ladies of All Saints' church, Scotch Plains, will hold a summer festival on the grounds of Mrs. Arthur Kyte's residence, corner of Martine avenue and Midway, Fanwood, on Thursday afternoon and evening from 4 until 10 o'clock. Refreshments of various kinds, and articles of summer use, such as fans, etc., will be for sale, the proceeds going to the necessary repairs and furnishing of the church interior.

Celebrated His Birthday.

On Saturday last Edwad Mosher, Jr, of Elmwood place, celebrated the anniversary of his eighth birthday, and in honor of the event he entertained a few of his boy friends from the neighborhood. The afternoon was spent in playing games of all sorts, after which a pleasing supper was served.

A Longer Vacation.

According to a new order of things the members of the police department get ten days for a vacation this year instead of one week. This rule applies to all men except Patrolmen McCarthy, Cash and Watson who are special officers doing regular duty.

To Delinquent Tax Payers.

Persons who have failed to pay their taxes to the city for the year 1895, must settle with the collector on or before Thursday of this week, or their names will be advertised in the newspapers next day. 6 22 2

NELSON GILES TALKS.

STATEMENTS TO A PRESS REPORTER IN HIS OWN BEHALF.

Says He Was Not Notified to Clean His Dairy Until Saturday—Dissatisfied With the Treatment He Received.

Those who have followed the history of the present scarlet fever epidemic in this city are aware that the Board of Health has spared no pains in its efforts to locate the source of the contagion. The Board was so earnest in the matter that when physicians announced that the son of Nelson Giles, a local milkman, was suffering with scarlet fever, heroic measures were at once taken. 280 quarts of milk, which Giles had in stock, was dumped into the sewer by Health Inpector Addis, and other precautionary steps were taken. Mr. Giles has felt more or less aggrieved and sent for a Press reporter this morning for the purpose of making a statement.

"It has been stated," said Mr. Giles to The Press representative, "that my son Russell, who is now staying at his grandfather's farm at Stelton, was taken ill with scarlet fever some time ago. Now that is not the fact. The disease was merely one of malaria chills and fever.

"As to the case of my other son, who is now quarantined on Park avenue, I wish to say that he called upon a physician last Tuesday and was told that he had quinsy sore throat. On Saturday he was feeling better and called again upon the doctor to see if he could not return to work. It was then that his case was declared to be one of scarlet fever. He was feeling well and ready to go to work when this discovery was made by Dr. Adams.

"As to the statement that I was notified some months ago by the health authorities to clean up my milk depot in the Alert Hose Company House on Madison avenue, I wish to say that I never received such notice until last Saturday afternoon, and I then took immediate steps to follow out the instructions given. You may say that I am very dissatisfied with the methods employed in my case. I believe that when the people learn the facts they will be on my side. I shall endeavor to find out where the responsibility lies and shall push the matter until justice is done all around."

Mifford Giles, the oldest son of Nelson Giles, was able to leave his quarrantined home, yesterday afternoon. His clothing was fully disinfected by Inspector Addis and he took a bath and donned another suit to prevent any possible contagion. After a thorough disinfection, Addis declared that he could run his milk route without the slightest danger to his customers.

All the cans have been washed and cleaned until the Board of Health was perfectly satisfied that there was no danger from them. Giles will keep his horse in a local livery stable, and his extra milk in one of the refrigerators of a local meat market. He resumed his milk route this morning with a permit in his pocket, signed by Inspector Addis, giving him permission to run the route. The Inspector says that there is not the slightest danger of contagion from him. The old depot will be given up.

Only two new cases were reported yesterday and none up to noon today.

While Dr. Murray, secretary of the Health Board, has ordered a disinfecting apparatus, it has not arrived, and one was borrowed from the Asbury Park Health Board, yesterday. It was first used in the residence of Mayor Fisk yesterday afternoon, and then at the home of Nelson Giles. Inspector Addis has made several other visits with the apparatus. It is one of the most effective of its kind and was especially recommended by the State Board.

Returned From a Convention.

Spencer Conway returned home this morning from Hartford, Conn., where he was in attendance at the twenty-third annual session of the New England Baptist Missionary Convention, which was held in the Union Baptist church, June 16th to 21st. While Mr. Conway was in Hartford he was taken for a minister and was frequently called Rev. Mr. Conway. He says that his appearance was the cause of the mistake.

Death From Diphtheria.

A. M. Runyon & Son, received yesterday morning from Trenton the body of Maude E. Grannatt, five year-old granddaughter of W. B. Grannatt, of No. 724 West Fourth street. The little one died at Trenton of diphtheria and was bried at Hillside yesterday afternoon.

St. Mary's School Commencement

The closing exercises of St. Mary's school will be held in the school hall on Friday evening at eight o'clock. The tickets are fifty cents.

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A BRUTAL BUTCHERY

Rich Farmer Shot While at Work In His Cornfield.

NEIGHBOR SUSPECTED OF THE CRIME

After the Shooting the Farmer's House Was Robbed—The Supposed Murderer Said to Have Been a Rival For a Young Lady's Hand.

Newburg, N. Y., June 22.—The country side is stirred up by what is evidently one of the most cowardly murders that has been committed in this neighborhood for years.

William Gardner, a well to do farmer, who lived near Plattekill, Ulster county, was found dead in his cornfield, with more than 50 bullets in his breast and body. Joseph Decker, a mountaineer neighbor of the murdered man, is supposed by the police authorities to have committed the crime.

Gardner was employed in his cornfield Saturday afternoon. He was planting and engaged in his usual work, and when he did not return promptly there was no especial significance attached to his tardiness, it being thought that he had lingered on to take advantage of the light. He did not come home that night, and Sunday morning searchers went looking for him. His body was found where it had fallen between the furrows.

From the position of the bullets and the appearance the body presented when found, it is evident that the murderer could not have been more than 15 paces away when he fired the shots which ended Gardner's life. The attack apparently found Gardner unprepared, for his farming implements lay beside him, where they had fallen from his hands. Coroner Hasbrouck at once set his men at work on the case. It was soon ascertained that in addition to the murder a robbery had been committed at the house of the farmer.

A gun which Gardner carried in his hunting expeditions in the nearby mountains, a brace of revolvers, two silver watches and a quantity of small jewelry have been carried off, evidently by the person who murdered Gardner. Gardner's horse had also been taken from the shed, hitched to a light road wagon and driven off.

On the Trail.

Sheriff Schartz put his men on the case, and one of them learned that a man was seen driving the horse in the direction of Newburg Saturday night. The police followed to Newburg and arrived there too late, however, to intercept the man who drove the stolen rig into town. He was Joseph Decker, a mountaineer, 25 years old.

When Decker reached here, he went at once to the house of A. H. Pickens, in South street, where his sister, Amelia Decker, is employed. He had a conference with his sister and then drove the team to the livery stable of Brown & Jones. He told the proprietors he was going to leave the place and wanted to dispose of a horse and wagon which he had been using in the mountains. A deal was finally made and Decker received $25 for the team, $10 in cash and a check for $15 on the Columbus Trust company.

After disposing of the stolen property Decker lingered around the town waiting for the trust company to open its doors so that he might cash the check. It was while he was walking through North Water street that he met his father and mother. News of the murder of Gardner had just reached the town, and Decker's father warned him that he was suspected of the crime.

Suspected Man Disguises Himself.

Decker immediately made his preparations for departure. He shaved off his beard, but allowed his mustache to remain intact. Before taking the West Shore train for Kingston, he stopped on the way and disposed of the jewelry which had been stolen from Gardner's house. P. R. Van Inwegen and a brickyard man from Roseton purchased the property, after which no more was seen of Decker. It is thought that he has gone to the mountains, where the officials say they will have no difficulty in locating him. Kingston was his first objective point.

Amelia Decker told Policeman Miles yesterday morning that after breakfasting with her Joe said he was going to Kingston. Decker and his sister Amelia were out walking. Amelia carried a large bouquet Joe had bought for her at a florist's. Decker has another sister, Miss Jennie Decker, who lives in this city.

The body of the murdered man has been taken to Clintondale by an undertaker from that place.

Gardner was a widower and had no children. He was courting a certain young woman in the vicinity of his home, and it is said that Decker was also in love with her.

Joseph Decker has been captured by officers in the town of Esopus, Ulster county, and lodged in the county jail at Kingston.

Eyes Destroyed by a Blast.

Ogdensburg, N. Y., June 22.—Michael St. Andrews, employed at the Nevins Stone quarries, about two miles west of this city, attempted to examine an unexploded blast. While looking into the hole, the blast went off. Both of his eyes were blown out and his face filled with powder and stone. Both arms were broken in several places and his right hand crushed. He may die. He is 25 years of age and married.

Arrival of an Injured Steamer.

St. Michaels, June 22.—The British steamer Lowlands, Captain Dormond, from Savannah June 5, via Norfolk 8th, for Cette, has arrived here badly damaged, having had her stern and bulwarks stove in from a collision with the British steamer Atrato from Colon. She reported that the latter steamer proceeded to Plymouth.

Arrested Man Released.

Boston, June 22.—Clarence F. Jewett, now of Bridgewater, but late of Portland, Or., who was arrested a day or two ago on a charge of obtaining money by false pretenses, has been liberated upon a message from Oregon officials that there was no warrant against him.

Ask Too Much For the Road.

Atlanta, June 22.—The Northeastern railway has not been sold, as advertised. The road is owned by the state and the governor did not get a bid, the upset price, which is $287,000, being regarded as too high.

THE WHEELMEN MEET

L. A. W. of New York Hold a Well Attended Convention.

ENCOURAGING REPORTS RECEIVED.

The League Is In Good Condition Financially as Well as Numerically. Best Membership Record of Any State.

Saratoga, June 22.—The semiannual meeting of the board of state officers of the League of American Wheelmen was held at the Werden hotel last night. The roll call was answered by Isaac B. Potter, chief counsel, who presided; W. E. Underhill, vice counsel; George E. Blackham, auditor; W. S. Bull, secretary and treasurer; M. M. Belding, Jr., F. M. Frobisher, Dr. L. C. Leroy, W. R. Pitman, Dr. Seneca D. Powell, J. W. Walters, John B. Yates, representing the First district; H. B. Fullerton, W. M. Meserole, R. L. Stillson, Edward H. Walker, C. T. Harbeck, Second district; W. M. Henig, H. O. Folger, Third district; Eugene F. Pugh, Fourth district; Charles F. Closson, Fifth district; W. S. Johnson, Sixth district; F. F. Boland, W. B. Phipps and W. C. Vrooman.

Chief Counsel Potter reported that the New York State division had enjoyed continued prosperity since the last meeting. Six thousand new members had been enrolled, which was the best record any state had ever made. He said there was a good balance in the treasury. In referring to good road improvements, he said that the contest in the legislature last winter had been a hot one, and the measure was lost only by three or four votes, and its success at the next session seemed certain if more united effort would be made in this direction by the League members throughout the state.

He added that keeping a tax off the wheels has saved to league wheelmen many thousands of dollars. Many railroads are paying special attention to wheelmen's comfort. He touched upon the question of guideboards and road books, and said that the road book of the New York State division would be the best in the world.

He spoke of the work of the rights and privileges committee, recommended the appointment of a committee to take up the League hotel matter and thought that the racing board should be increased from three to five members. The secretary and treasurer's report was read by W. S. Bull. It showed total receipts from all sources to be $13,401 and expenses $11,418, leaving a balance of $1,983.

Reports From the Committees.

Reports were received from the committees on rights and privileges, on improvements to highways, on racing board and on Long Island signboards. Vice Counsel Underhill outlined the work being done in the direction of guideboards all over the state. More work had been done in the last two months than previously in two years. It was decided that road books be furnished L. A. W. members free. There have been ordered 20,000 New York books and 10,000 Brooklyn books.

It was suggested that league clubs be furnished with a complete set of road books and maps free. This met with much discussion.

Dr. George E. Blackham was re-elected auditor. W. C. Vrooman, W. H. Baker and F. M. Frobisher were elected a committee to nominate officers to be voted for at the annual meeting.

Amendments to the constitution and bylaws relative to the racing board considered last night, will be acted upon at the annual meeting. It was announced at a late hour that Isaac P. Potter and W. F. Underhill will not be candidates for chief counsel of the state.

The visiting wheelmen were given a moonlight excursion on Saratoga lake by the Saratoga Good Roads Association.

Postoffice Superintendent Commits Suicide

New York, June 22.—Samuel J. Casey, superintendent of postoffice substation D of Brooklyn, committed suicide at his home by taking carbolic acid. Before dying he wrote a letter to his wife saying that he was $500 short in his accounts with the government and asked that this be squared up out of his life insurance policy. Casey's superiors speak of him as one of the best men in the office and think his action the result of temporary insanity. The deceased was 38 years old and leaves a widow and two children.

Body Taken to Providence.

Hull, Mass., June 22.—The body of Private Joseph White, which was found in the bay here Saturday bearing evidences of murder, covered with the stars and stripes, was taken in charge by five artillerymen under command of Sergeant Schilinger from Fort Warren for transportation to Providence. Mrs. White, mother of the dead man, who accompanied the party, fainted as she boarded the boat at the landing, but she recovered later.

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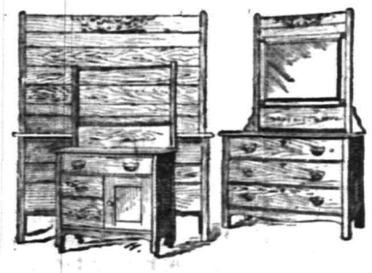

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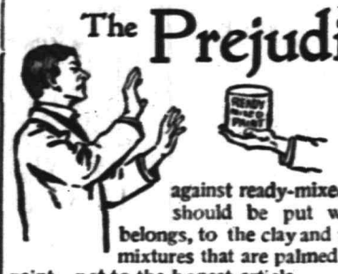

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Work was resumed on West Front street today repairing the road to conform to that which has been done on the other end of the street.

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Mrs. Vanderhoff, of East Front street, is entertaining relatives from out of town.

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There is nothing just as good as Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, so demand it and do not permit the dealer to sell you some substitute. He will not claim there is anything better, but in order to make more profit he may claim something else to be just as good. You want Dr. King's New Discovery because you know it to be safe and reliable, and guaranteed to do good or money refunded. For Coughs Colds, Consumption and for all affections of Throat, Chest and Lungs, there is nothing so good as is Dr. King's New Discovery. Trial bottle free at L. W. Randolph's Drug Store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00.

Dr. Bailey, of Madison, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Miller, of Orchard place, Sunday.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Ammerman, of Madison, is visiting at the home of the Misses Woodland, of Duer street.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are to-day its warmest friends. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

D. C. Ivins and family, of Watchung avenue, left the city yesterday for New Hampshire where they will spend the summer.

"There's no use in talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, La Cygne, Kas., "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy does the work. After taking medicines of my own preparation and those of others, I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Mr. Lawson, of the Campbell Press Works, has leased through the agency of Mulford & Son, of North avenue, the house situated at No. 212 East Fifth street.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman fo the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Van Camp, of South Branch, are visiting their son, Leonard Van Camp, of Prospect place

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary,

IRON WORKS SHUT DOWN.

Closed on Account of a Dispute Over a Reduction of Wages.

Scranton, Pa., June 22.—The big south works of the Lackawanna Iron and Steel company has been forced to close down, and about 2,500 men are out of employment because of a dispute over a reduction in wages. When the mill resumed work three weeks ago, after an idleness of a few weeks, a notice was posted that there would be an average wage reduction of about 12 per cent among the tonnage men.

Saturday was pay day, and when the hands received their envelopes they found that the cut had been much greater than 12 per cent, and many of the 1,800 nontime men affected by it did not go to work yesterday morning. Only a few of the night shift have reported, and the mill had to close down for want of help.

A committee waited on General Master Welhum and were told that the company could not make money on any higher wage scale. It is believed that the 1,500 or 2,000 hands of the north works may also quit. There is not now the slightest evidence of any disorder.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At Baltimore—

Baltimore	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1—	2
New York	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	4—	6

Baltimore—Hits, 5; errors, 3. New York—Hits, 11; errors, 1.

Second game—

Baltimore	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	1—	5
New York	1	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	*—	6

Baltimore—Hits, 9; errors, 2. New York—Hits, 8; errors, 2.

At Brooklyn—

Brooklyn	3	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0—	6
Boston	2	5	1	0	0	2	0	0	1—11	

Brooklyn—Hits, 10; errors, 7. Boston—Hits, 18; errors, 3.

At Washington—

Washington	1	3	0	0	3	0	2	0	*—	9
Philadelphia	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0—	2

Washington—Hits, 14; errors, 1. Philadelphia—Hits, 9; errors, 2.

At Pittsburg—

Pittsburg	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—	2
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	0—	6

Pittsburg—Hits, 8; errors, 3. Chicago—Hits, 10; errors, 1.

At Cleveland—

Cleveland	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	1—	5
Louisville	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1—	6

Cleveland—Hits, 12; errors, 3. Louisville—Hits, 10; errors, 1.

At Cincinnati—

Cincinnati	0	2	0	1	0	1	2	2	*—	8
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0—	3

Cincinnati—Hits, 7; errors, 1. St. Louis—Hits, 6; errors, 8.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Boston	35	12	.745
Baltimore	33	12	.735
Cincinnati	28	17	.622
New York	27	17	.614
Brooklyn	23	23	.500
Philadelphia	24	25	.489
Cleveland	22	24	.478
Pittsburg	21	24	.464
Washington	18	26	.409
Louisville	18	28	.391
Chicago	18	29	.383
St. Louis	10	39	.208

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

The directors of Wells-Fargo Express company, New York, have declared a semiannual dividend of 3 per cent, payable July 15.

The house of Owen O'Rourke, at Portsmouth, Va., was burned, and the 3-year-old son of O'Rourke perished in the flames. O'Rourke and his wife and two other children escaped.

There was incorporated with the secretary of state at Albany the Albany Hotel corporation, with a capital stock of $200,000. The company proposes to erect a new hotel in that city.

The river Kur has overflowed its banks near the railroad depot of Nawthig, in Tiflis district, Russia. Nineteen men belonging to the Nijni Novgorod lagoons were swept into the water and drowned.

A. S. Austin, the California lawyer who asserted that he could furnish evidence that would save Theodore Durrant from the gallows, has been adjudged insane and will be taken to the asylum at Portland, Or.

Christian K. Ross, the father of Charley Ross, whose abduction on July 1, 1874, from his parents' home became a matter of worldwide interest and still remains largely an unsolved mystery, died at his residence in Germantown, aged 74 years.

A Monstrous Steer.

Wichita, Kan., June 22.—The famous steer Jumbo, which had attained the enormous weight of 5,000 pounds, and was still growing, has been killed. Jumbo was 4 years old and measured 8 feet tall and 12 feet long. He had massive horns, 15 inches in circumference and 6 feet across, with perfect curves. Mr. Payne, the owner, decided to kill him and have him mounted while his hide was in good condition.

Killed by Falling Down Stairs.

Boston, June 22.—James Field, 45, living in Plymouth, Mass., was killed by falling down a flight of stairs at this place.

Weather Predictions.

Generally fair; warmer; variable winds, becoming southwesterly.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western quiet and steady; city mills patents, $4.60@4.85; winter patents, $4.45@4.75; city mills clears, $4.60@4.75; winter straights, $4.05@4.20.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened quiet and barely steady, easing off under large northwestern receipts, favorable weather and liberal offerings of long stuff; July, 74@74½c.; September, 70¼@70½c.

RYE—Quiet; No. 2 western, 36½@36¾c., c. i. f., Buffalo.

CORN—No. 2 was easier under good weather reports and in sympathy with wheat; July, 29½@29¾c.; September, 30¾@30⅞c.

OATS—No. 2 were dull and easy with the other markets; track, white, state, 25@32c.; track, white, western, 25@32c.

PORK—Quiet; mess, $8.25@8.75; family, $9.25@10.

LARD—Dull and nominal.

BUTTER—Quiet; state dairy, 10@14c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Quiet; state, large, 8¼@8⅝c.; small, 7½@8c.

EGGS—Steady; state and Pennsylvania, 12@12½c.; western, 10½@11½c.

SUGAR—Firm; fair refining, 3c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c.; refined firm; crushed, 5⅝c.; powdered, 5¼c.

ENVOYS WELCOMED.

Queen Victoria Receives the Representatives of the Nations.

IN THE THRONEROOM AT BUCKINGHAM

A Notable Gathering of Princes and Distinguished Personages—Whitelaw Reid, General Miles and Rear Admiral Miller Presented to the Queen.

London, June 22.—The week's celebration of Queen Victoria's diamond jubilee is now fairly under way.

The queen yesterday made the journey from Windsor castle to Buckingham palace, where in the throneroom she received the envoys of the nations, this being her first official act in connection with the celebration.

The United States was represented by Special Envoy Whitelaw Reid, General Nelson A. Miles and Rear Admiral J. N. Miller.

The following is the text of the personal letter from President McKinley to Queen Victoria, presented by Mr. Reid:

To Her Majesty, Victoria, Queen of Great Britain and Ireland and Empress of India:

Great and Good Friend—In the name and on behalf of the people of the United States, I present their sincere felicitations upon the sixtieth anniversary of your majesty's accession to the crown of Great Britain.

I express the sentiments of my fellow citizens in wishing for your people the prolongation of a reign illustrious and marked by advance in science, arts and popular well being. On behalf of my countrymen I wish particularly to recognize your friendship for the United States and your love of peace, exemplified upon important occasions.

It is pleasing to acknowledge the debt of gratitude and respect due to your personal virtues. May your life be prolonged and peace, honor and prosperity bless the people over whom you have been called to rule. May liberty flourish throughout your empire under just and equal laws and your government continue strong in the affection of all who live under it.

And I pray God to have your majesty in his holy keeping.

Done at Washington this 28th day of May, A. D., 1897. Your good friend,

WILLIAM M'KINLEY.

By the president.

JOHN SHERMAN, Secretary.

In addition to the United States envoys there were present General Davoust, duke of Auerstadt, grand chancellor of the Legion of Honor, representing France, and two French generals of division, one of them especially representing President Faure; M. Crozier, chief of the protocol, and a brilliant staff of French officers; Prince Albert of Prussia, the prince regent of Brunswick and a staff of eight general officers, representing the emperor of Germany, in addition to Duke Albert of Wurtemberg, Prince Rupert of Bavaria, Prince Frederick Augustus of Saxony, the Duke and Duchess of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha, the Grand Duke and Grand Duchess of Hesse, the Grand Duke and Grand Duchess of Mecklenburg-Strelitz, the hereditary Prince and Princess of Hohenlohe-Langenburg and the hereditary Prince and Princess of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha, representing the integral portions of the German empire.

Grand Duke Sergius Represented Russia.

Russia was represented by their imperial highnesses the Grand Duke Sergius and the Grand Duchess Elizabeth Feodrowna and large suits.

The Archduke Francis Ferdinand, heir presumptive to the throne of Austria, represented the Austro-Hungarian empire, accompanied by a number of princes.

Italy sent to represent her their royal highnesses the Prince and Princess of Naples, and Sweden and Norway were represented by Prince Eugene, the fourth son of King Oscar. Prince Ferdinand represented Roumania. He was accompanied by the princess and their suits.

Bulgaria was represented by its prince and princess, and Crown Prince Danilo represented Montenegro. Prince Charles de Ligno represented Belgium, the duke of Oporto, brother of King Charles, representing Portugal, and the duke of Stoutomayer representing Spain.

Besides the above, nearly every country in the world was represented. Japan had the Marquis Ito there, and China had 19 Celestials of the highest rank. Mexico and the Central American republics were represented.

After her majesty had received the special envoys she received a host of Indian princes. Then the envoys were conducted to her majesty's presence by the queen's master of the ceremonies and were introduced by the Marquis of Salisbury, the premier and minister for foreign affairs.

Many Honors Conferred.

The following honors have been conferred in connection with the diamond jubilee:

The Duke of Connaught has been appointed colonel of the Sixth dragoons and Prince Edward of Saxe-Weymar has been appointed a field marshal.

The Duke of Coburg has been appointed admiral of the fleet.

The Order of the Grand Cross of St. Michael and St. George has been conferred upon Mr. Wilfred Laurier, Sir Richard Cartwright and Sir Oliver Mowat.

The Order of Knight Commander of St. Michael and St. George has been conferred upon Lieutenant Governor G. A. Kirkpatrick of Ontario, the Hon. C. Davies and Mr. Sandford Fleming.

Deputy Minister J. M. Courtney, Auditor General J. L. Macdougall and Deputy Postmaster White have been made Companions of the Order of St. Michael and St. George.

Sir John Blundell Maple is made a baronet, and the same honor is conferred upon Sir William MacCormac, M. D., president of the Royal College of Surgeons; Mr. James Pender, eldest son of the late Sir John Pender, member of parliament for the middle division of Northamptonshire, and Mr. Samuel Wilks, M. D., president of the Royal College of Physicians, and physician extraordinary to her majesty.

Mr. Wyke Bayliss, president of the Royal Society of British Artists; Professor William Brookes, vice president of the Royal society, are made knights, and Sir Francis Henry Jeune, president of the probate, divorce and admiralty division of the high court of justice, is made a Knight Commander of the Bath.

Iceland Fishery a Failure.

Gloucester, Mass., June 22.—The schooner A. D. Story, Captain Freeman Munroe, has arrived here and reports speaking the schooner Sarah E. Lee, from Iceland, returning to Gloucester with only about 10,000 pounds of halibut. She signaled that the Iceland

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Generally Fair Tonight and Wednesday; Warmer.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 70 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

June 22--Lawn party of Missionary societies of First M. E. church on lawn of Mrs. C. H. Bugg, 250 East Second street.

June 22--Christian Endeavor rally at Congregational church.

June 24--Commencement exercises of Plainfield High School at Music Hall. Reception at Casino.

June 24--Commencement exercises of North Plainfield High School at Y. M. C. A. Hall.

Subscribers to The Daily Press who are leaving town for summer vacations can have the paper sent to their temporary address without extra expense by simply notifying the business office.

A PUBLIC SPIRITED MAN.

Dr. J. Ackerman Coles gives yet another evidence of his public spirit by the tender to the Governor of a superb bronze portrait bust of his distinguished father, the late Abraham Coles, poet, author and scientist, the bust to be placed in Newark. The bust is to rest upon a pedestal of selected stone brought from Palestine, full of historic and religious interest, and the foundation stone is composed of a boulder of seven tons from Plymouth, Mass., and part of a monolith of the Pyramid of Cheops in Egypt. The inscriptions and details are all in harmony with the general design of the monument and with the life career of the scholar whom it commemorates. Dr. Coles has given princely gifts of art to public and educational institutions, and none more appropriate and better appreciated than this latest and most valuable donation to the public.—Newark News.

Dr. Coles is a resident of Scotch Plains.

LOOK BEHIND.

Fully half of the accidents to cyclists can be traced back to the carelessness of some other cyclist or driver who has turned in the path of a wheelmen without first looking to see who was approaching from behind. A little thought, especially in the business streets of this city, would do away with many accidents and numerous narrow escapes. So many people turn directly across the roadway without thinking of those approaching from the rear.

Then the cyclist who approaches from the rear should remember to give the other one warning with his bell. A remembrance of those two facts will save wheelmen many accidents.

A WONDERFUL IMPROVEMENT.

After attending the Class Day exercises in the North Plainfield Public High School, last evening, no one could but mark the wonderful improvement that has been made in the entire system during the last year in making it an up-to-date High School. Considering that this is the first year of the High School, the number of graduates, three, need not be considered small.

THE EPIDEMIC.

It is too much to expect that the epidemic of scarlet fever could be stopped in a day but there seems full assurance that the Board of Health has the upper hand and has eliminated the cause. All that now remains to do is to continue to take the same precautions and wait for the disease to die out as it undoubtedly will in a short time.

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

To Enforce the Rules.

The Plainfield Water Supply Company has decided to strictly enforce all rules of the company, especially those regarding the making of connections or extensions by plumbers to lines already in houses.

Former Councilman S. A. Ginna, of Watchung avenue, went to Philadelphia today on business.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Wm. Sweeney spent Sunday at Asbury Park.

Miss Louise Meyers, of Finderne, is visiting friends in Plainfield.

Allan Laing, of Craig place, is able to be out again after a short illness.

J. E. Townsend, of Craig place, left yesterday for a business trip to Boston.

George Scisco, of West Second street, spent Sunday with friends in Rahway.

Mr. and Mrs. George Voehl and Miss Elinore Kreger spent Sunday in Finderne.

Miss Harriet Halloway, of LaGrande avenue, is spending a few days at Asbury Park.

Miss Alice Barlow, of Prospect place, has returned after a sojourn at Warwick, N. Y.

W. K. McClure, of Crescent avenue, spent Saturday and Sunday at Atlantic Highlands.

H. Werner spent Saturday and Sunday with his father, who is ill in Bridgeport, Conn.

Mrs. W. H. Williams, of Madison avenue, is spending a few days with friends in Paterson.

John Mattis, of Jersey City, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. VanFleet, of West Front street.

Mr. Leveridge, of Brooklyn, has been a guest at the home of D. E. Davis, of East Fifth street.

Mrs. R. D. Munn and Mrs. William Keepers and son, of Newark, are the guests of Mrs. George Voehl.

E. B. Clark and family, of Crescent avenue, leave on July 1st for Watch Hill, R. I., to spend the summer.

Mrs. H. R. Halloway, of LaGrande avenue, leaves this week for a brief outing on the shore at Asbury Park.

Miss Anna Morrison, of South avenue, who has been ill for some time with malarial fever, is able to be about again.

James Middledith, of Mercer avenue, has returned from his studies at Lehigh University on his summer vacation.

Miss Gertrude Volck, of Brooklyn, has returned after a visit at the home of J. Hervey Doane, of La Grande avenue.

Mrs. G. M. Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, was called to Frenchtown to attend her father, who was stricken with paralysis.

Frank Potter, of Rahway, spent Sunday at the beautiful country home of his cousin, Robert Clark, Jr., of Washingtonville.

Miss Sara Todd, of Hamden, Hunterdon county, returned home yesterday after a pleasant visit with Miss Force, of Duer street.

Miss Katheryn Ball, of Myrtle avenue, has returned from Wellesley College after successfully passing her examinations at college.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Hubbard, of West Fifth street, have returned from their wedding tour. They have been along the New England coast.

William Browning, chief clerk of the House of Congress, at Washington, D. C., spent Sunday with T. S. Armstrong and family, of Duer street.

Miss Effie E. and Miss Mary Prescott Chase, of Jackson avenue, North Plainfield, left town yesterday for their summer vacation at Chautauqua.

Baggage-master Jere Garretson, of the North Avenue station, was able to resume work yesterday after a very severe illness which has detained him at home.

Miss Emma J. Bainbridge, of Westervelt avenue, North Plainfield, has returned from the State Normal School, Albany, to spend her summer vacation.

J. Vincent Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, has gone to Brooklyn, from where he will ride to Patchogue, L. I., with his friend, A. M. Franklin, of Brooklyn.

Miss Eleanor T. VanDeventer, of Myrtle avenue, and Miss Grace E Overton, of Rockview avenue, gave a picnic at Washington Rock to twelve of their friends Saturday.

Mrs. Charles W. McCutchen, of Rockview avenue, her daughter, Miss Margaret McCutchen and Miss Emma Haviland, went on Saturday to Northampton, Mass., to be present at the commencement exercises of Smith College.

H. B. Wells and his son, Henry C. Wells, of Washington avenue, have gone to Northampton, Mass., to attend the commencement exercises of Smith College. Mrs. Wells and her daughter, Miss Dorothy Wells, are detained at home by illness.

The many friends of Frederick T. Case, of Central avenue, who is a student at Harvard College, will be pleased to learn that he is recovering from an attack of appendicitis at the General Hospital, Massachusetts, and that he will join his parents at Newport, R. I., in a few days.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—The public schools in Plainfield have only one session this week.

—Thus far no increase in the number of scarlet fever cases has been reported in the borough.

—A party of young people from Woodbridge took supper at the Mountain Park Inn, Saturday night.

—Over $100 was raised by the Zion A. M. E. church Sunday to pay for repairs upon the church building.

—Since June 10th there has been a magnificent display of sweet peas in the garden of Wm. Van Winkle, of Park place.

—The Sunday-school of Trinity Reformed church will go on its annual excursion to Asbury Park on Thursday, August 12th.

—On Thursday evening, July 8th, the Christmas Family will visit the Mt. Zion A. M. E. church and will give a fine concert.

—A large party of young people from Evona attended the strawberry and ice cream festival at Finderne, last Friday evening.

—An informal dance was held at the Mountain Park Inn Saturday evening. The date for the opening hop there has not yet been decided.

—Edward White will put on sale tomorrow, 25 dozen of fine silk striped outing shirts for men. They will be sold for one-half their real value.

—The Sunday-school of the First Church of Christ will hold a lawn party on the lawn adjoining the chapel on Grove street on Wednesday, July 14th.

—On account of the death of Mrs. Newcorn, Justice Newcorn's court has been closed and all cases are postponed until next week on the same day and hour.

—Thursday, July 15th, is the day selected by the First Presbyterian, Congregational and the Park Avenue Baptist churches, for their annual excursion to Asbury Park.

—The best glove to buy is the Kayser double tip glove. If the tips wear out you get a new pair. They come in all colors, black, cream and tan. Edward White sells them.

—The evening service at the Crescent Avenue church, Sunday, began at 7:45 o'clock instead of 7:30 o'clock, as heretofore. This change will last through the summer months.

—The Sunday-school of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church held its session at 9:30 o'clock, Sunday morning, and will continue to meet at that hour for the remainder of the summer.

—The Sunday-school of the Crescent Avenue church met Sunday for the first time in the morning. The session will be held at 9:30 o'clock in the morning during the summer.

—Doane & Edsall say in their new "ad" today that everybody who have looked into the matter are of the opinion that they are selling good, well made trunks cheaper than they are sold in New York.

—Butterick's patterns are conceded by the ladies to be very reliable and up-to-date from a fashionable point of view. The Misses Gorsline, 122 West Front street, are agents for the Butterick patterns in this city.

—Under the direction of Street Commissioner Gavett a gutter was made on Elmwood place yesterday for the purpose of carrying surplus water during rains. Heretofore there has not been a gutter on that street.

—A. Kane, who has been doing a large portion of the curbing and flagging in the city and borough, has just received a contract for 1,400 feet of curbing on Stelle avenue and 1,600 feet of curbing for D. C. Ivins on Watchung and Hillside avenues.

—Owing to the recent death in the family of Judge Newcorn the members of Central Lodge, No. 48, A. O. U. W., have appointed Charles Randolph as collector pro tem for the lodge. At the meeting of the lodge, Thursday evening, two members will be initiated and one application will be received.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Groendyke, of Mercer avenue, went on Saturday to Northampton, Mass., to attend the commencement exercises of Smith College.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertram L. Smith have returned from their trip to Montreal and have been making a short visit at the home of Mrs. Smith's father, Charles Place, of Grove street. They leave today for their new home at Fishkill, N. Y.

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A Dangerous Practice.

A women living in the eastern section of the town called at The Daily Press office yesterday and stated that an Italian, accompanied by a hand organ and a monkey, had been making a tour through the above-named portion of the town. At one place the monkey was allowed to climb on the porch of a certain house where there is a case of scarlet fever, and the children having the disease were allowed to lean out of the window and pet the monkey. This the woman held was entirely wrong, for the monkey might easily convey germs to other children with whom he came in contact. The matter was reported to the police and attended to at once.

Will Limp For a Time.

George Voehl, the Front street baker, slipped and fell while getting out of his wagon this morning, and received a painful injury to his leg that causes him to walk with a limp.

Miss Maggie Loughlin, of Westfield, visited here Sunday.

Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., June 21st, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE

to amend an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance Relating to the City Treasurer and the Payment of City Moneys," approved February 8th, 1893.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That Section 8 of the ordinance entitled as aforesaid be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 8. The check or draft shall be in the first instance attached to the claim and shall be substantially in the following form:

No.— The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield,

To.....Dr. Address.....

Amount of bill rendered..... $

The above has been duly approved for payment

.....President of Council. .....Mayor.

Received of the Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield Dollars in full for the above account.

$.....

This receipt must be dated and signed by the party in whose favor this voucher is made out.

The National Bank will pay this voucher when duly receipted.

..... City Treasurer.

The words "The National Bank will pay this voucher when duly receipted," shall be printed across the end of the said check or draft, and space shall be left below for the signature of the City Treasurer. Upon the said check or draft being properly signed by all the requisite officers of the City, the same shall be detached from the claim, and upon being duly receipted by the claiment, payment may be made, and upon the said check or draft being returned to the City Treasurer, the same shall be attached to the original claim. All checks, drafts or receipts shall be filed by the City Treasurer regularly numbered, and a detailed record of each kept by him. The City Treasurer shall also require proper receipts for all other checks or drafts issued by him and shall file the same in regular order, and safely preserve as vouchers all such receipts as well as the claims and checks or drafts hereinabove first referred to, subject to the orders of the Common Council.

AN ORDINANCE

for the laying out and opening of Sycamore avenue from the Northwesterly side line of West Front street to the City line in the centre of Green Brook.

WHEREAS, George F. White, the owner of all the land embraced within the lines of the proposed street hereinafter referred to, has dedicated said proposed street to the public, and has agreed, in case the City shall accept said proposed street, that he will, at his own expense, and before October first, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, put the proposed street to the grade shown by the map hereinafter referred to, and that he will at his own expense, and before July first, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, macadamize the road-bed to a width of sixteen feet and a depth of six inches, and further, at his own expense, will maintain and keep in repair the gutters of said proposed street until such time as he shall, at his own expense, construct permanent paving in said gutters; and also that he will provide, as soon as the street is brought to the new grade, suitable pipes to drain the surface water to the brook, and also that he will indemnify and save harmless the City of Plainfield from any and all expense in and about the opening, acceptance, macadamizing, paving and repair of said proposed street, down to the time that the said street shall be permanently macadamized, paved and flagged; and said George F. White has filed with the City Treasurer a bond, with sureties, in the sum of three thousand dollars, to secure the performance on his part of his said agreement herein above referred to;

AND WHEREAS, the Common Council have judged and do hereby judge that the public good requires that said proposed street should be accepted upon the terms and under the agreements aforesaid, and have accepted, and do hereby accept said agreements and the bond above referred to, therefore,

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the proposed street with center and side lines as heretofore dedicated to the public by George F. White, and shown on map signed by said George F. White, and filed with the City Clerk May 11th, 1897, entitled "Application Map for the laying out and opening of Sycamore Avenue from the Northwesterly side of West Front Street to the City line in the center of Green Brook, City of Plainfield, New Jersey, Jan. 1896," be and the same is hereby accepted as a public street of the City of Plainfield, to be known as Sycamore Avenue, and that the center and side lines and the grade of said proposed street are hereby established as delineated and set forth on said map.

Adopted by the Common Council June 7, 1897; approved by the Mayor June 14, 1897.

CHAS. J. FISK, Mayor.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Miss Tynan, of Ohio, is visiting Mrs. John Logan, of the borough.

A class meeting will be held at the M. E. church Friday evening of this week.

Thomas Robinson, of Newark, spent Sunday with Postmaster Staats, of the borough.

Walter Smith has resigned his position at Sayreville, and has returned to his home.

Herbert Overbaugh, of Plainfield, was the guest of friends in the borough on Sunday.

Walter Meade, of Roselle, has been visiting his brother, William Meade, of the borough.

Charles H. Hand and Albert Runyon, of Plainfield, were visitors in town yesterday.

Mrs. Phillip Harman, of the borough, is entertaining relatives from Somerville.

Mrs. Staats and daughter, Miss Staats, of the borough, are in New York today visiting friends.

Deputy Sheriff Howard Wesner, of New Brunswick, enjoyed a spin to Dunellen yesterday on his wheel.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bennett, of North Plainfield, spent Sunday with Edward Milligan, of the borough.

Miss May Hallett and Miss Emma Hallett, of New Market, are visiting Miss Kate Huff, of North Plainfield.

Arthur Giddis, of Staten Island, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Giddis, of the borough.

At a meeting of the Building and Loan Association, held last evening, business of a routine nature was transacted.

Isaac Stites is again confined to his home with the chills and fever. His shop will necessarily be closed for a short time.

Charles Dodwell, the popular Central Railroad conductor, returned to work yesterday after enjoying a vacation of one week.

Mrs. Samuel VanArsdale, of the borough, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Deats, at Flemington, has returned home.

Engineer John R. McCall, of the Central Railroad, accompanied by his grandson, left town Saturday afternoon to visit relatives at Providence, R. I. They will be absent one week.

Last evening in the M. E. church J. E. Pierce, an evangelist, delivered an illustrated lecture on the late war The proceeds are for the benefit of the church and will be used to place a a new roof on the parsonage.

Yesterday afternoon while Edward Ayers was passing over the railroad at the Prospect avenue crossing the gates were thrown down and one end of the long arm struck him in the side of the face just over the eye. For a minute Ayers was dazed, and he hardly knew what to do. Fortunately, he retained his presence of mind and escaped any further injury by getting out of the way of the gates. The man in the tower did not see Ayers, hence the accident. The latter is now carrying an ugly cut over the eye and another one on the side of his face.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver, of Newark, are guests of Mrs. John Flannery.

William Bacon, of Haverstraw, N. Y., spent Sunday with friends in town.

Miss Margaret Scully and Miss Margaret Fitzgerald visited in Raritan today.

Milton Steindler spent Snnday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Steindler, in this place.

Eighty-four were present at the Knights of Pythias dinner at Blimm's Hotel, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden, of Elizabeth, and Charles Smith spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Emery.

Thomas Emery has accepted a position on the wagon of Clarence Lambert, the Willow Grove ice dealer.

Robert Johnston is suffering with scarlet fever and the house has been quarantined by the health authorities.

WESTFIELD

TO PAY OR NOT TO PAY.

UNION WATER COMPANY'S CLAIM IS A SURPRISE.

For Obvious Reasons the Matter Was Not Referred to the Township Counsel—Programme for the Fourth of July Event.

The members of the Westfield Township Committee were somewhat nonplused at their meeting last Friday night by a question which arose unexpectedly as to the township's liability to the Union Water Company for the tapping of mains for connections to supply water to the sewer flush tanks. The regular charge which the company makes for tapping a main is $5. During the time that Superintendent Kline was in charge of the Water Company's interest in Westfield he made a large number of tappings for flush tanks, and the impression prevailed that no charge was to be made as in the case of similar work done for private parties. Thos. Doud has succeeded Kline as superintendent of the Water Company, and last week when Superintendent of Sewers Chamberlain ordered this new official to tap a main for one of the new flush tanks, Doud asked him to sign a printed form which provides for the payment of the regular fee. The Town Committee was then asked for information as to whether it was proper for the company to exact charges for the work. The ludicrous point in the situation became apparent as soon as the question was propounded. It is customary to submit all questions of this nature to the township counsel for his opinion. In this case, however, the township counsel is also president of the Union Water Company. The Committee therefore did not refer the matter to its counsel, but escaped for the time being from an unpleasant situation by refraining from any action or discussion whatever. Of course no decision can be reached in this way; and the problem will come up again whether the township must pay the Water Company for the work in question.

The programme for the Fourth of July celebration has been arranged and published by the committee. At 7:30 the bicycle parade will take place; at 9 the contests and games for prizes will be held; at 10 the Westfield baseball team will play the Bayonne Field Club on the North Broad street grounds; at noon a clam dinner will be served at Henry's Park on Elm street; the bicycle races will come off at 2 p. m.; at 3 there will be a display of day fireworks, oratory, and a Rhode Island clambake; and at 7 the Union County Band will give a concert, which will be followed by a grand display of fireworks.

Hugo Kurzhals spent yesterday in town.

Miss Marion Camp spent yesterday with friends in Elizabeth.

Clifford Gilbert has returned from a business trip in the west.

Mrs. F. A. Kinch is entertaining relatives from New York city.

Upchurch Lodge, A. O. U. W., meets in its lodge rooms tonight.

Mrs. William Simpson, of Sussex street, spent Sunday with friends in Englewood.

Dr. and Mrs. T. R. Harvey have taken possession of their new home on Broad street.

Mr. Beck and Miss Emma Wooley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Abel G. Terrey, of South Broad street.

At the meeting of Central Council, No. 131, Jr. O. U. A. M., Friday evening, one member will be initiated and the election of officers for the next term will take place.

A horse belonging to Simeon Lambert took fright and ran away on Broad street, Sunday morning. After going a short distance, the animal was stopped before any damage was done.

Next month the D. D. G. M. and staff of grand officers of District No. 45, from Westfield Lodge, No. 169, I. O. O. F., will visit the lodges in the district for the last time, to install officers. It will be the fourth time that the staff has visited the entire district to conduct the ceremonies of installation.

Sheriff Kirk yesterday sold at public sale the personal property of Grace Episcopal church. There were only a few bidders, and the prices obtained were very small. The organ, which cost nearly $1,000, was sold for $150. The altar and furnishings, including Bible, pulpit, baptismal font, bishop's chair and library brought only $225.05. Justice E. R. Collins and Craig A. Marsh were the principal buyers. The real estate belonging to the corporation will be sold by the sheriff tomorrow.

Street Railroad Wants a Franchise.

The Elizabeth City Council has been asked to grant a franchise to the Westfield and Elizabeth Street Railway Company to construct a double track trolley line through Sayre, Chelton and Westfield avenues to the line of Union Township, the road to begin at Morris avenue and Sayre street and end at Westfield. There will be a public hearing given by the City Council on the matter July 7th to all persons interested. The applicants for the franchise are Chandler W. Riker, Adrian Riker and Edwin A. Hine, the directors of the company.

Notorious Thief Escaped.

Walter Kinney, the notorious bicycle and all-around thief, who lately haunted Bound Brook and whose conviction and sentence to five years in the Eastern District Penitentiary of Pennsylvania was noted in these columns last week, escaped by picking the jail lock with a spoon. A reward of $100 is offered for his capture. It is rumored that he has been seen near Bound Brook within the past few days.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING

of the Hickman Manufacturing Company will be held at their offices, 140 West Front street, Tuesday, June 29, 1897.

Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to widen West ervelt Avenue from the Northwesterly side line of East Front street to a point 108.66 feet Southeast of Orange Place," a copy of which is subjoined to this notice, has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Common Council to adopt such ordinance at the special meeting of the Common Council to be held in the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, N. J., at eight o'clock p. m., on Thursday, the eighth day of July, A. D. eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, at which time and place prior to the adoption of said ordinance, said ordinance will be considered by the Common Council, and all persons interested may be heard before the Common Council.

By order of the Common Council.

James T MacMurray, City Clerk.

Dated June 21, 1897. 6 22-23-30

AN ORDINANCE

to Widen Westervelt Avenue from the Northwesterly side line of East Front Street to a point 108.66 feet Southeast of Orange Place.

WHEREAS, The Common Council has judged and hereby judges that the public good requires the widening of Westervelt Avenue between the points named in the title of this ordinance, therefore,

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That Westervelt Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, from the northwesterly side line of East Front Street to a point one hundred and eight and 66-100 feet southeast of Orange Place, be widened and laid out so that said Westervelt Avenue shall be of the uniform width of twenty-five feet on each side of the center line thereof, which said center line is described as follows: Beginning at a point in the northwesterly side line of East Front Street, said point being distant three hundred twenty-four and 56 100 feet in a southwesterly direction along said northwesterly side line of East Front Street, from the centre line of Sandford Avenue, as now laid out and opened; and running from said point in a magnetic course of north forty-four degrees and fifty-six minutes west, a distance of three hundred sixty and 3-100 feet to the northwesterly line of property owned by William C. Kelly.

The land to be taken for the widening of said Westervelt Avenue includes that portion of the property of Antoinette De Baud, Mrs. Sarah Bird and William C. Kelly, which lies between the present Southwesterly side line of said Avenue as now laid out and opened and a line parallel with the center line of said Avenue and distant therefrom tweny-five (25) feet in a Southwesterly direction.

The land to be taken and the lines of Westervelt avenue, as the same is hereinabove ordered to be widened, are shown on a map on file with the City Clerk entitled: "Assessment Map for the widening of Westervelt Avenue from East Front Street to a point 108.66 feet Southeast of Orange Place, March, 1897," to which reference is hereby made for greater certainty.

MRS. GOULD,

of 250 W. 22d St, New York, will visit Plainfield on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month hereafter to treat ladies' and gentlemen's hair and scalp. Office, 431 Park Ave. Hours 10 a. m. to 8 p. m. oaw tu

REPORTS

are being circulated that I am handling Mr. Giles' milk at the dairy, 327 Watchung avenue. This is to notify all persons interested that I have had none of that milk since Friday, when I knew it was under suspicion. But a small amount has ever reached my patrons.

6 21 3 S. R. STRUTHERS.

Randolph Runyon,

Funeral Director and Embalmer,

Residence, Over Office. Office 43 Somerset St., Plainfield, N. J.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

WANTED—One or two good sound work horses at Hand's brick yard, Mountain Ave.

WANTED—Part of house consisting of five rooms, must have improvments in house. Address private; this office.

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The continued cool weather makes it imperative that makers should sell now, and to unload quick they sell at a loss. Values will surprise you here.

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Much of the loss caused by these reductions we take ourselves—its clearing time in this department, and we must have shelf room. If its dress goods you save money by buying here.

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FULTON'S FIRST FARE.

And First Recognition Received for Adapting Steam to Navagation.

There was one little incident in Robert Fulton's life about which few people know and which Fulton never forgot. It took place shortly before the return trip of his famous boat's voyage by steam up the Hudson River. At the time all Albany flocked to the wharf to see the strange craft, but so timorous were they that few cared to board her. One gentleman, however, not only boarded her, but sought out Fulton, whom he found in the cabin, and the following conversation took place:

"This is Mr. Fulton, I presume?"

"Yes, sir."

"Do you return to New York with this boat?"

"We shall try to get back, sir."

"Have you any objection to my returning with you?"

"If you wish to take your chances with us, sir, I have no objection."

"What is the fare?"

After a moment's hesitation, Fulton replied, "Six dollars." And when that amount was laid in his hand he gazed at it a long time, and two big tears rolled down his cheeks. Turning to the passenger, he said:

"Excuse me, sir, but this is the first pecuniary reward I have received for all my exertion in adapting steam to navigation. I would gladly commemorate the occasion with a little dinner, but I am too poor now even for that. If we meet again, I trust it will not be the case."

As history relates, the voyage terminated successfully. Four years later Fulton was sitting in the cabin of the Clermont, then called the North River, when a gentleman entered. Fulton glanced at him, and then sprang up and gladly shook his hand. It has his first passenger, and over a pleasant little dinner Fulton entertained his guest with the history of his success, and ended with saying that the first actual recognition of his usefulness to his fellow-men was the six dollars paid to him by his first passenger.—Harper's Round Table.

A FUNNY EYE-SIGHT.

The Indian was Immensely Proud of His Crockery Optic.

At the battle of Stone River, or Murfreesboro, as some historians name it, Lieutenant Hallack, of the Union Army had the misfortune to lose one of his eyes. In 1865, he was promoted to be first lieutenant in the regular army, and was stationed at one of the Indian posts on the plains.

He had a small blue eye of glass, but thinking that he could not obtain artificial eyes so far away from the large cities, he bought two other glass eyes, for use should his regular false eye be broken.

On a certain occasion, Lieutenant Halleck was visited by a one-eyed Indian warrior, who wished to see the "white man's funny eye." The brave was much pleased with the sight, and after awhile he besought the officer to lend him one of the extra bits of glass.

"But your sound eye is as black as coal and as big as a saucer," protested the lieutenant, "and these eyes are little and blue."

The Indian insisted, however, and at last prevailed on the lieutenant to lend him one of the eyes.

The lieutenant says that he never saw an Indian so delighted. Clad in a long shirt and an old plug hat, the brave walked around the camp as proud as Lucifer. His big black eye and his little blue eye were in amusing contrast.

He succeeded in making the other Indians believe that he could see through the blue eye as well as through his natural one, and no happier warrior than he ever strutted before admiring squaws.—Golden Days.

NOTES OF INTEREST.

The Turkish court pianist receives $3,000 a year for his services, but he is temporarily suspended every time he plays a tune the Sultan does not care to hear.

The oldest medical recipe is said by a French medical journal to be that of a hair tonic for an Egyptian Queen. It is dated 400 B. C., and directs that dogs' paws and asses' hoofs be boiled with dates in oil.

A mosaic pavement of Palestine, 30 feet long by 15 broad, has been discovered at a village between Salt and Kerak, east of the Jordan. The pavement is believed to belong to the fifth century after Christ.

The busiest telephone exchange in the world is in Chicago. It is the Washington Street Exchange, where the daily average is 180,000 messages, which means that double that number of persons talk over the telephone line.

There are three harvests reaped in Bengal every year—peas and oil-seeds in the month of April, the early rice crop in September, and the great rice crop in December.

Retreat for Old Maids.

Old maids must claim the little kingdom of Denmark for their paradise, for they are insured there. Any girl who feels that there is a likelihood of her being laid on the shelf may make provision whereby she can, at the age of forty, be put in the spinster class for good and receive weekly benefits. These benefits, of course, are in cash. —New York Journal.

Grateful.

"Why do you send Blum such a handsome and costly present every year, Saxey?"

"Just between you and me, Blum married the girl that had promised to marry me. I can't do enough for him." —Detroit Free Press.

THE HOMING PIGEONS.

Their Aid to Rothschild before Electricty was Used in Telegraphy.

Carrier pigeons must not be confused with homing pigeons, notes a writer in The Badminton Magazine. The former is a fancy pigeon, especially prized for its eye and wattles, but quite useless as a messenger. Both are cousins of the dragon, but the fancier, in the case of the carrier, has bred purely for points, color, shape, etc., while the homing pigeon fancier cares nothing for these things. With him it has been "handsome as a handsome does," and stamina with intelligence has been his aim. An article in Bell's Life, of Jan. 1, 1870, speaks of the "commercial aspect" of the homing pigeon, and from it I extract the following: "Baron Rothschild, before electricity was brought into operation, had an immense quantity of pigeons for express work. These birds brought the news of the state of the money markets in Paris, and frequently the baron cleared in England, almost immediately after the news arrived, many thousand pounds by buying or selling stock. These birds did not come direct from the Continent, for there were relays throughout the distance, and the birds that were housed at Dover brought the news from Calais, when it was dispatched by another pigeon, whose home was at Sittingbourne, so on from there to Blackheath, and thence by another bird to the metropolis."

It has been generally stated, and so far without contradiction, that it was by means of their pigeon express the Rothschilds learned the result of the Battle of Waterloo several hours before the Government of the day, and, profiting by this means, were enabled to make their first great coup on the Stock Exchange.—New York Times.

MARK TWAIN'S GIFT TO HIS WIFE.

Intended His Last Work as a Remembrance of their Wedding Anniversary.

It must have been because the author of "The Personal Recollections of Joan of Arc" was on his travels in the uttermost parts of the earth when the narrative was published in book form that one of his intentions about it was not at that time carried out. It was his purpose, when he began work on the story in Florence, in 1893, that it should be a silver-wedding present to his wife. He says that she never knew of his design, and when the book was published there was nothing in it to apprise her of it. "Let us rectify," writes Mr. Clemens from London, under date of April 9; and, agreeably to his wish, a leaf will be inserted in future issues of the Recollections of Joan, bearing this inscription:

1870 TO MY WIFE 1895
OLIVIA LANGDON CLEMENS
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is tendered on our wedding anniversary in grateful recognition of her twenty-five years of valued service as my literary adviser and editor.

THE AUTHOR

—Harper's Weekly.

A COLORED MAN'S SUCCESS.

He Has Proved Himself a Capable and Thrifty Farmer.

Barton F. Powell, of Albany, Ga., a negro thirty-two years old, is one of the most successful farmers in the state. Twelve years ago he had saved up $2,000, with which he bought 500 acres of land. He went to work on it and cleared $2,500 the first year. He has continued to add to his landed possessions, paying spot cash for every farm purchased, and is now the owner of 2,100 acres of land, from which he markets 400 bales of cotton annually. Besides his success on the farm he has developed the country supply-store idea, and thus rakes in thousands of dollars a year. He also owns a comfortable residence in Bainbridge. His profits last year were over $7,000. He says that the question of social recognition doesn't trouble him so long as he can get financial recognition at the bank.—New York Tribune.

Flowers as an Antiseptic.

It is said that the odors of flowers are antiseptic and that during epidemics the workmen in perfume factories are exempt from disease.

Some essences are good for the nerves. Ambergris, it is said, has the power to clear the brain and induce thought. Musk used in infinitesimal quantities acts as a tonic. Citron and aloes are soothing to the nerves. Strong perfumes, as a rule, are stimulating, while strange, subtle odors incline to drowsiness.

A chemist believes that each scent can be symbolized by a musical note, and a French romanticist says, on inhaling the fragrance of flowers on shore and the strains of music borne on the air from the deck of a vessel, "I could not tell whether I breathed music or heard flowers."—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Tiger With a Glass Eye.

This isn't a stuffed tiger, but a real live one, ferocious and strong. He is at present in the menagerie at Stuttgart, and looks as fierce with his glass eye as with the real one.

A serious affection of the muscles caused the beast to lose the sight of one eye. As the public didn't appreciate a one-eyed tiger, the beast was put under cocaine and the useless optic removed. This was a ticklish operation, several strong keepers holding the beast down while the eye was taken out.

He was measured for a new eye, which had to be made with a special degree of ferocity. For the first week he tried hard to rub it out; but he now rests contented as the only wild animal with a glass eye.—New York Tribune.

Leisurely Lafferty—I see Bill got six months at hard labor. Wot's hard labor? Restful Ragson—Any kind.

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Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 9 00, 9 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, am; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05, 11 25, a.m; (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 2 38, 3 05, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30, 11 25 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 7 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 39, 5 09, 6 35, 10 35, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 38, 7 45, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 26, 4 35, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 6 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 30, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 9 40 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 3 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 9 38, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

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5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

3 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 16 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

3 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton. Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

FOR LONG BRANCH, OCEAN GROVE, ETC,

Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m. 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 08, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 32 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 37* 1 17 night. Sundays—5 17, 5 45, 9 55 10 44 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 09* 6 45 p. m. 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 4 36, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 17night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a.m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 25* p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m., 2 17, 5 34* 6 45 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 10 44 a. m., 5 09*, 6 45, p. m., 1 17 night.

For Buffalo, Chicago and all points West, week-days at 9 54 a. m., 8 21 p. m. Sunday 8 35 p. m.

Plainfield passengers by trains marked (*) change cars at Bound Brook.

Through tickets to all points at lowest rates may be had on application in advance to the ticket agent at the station.

J. H. OLHAUSEN, General Superintendent.

R. P. BALDWIN, General Passenger Agent.

LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD.

In effect June 13, 1897.

LEAVE SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

WESTWARD.

7 44 a. m. and 1 44 p. m. Daily (Sundays 8 01) Local for Mauch Chunk.

9 10 a. m. Daily express for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Chicago, and principal intermediate stations.

10 07 a. m. 3 34, 5 22, 7 32 p. m. daily except Sunday, (Sundays 11 39 a.m.) Local for Bound Brook.

11 54 a. m. Daily except Sunday. Local for Mauch Chunk.

12 52 p. m. daily except Sunday, "BLACK DIAMOND EXPRESS" for Rochester and Buffalo.

2 34 and 4 58 p. m. daily except Sunday, express for Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Pottsville, Hazleton, Shamokin, and principal intermediate stations.

6 25 p. m. daily. Local for Easton.

7 10 p m., daily except Sunday, for Slatington and principal intermediate stations.

7 52 and 9 58 p. m. daily, solid vestibule express for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Chicago, and principal intermediate stations.

9 32 p. m. daily except Sunday. Fast line for Buffalo.

2 15 p.m. Sundays, local for L. & B. Junction.

EASTWARD.

For New York and Brooklyn-Local-6 47, 7 15, 7 43, 9 40, a. m. 2 29, 4 45 and 7 10 p. m. Sunday 7 55 9 03 a. m., 2 21, 7 10 p. m. Express—7 25, 8 27, 10 02 a. m. 12 13, 2 17, 5 11, 7 07 and 9 06 p. m. Sundays—7 25 a. m. and 7 07 p. m.

For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 6 48, 7 50, 10 05 a. m. 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. m Sunday 8 00, 9 00 local a. m. 2 20 and 7 10 p. m.

For Metuchen only 6 25 p. m. except Sunday

For further information consult Ticket Agent.

ROLLIN H. WILBUR, General Superintendent. S. Bethlehem, Pa.

CHAS. S. LEE, General Passenger Agent, Philadelphia, Pa.

A. W. NONNEMACHER, Ass't General Passenger Agent, South Bethlehem, Pa.

NEW YORK TERMINALS—Foot of Cortlandt and Desbrosses and 23d streets.

Arrival and Departure of Mails.

NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:30 a. m., 2:30, 5, 5:30, 6:15 p. m.

Close—7:30, 9:20 a. m., 1:30, 5, and 7:30 p. m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3 and 6:15 p. m.

Close—7:30 a. m., and 4:30 p. m.

PHILA. WASH. and WESTERN Direct.

Arrive—1 p. m.

Close—5 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

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Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.

Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

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Delicate Dress Goods.

Some gowns are so dainty in the weave, so delicate in tint, that they seem to soil by being looked at—one or two wearings making them unpresentable, NOT USELESS. We make a specialty of cleaning fine fabrics, the more delicate the material, the better the results. Sometimes an accident will ruin a gown, without injuring the texture We dye them then, sometimes we get a prettier effect than the original color. Fine goods stand redyeing. The finer the material the better the new color. We charge so little for cleaning or dyeing, that even if you are in doubt as to the result, it's worth while to experiment. Want a new evening gown for a dollar or two? Laundry drivers will receive your work.

Hillier & Co.,

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Telephone 30M

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Wall Paper, Paints, Oils, Glass, etc.,

201 Park avenue, corner Second street.
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Dealer in choice fruit of all kinds of Confectionery, Peanuts, Cigars, etc. Soda Water of all flavors and always ice cold. Branch store corner Front and Somerset streets

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CASH PRICES.

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Residence, 18 Elm Place.
Estimates cheerfully given.
Jobbing promptly attended to.

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Lehigh Valley Coal.

Office 209 North avenue. All orders will receive prompt attention. Yard—At Mt. Pleasant, Lehigh Valley Railroad. 10 20 1y

Rushton & Hansen,

PAINTERS AND PAPER HANGERS,

Office and shop Sycamore and 4th sts.

Interior decorating a specialty. Our motto—first-class work. Estimates cheerfully given. Orders promptly attended to. 2 11 tf

PLAINFIELD COUNCIL,

No. 711, Royal Arcanum.

The regular meetings of this Council are held on the second and fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p.m.
M. L. Bullock, Regent.
Frederick C. Pope, Secretary.

McCullough's STEAM MILL,

21 Steiner place, North Plainfield.

R. H. McCullough, Prop.
Sash, blinds, doors, mouldings, scroll sawing, turning, &c. Estimates cheerfully furnished.

H. Eggerding,

121 Park ave.,
Manufacturer of the Celebrated

C. O. D. CIGAR

The best 5c cigar in the State, and made on the premises from the finest Havana. Clear Havana cigars a specialty. A large assortment of the choicest brands of domestic cigar

NEUMAN BROS., FANCY GROCERS.

A few leade s ir prices. Extra quality 3-lb can Shrewsbury Asparagus, 25c. a can; Extra Asparagus Tips, 3-lb can, only 25c.; Star and Crescent Peaches, 3-lb can, 20c.; Apricots, 3-lb can, 18c. Strictly Fancy Creamery Butter a specilaty. Strictly Fresh Country Eggs, Warranted Fresh.

W. J. STEPHENSON,

146 North Avenue,
Near the depot.

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Fish, Oysters, and Clams.

I have removed my fish market to No. 230 Park Avenue, opposite North Avenue where I shall be pleased to serve my friends and the public with

GOOD GOODS, CHEAP, FOR CASH

EDWARD P. THORN.

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between Harry S. Potter and Frank R. Kellogg, both of the Township of Raritan, County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey, under the firm of Potter & Kellogg, retail coal dealers, doing business in the City of Plainfield, County of Union and State of New Jersey, was dissolved on the seventh day of June, 1897. Harry S. Potter is authorized to settle all debts due to and by the firm.
Dated June 7th, A. D. 1897. 6 8 4 oaw-tu

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Rushton, Hansen & Luthman is this day dissolved. Rushton & Hansen will continue the business and pay all debts owing by the old firm and receive all bills due.
ROBERT H. RUSHTON,
JAMES C. HANSEN,
ALFRED LUTHMAN.
Plainfield, N. J., June 12, 1897. 6 15 6 oaw tu

THE GRANDVIEW

Meat Market.

George Egel, Manager.

Dealer in Fresh and Salted Meats. Game in season. Orders called for and delivered promptly. Cor. Grandview ave and Somerset street. 6 13 tf

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FRESH AND SALTED MEATS.

Game in season. No. 122 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J. Telephone 148b. Orders called for and delivered promptly. Philadelphia Scrapple.

A Frequent Mistake.

The Heart Often Blamed for Trouble It Does Not Cause.

The secret of the success of a physician is his ability to diagnose a case. If you don't know what ails you, how can you know what to do for it? The heart is the pumping station; it pumps the blood to different parts of the body. Of course it is an important matter that this blood is freed from all impurities, and the heart can't do this. Such work falls on the kidneys; hence the kidneys are called the filters. They must filter out all the uric acid that forms together with other impurities, or their delicate fibres become clogged; then comes the trouble—backache, sideache, and other aches follow; some complain of sleeplessness and lame back without fully appreciating the cause. Very often the doctors make a mistake, and say it rises from the liver or heart. This is demonstrated in Newark by a citizen, Mrs. Turnbull, who resides at No. 80 Wilsey street. She suffered with a pain in the extreme lower portion of her back, was forced to give up and lie in bed most of her time; lost all ambition from the continual pains, which seemed to exist whether in or out of bed. She could not lie on her back; the urine showed a deposite sediment, and came with a scalding sensation. She had fierce headaches. Of course Mrs. Turnbull employed a doctor. He thought her difficulty came from the heart. At any rate, right or wrong, she derived very little from his treatment. Then one day she went to Menk's drug store and got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and began taking them. This soon told the tale of her trouble, for rapid improvement followed. She was very soon cured of her complaint, and Mrs. Turnbull continues to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills, as well she may. The facts of her case, as above related, are told as she told them to our representative; 'tis easy to verify them.

Price 50 cents per box. For sale by all dealers or mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Clearing Out Sale.

Coleus, Petunias and Nasturtions at 2 cents per plant, and other bedding out plants at low prices at

DENTON'S

131 HILLSIDE AVENUE.

Edwin B. Maynard,

Hair Cutting and Shampooing.

Tonsorial parlor, 204 Park ave., Plainfield. Ladies' shampooing and children's hair cuttings a specialty.

MUST BE SOLD

In Three Weeks.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK

OF

MEN'S, BOYS' and CHILDREN'S CLOTHING,

and Men's furnishing goods must positively be sold by July 1st; not a dollar's worth do we want on our hands, and in order to dispose of so large a stock we will cut the prices down so low that you can come to our large store and buy a whole suit for what other stores will ask you for a single pair of pants. Don't buy a dollar's worth of clothing until you see our stock and prices. Every garment will be marked down in plain figures, and there should be no mistake of your getting the right price and the right goods. Remember that we sold over 45,000 dollars worth of clothing in Plainfield in one year. Ask anyone and everybody who ever bought of us and they will tell you that we give 3 times as many goods for the same amount that any other store in Plainfield will give you, in order to prove what we say. We will give you

A FEW PRICES

Men's all-wool royal blue serge suits, worth $12, at selling out price, $4.50; men's best all wool blue serge suit, worth $16, at selling out price, $5.90; men's fine gray clay serge, all-wool suit, worth $13.50, at selling out price, $5; fine men's gray or dark brown clay diagonal suit, worth $16, selling out price $6.25. No other store in Plainfield will sell the same suit for less than $18. A very fine business suit in all-wool worsted or cassimeres, worth $10, at $4.25; fine men's working suit, worth $8, at $2.50. This suit is all wool and warranted not to fade. Extra fine all-wool silk or satin lined clay diagonal all-wool suit in frocks, worth $20. at $8.25; a very fine English silk-mixed suit, worth not less than $22, at $6.90; over 500 suits in fancy cheviots and overplaids, dark or light colors, that we are selling at $2, $3, $3.50 and $4.50. Every one of them are worth from $8 to $15 of any man's money. Don't wait one minute, but come at once, as you never will have the chance again. Youths' suits in all-wool clay diagonal sacks, worth $10, at $4.50; young men's plaid suits, all wool, worth $8, at $2.90; boy's long pants suit at $2; children's suits, latest style plaids in brown and light colors at $1, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75, worth from $2 to $5; men's fine summer underwear at 15c; men's bicycle suits. $1.75, $2, $2.50 and $3.50, worth from $4 to $10; men's bicycle pants from 35c up. Be on hand early and avoid the rush. Over 2,000 suits to choose from. Durable men's pants at 75c; fine Sunday pants at 95c, $1.25. $1.50 and $1.75; every pair of them all wool and they are worth from $2.50 to $6. This closing out sale commences Saturday, June 12, at 7:30 a. m.

Car Fare Paid to All Buyers of Clothing.

NEW YORK CLOTHING CO.,

214 W. Front St., Plainfield, N. J.

M. WEINBERGER
Next door to Music Hall

STRAW HATS FROM 3c to $3.00.

FURNISHINGS.

UP-TO-DATE CRANE & CLARK

Leading Hatters, 120 West Front street.

GRILLES.

FOR DOORWAYS AND ARCHES, IN STOCK AND TO ORDER,

AT THE FIRE-PLACE STORE,

CURTIS M. THORPE, 310-312 Park Ave

THE JUBILEE IN DUBLIN.

A Black Banner Displayed at a Meeting Near College Green.

Dublin, June 22.—At a meeting held near College green in connection with the jubilee a black banner was displayed bearing the statement, "During Victoria's reign 1,500,000 people have starved in this island, 3,000,000 have been evicted, and 4,000,000 have been compelled to emigrate."

A body of undergraduates who marched out from the ground of Trinity college carrying the union jack came into collision with the crowd, and there was considerable fighting. Philip Callan was severely injured in the head, and several others were more or less injured. Only with difficulty did the police restore order.

The cause of the trouble was rivalry in singing national airs. After the rumpus the crowd paraded the streets and destroyed the decorations.

THE WOUNDED POLICEMAN.

Condition of the Officer Whose Skull Was Fractured In a Melee.

South Framingham, Mass., June 22.—The condition of Police Officer David Bastien, who had his skull fractured by being struck with a beer bottle during a drunken row, is still precarious, the injured man having regained consciousness only for a short time since the occurrence.

In the police court Augustino Tappianio, Patsy Smith and Henry Smith, the three men who were arrested charged with participating in the affray, were arraigned before Judge Kingsbury, but owing to the precarious condition of Police Officer Bastien the case was adjourned until June 29 to await the outcome of the injuries. They were held in $3,000 bonds, which they were unable to secure, and were taken to jail.

Whole Family Poisoned.

Huntsville, Ala., June 22.—The family of John P. King of this city, are suffering from poison at Monrovia, where they were spending the heated term. Dr. Blaude, who was called to relieve the sufferers, and remained to supper, was also taken violently ill, and physicians from this city were summoned. Monrovia is about three miles from Jeff, the scene of the Kelly poisoning and lynching, and excitement runs high. Antidotes have been successful, and all the parties are recovering.

Supposed Murderer In Custody.

St. Louis, June 22.—Chief of Police Harrigan has received a letter from the city marshal of Sequin, Tex., stating that there is a man in that town going under the name of Williams who is supposed to be Rev. Thomas Abbott West, a Methodist minister of Chestertown, Ind., who eloped from there with Susie Beck, and, it is charged, murdered her in St. Louis in June, 1887. Chief Harrigan has requested the city marshal of Sequin to hold Williams, or West, for further orders.

Scientist Church Cornerstone Laid.

Troy, N. Y., June 22.—The cornerstone of the First Church of Christ (Scientist) on Second avenue, Lansingburg, has been laid. The exercises consisted of reading from the Bible and selections from "Science and Health," the Lord's Prayer repeated by the congregation, placing the stone in position and an address. The building, which is the first of the denomination in this part of the state, will be a beautiful structure of stone.

St. Louis Poolrooms Closed.

St. Louis, June 22.—An act of the last legislature, known as the breeders' law, is now in operation. Among its requirements is one that bookmaking or pool selling cannot be carried on without a license from the state auditor. A violation of this law is punishable by one year's imprisonment or a fine of $1,000, or both. Chief of Police Harrigan has issued orders to close all poolrooms found open, and as a result not one in the city is open.

Drowned In a Water Barrel.

Middletown, N. Y., June 22.—Mrs. Warren Finch, the wife of the tollgate keeper near Bloomingburg, aged 68 years, became despondent and deliberately climbed into a barrel of water and sat down. Her daughter discovered her mother unconscious, with her head floating above the water. The girl procured assistance and endeavored to resuscitate her, but without avail.

Croatians Meet.

McKeesport, Pa., June 22.—The fourth annual convention of the National Croatian society of the United States has been opened here. Delegates are present from all parts of the United States. The Croatian people in this country are better known as Austrians, as their country, Croatia, since 1827, has been a part of the Austro-Hungary empire.

Mills Again on Full Time.

Salmon Falls, N. H., June 22.—The mills of the Salmon Falls Manufacturing company have resumed a full time schedule after having been run on two-thirds time since last December. The change in time is the result of an increased demand for the goods manufactured by the corporation.

Alleged Forger Must Stand Trial.

Urbana, O., June 22.—Judge Heiserman of the common pleas court has rendered his decision on the general demurrer to the 30 indictments returned against Z. T. Lewis, the bond forger. The judge overruled the demurrer on all parts and fixed the date of Lewis' trial for Monday, July 12.

Boot and Shoe Workers' Union.

Boston, June 22.—The second annual convention of the Boot and Shoe Workers' union has been opened in this city. There were 100 delegates present when President John F. Tobin, in opening, briefly outlined the purpose of the convention and appointed a committee on credentials.

Attacked by His Wife and a Boarder.

Troy, N. Y., June 22.—Albert Moses of this city was seriously cut about the head and neck with knives in the hands of his wife and a boarder named John Burns. Both assailants are under arrest. As yet it is impossible to tell whether the wounds will prove fatal.

Sudden Death of a Farmer.

Rome, N. Y., June 22.—Henry M. Crumb, an old and well known resident of this city, dropped dead while at work in a field.

GOOD WORK WAS DONE

Senate Made Giant Strides on the Tariff Bill.

THE FREE LIST HAS BEEN COMPLETED.

Little Debate Took Place Except on a Few Articles—Mr. Bacon Wants Cotton Ties on the Free List—Some Senate Confirmations.

Washington, June 22.—The senate made giant strides on the tariff bill, covering 56 pages and establishing a record for progress during this tariff debate. The last two schedules of the dutiable list, covering paper and manufactured sundries were completed, with the exception of the paragraphs on hides, gloves, coal and some lesser articles. This advanced the senate to the free list, which was then taken up and completed in three hours.

The wool and silk schedules went over temporarily. After that the tobacco schedule, the reciprocity provisions and the internal revenue portions of the bill, as well as the many isolated paragraphs passed over, remain to be considered. The progress was so marked, however, that for the first time there was a feeling that the end was not far off.

There was little debate, the main topics of discussion being matches and fuses. On the latter item an amendment by Mr. Pettigrew reducing the rate to 10 per cent came within one vote of passing against the protest of the finance committee, the vote being a tie—24 to 24.

While the free list was under consideration, Mr. Bacon of Georgia gave notice of an amendment placing cotton ties on the free list, and Mr. McLaurin of South Carolina gave notice of another amendment, taking raw cotton from the free list, thus completing the action heretofore taken of placing a duty of 20 per cent on cotton.

Senator Allen reintroduced his resolution of last congress declaring that a masters' sale of the Union Pacific or Kansas Pacific railroad, without additional legislation, would not be binding on the government, and directing the committee on Pacific railroads to inquire what authority the executive department has in the premises.

The senate confirmed the following nominations: John G. Brady of Sitka, Alaska, to be governor of Alaska; John U. Smith of Portland, Or., and William J. Jones of Port Townsend, Wash., to be commissioners in and for the district of Alaska; Harmon L. Remmel of Arkansas to be collector of internal revenue for the district of Arkansas; Frank W. Howbert of Colorado to be collector of internal revenue for the district of Colorado; Freeland H. Oakes of Maine to be collector of customs for the district of Saco, Me.; Jacob E. Houtz of Nebraska to be collector of internal revenue for the district of Nebraska.

Some Stamp Statistics.

Washington, June 22.—Assistant Secretary Vanderlip has advised the director of the bureau of engraving and printing of the probable requirements of the postoffice department for stamps during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1898. These estimates, based upon the number used in previous years, are as follows: Ordinary stamps, 3,444,167,000; newspaper and periodical stamps, 6,462,000; postage due stamps, 21,168,000. Of the ordinary stamps 2,500,000,000 are of the 2 cent denomination and 5,000,000 are of the 10 cent special delivery series.

As compared with the requirements for the present year, these estimates are an increase of about 295,000,000 in the number of ordinary stamps, an increase of 770,000 in the special delivery, an increase of 962,000 in the newspaper and periodicals and a decrease of 832,000 in the postage due series.

To Investigate Old Soldiers' Grievances.

Washington, June 22.—Assistant Secretary Vanderlip has left for Philadelphia to investigate the cases of a number of ex-Union soldiers who have petitioned for their reinstatement in the United States mint on the ground that they were wrongfully removed about three years ago for partisan reasons.

Democratic Editors Organize.

St. Louis, June 22.—An association to be known as the Organization of Democratic Editors In Missouri was formed at the Laclede hotel. The objects of the association are stated in the following preamble to a resolution: "Realizing the importance of organization, we, the Democratic editors of Missouri, hereby organize ourselves into a permanent organization for the purpose of more forcibly presenting the principles of Democracy as enunciated in the Chicago platform."

Sensational Report Denied.

Seattle, Wash., June 22.—A story emanating from discharged employees and sent by wire to eastern papers to the effect that miners in the employ of the Monte-Christo Mining company were inhumanly treated, badly housed and poorly fed is entirely untrue. It is declared that the miners at Monte-Christo are better paid and better fed and better housed than any other company in the northwest.

To Use an American Boat at Henley.

Troy, N. Y., June 22.—E. Waters & Sons of this city have shipped a four oared paper shell to be used by the Winnipeg crew in the race for the Visitors' Challenge cup at Henley, England. It is an exact duplicate of the shell in which the Winnipegs won the Canadian national and international championships last year, being 41 feet in length, 17 inches wide and weighing 96 pounds.

Steamship Fireman Scalded to Death.

St. Johns, N. F., June 22.—The steamer Keemun of the Donaldson line, from Glasgow for Montreal, with cattle and a general cargo, broke her tail shaft and burst a steam pipe while in mid-ocean. Mitchell, the fireman, was terribly scalded and died of his injuries. The vessel was towed into port by the steamer Lake Winnipeg of the Beaver line and docked here for repairs.

Arrested and Charged With Arson.

Fresno, Cal., June 22.—The Pleasanton hotel was fired in three places Saturday evening. Walter Furnish has been arrested, charged with the crime. The evidence against Furnish is strong. He belongs to one of the best families in Fresno.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 4:29 a. m.
Sun Sets: 7:34 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 8:34 p. m.

GOSSIP OF THE CYCLERS.

TEMS INTERESTING TO DEVOTEES OF THE STEEL STEEDS.

The Popular Exercise Provides Incidents and Expressions That are of Especial Moment When Wheeling is the Rage

The Bayonne Rowing Association held a century run through this city Sunday.

Frank Smalley, of East Sixth street, broke the frame of his bicycle yesterday.

A party of Evona young men took a bicycle run to New Brunswick, Saturday evening.

Miss Daisy Elsberg, of Prospect place, has just received a new Wolff-American wheel, the gift of her father.

Miss Addie Parker Jackson has joined the army of Plainfield wheelwomen, and is learning the art of cycling at the Pierce Cycle Academy.

John Hoffman, of Grant avenue, rode his wheel to Springfield, on Sunday, and on returning home he punctured a tire. Mr. Hoffman was able, through the use of a piece of rope, to repair the tire and ride home.

The Union County Roadsters expect a large entry list for their twenty-five mile road race for tandem machines over the Irvington Millburn course on July 3. On the same day they will also hold a fifteen mile handicap road race for single bicycles.

The Milburn Township Committee has decided to permit the tandem bicycle race over the Irvington-Millburn course, which race has been arranged by the Union County Roadsters. The committee recently passed a speed ordinance which would, if carried out, prevent the race, but they decided to suspend the ordinance on the afternoon of the race, July 3, provided a check for $12 for policing Milburn avenue during the race is forwarded to the Town Clerk of Milburn.

GOLF.

The Reinhart cup was won on the links of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club Saturday afternoon by J. H. P. Wharton. Glenny and Wadsworth, the scratch men, played well and finished fifth and sixth. The play was eighteen holes medal play. A silver cup, offered by J. W. Reinhart, will be held one year by the winner. The scores were as follows:

	Gross	Handicap	Net
J. H. P. Wharton	93	4	89
J. S. Anthony	96	6	90
Rev. W. R Richards	93	2	91
James P. Murray	103	10	93
Lester Glenny	94	scratch	94
Willard Wadsworth	95	scratch	95
George Schoonmaker	109	14	95
George T. VanBoskerck	111	16	95
Reeve Stockton	102	6	96
Carl P. Walz	103	6	97
W. L. C. Glenny	115	16	99
W. C Baker	116	16	100
Howard Huntington	114	12	102
H. M. Stockton	114	12	102
Fred W. Walz	108	6	102
Irving West	121	16	105
George A. Chapman	121	16	105
Thomas VanBoskerck	123	17	106
H. D. West	107	0	107
Clifton Wharton, Jr	119	12	107
Evarts Tracy	118	8	110

AROUND THE BASES.

The P. A. C. base-ball team, of this city, defeated the Amersfort team, of Brooklyn, Saturday, by the score of 9 to 5. The game was played in Brooklyn.

Graduates at Smith College.

Among the graduates this week at Smith College, in whom many Plainfield relatives and friends are interested, are the following young ladies: Miss Mary Wells, daughter of H. B. Wells, of Washington avenue; Miss Viola Conklin, daughter of E W. Conklin, of First place, and Miss Jennie Foster, daughter of Scott Foster, of Seventy-second street, New York.

Baseball and Baby Fund.

The Crystal Society of the borough netted $15 from the recent lawn festival held on Manning avenue. This amount is more than enough to purchase baseball uniforms and other necessary articles for the team, and $1.50 will be donated to the Baby Fund. A meeting of this society will be held this evening when all accounts will be audited.

—The membership committee of the Y. M. C. A. will meet this evening at 8 o'clock.

EARLY INTELLIGENCF.

—J. H. Oliff, of Arlington avenue, is beautifying his property by removing the front fence.

—Carpenters has just finished work on Milkman Philip Voorhees' new house on Randolph road.

—The Third Street Mission workers will lead the meeting at the Volunteer tent, Somerset street and Manning avenue, this evening.

—Unity Lodge, 102, Knights of Pythias, will nominate officers at its meeting tonight. The election will take place next Tuesday evening.

—A large delegation from Jerusalem Chapter, R. A. M., will visit Keystone Chapter at Somerville, this evening, to witness the conferring of the Royal Arch degree.

—At a meeting of Washington Camp, Patriotic Order Sons of America held last evening, the present officers were chosen to remain in office for an indefinite time. There was no desire on the part of the members to make a change just now.

—On Sunday afternoon last the members of the Independent Scheutzen Corps held their first June walk. A place back of Dunellen was chosen, where the day was spent in a genuine social way. The members turned out in full force and an enjoyable time was the result.

AN ACCIDENT NARROWLY AVERTED.

A Delivery Wagon and Trolley Car Nearly Collided.

Edward J. Smith, a butcher, doing business on West Front street, was driving his horse through Liberty street at a high rate of speed this afternoon.

On West Fourth street a trolley car approached, and as it neared Liberty street, Smith turned his horse sharply around the corner directly in front of the swiftly oncoming car.

As soon as the horse came around the corner, however, the motorman in charge of the car, with great presence of mind, reversed the lever of his car.

On it went until it touched the frightened horse, and just then it came to a standstill.

If the motorman had delayed to reverse his lever for a few seconds, the story would have been one of a serious accident.

TO DISCUSS THE MARTIN ACT.

Board of Trade Calls a Public Meeting for Tomorrow Night.

The committee appointed at a recent meeting of the Board of Trade have called a public meeting to be held in the Board of Trade rooms tomorrow evening to discuss the Martin Act as applied to taxes for 1881 and prior thereto where the property is now in the hands of innocent third parties. The committee feel that this matter is of vital importance to the welfare of the city and invite all to be present, whether interested directly in this matter or not.

Primary Teachers Meet.

Mrs. Pearce led the devotional exercises at the regular meeting of the Primary Teachers' Union held yesterday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, and the lesson, which was a review, was taught by Miss Shreve, who illustrated the subjects. The members were glad to welcome Mrs. Hurst to the meeting yesterday after an illness of several weeks.

A Social Meeing.

A social meeting of the Home Missionary Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church is being held this afternoon. A large number of invitations have been sent out for this meeting, which will be specially interesting one, with a carefully prepared and very enjoyable programme.

J. L. Wiseman will manage the Sea View Hotel, at Asbury Park, this summer.

V. L. Frazee, of West Front street, who has been suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism, is somewhat improved and was able to be at his place of business Saturday.

Giving Him Fits.

Arabella (scared)—Oh, mammy! Miss Smiff say her ole man gits fits eb'ry tahm he come home drunk, an' I's 'fraid I cotch 'um."

Mammy—G'wan, chile; fits ain' ketchin'.

Arabella—Dey mus' be,' 'kase Miss Smiff says she give 'um to him herse'f.

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THE WAY TO HELP YOUR STOMACH OUT OF DIFFICULTY.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Frank Frazee has accepted a position at Long Branch.

Henry Carey and William Kreitling spent today at Coney Island.

David White, of West Fourth street, is at home ill with malaria.

John Howell, of Southhold, L. I., is the guest of Fred Bonny, of Mercer avenue.

Miss Nellie Motley, of Liberty street, has returned from a week's visit in New York.

Miss Woodland, of Duer street, is entertaining Miss Burnett and Miss Ammerman, of Madison.

Miss Ida Spicer, of West Fifth street, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Julia T. Bogert, of Metuchen.

Miss Lulu Baker, of Millington, N. J., is visiting her cousin, Miss Hattie Bush, of North Plainfield.

Mrs. M. Volkmann, of Richmond street, is confined to the house suffering with a sprained ankle.

E Maxwell Honeyman, of Duer street, went to Easton today to take his examinations for Lafayette College.

Thomas Minford, of Watchung avenue, is having flagging laid in front of his property adjoining his residence.

Charles Noble, of Mendham, was the guest today of his grandmother, Mrs. F. T. Ketcham, of East Fifth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Rice and daughter, Miss Myrtle, of Mine Mount, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Wood, of Lincoln place.

Miss Euphenia Johnstone, of New York, is the guest of Miss Edith Pruden, of East Second street, and will attend the High School reception.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Francis Taylor, of Cranbury, are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Taylor's mother, Mrs. E. Alberti Whiting, of East Sixth street.

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CLASS OF NINETY-SEVEN.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES OF THE PLAINFIELD HIGH SCHOOL.

They Will Be Held in Music Hall Tomorrow Night—The Programme and a List of the Twenty Honored Graduates.

Tomorrow night the class of Ninety-seven of the Plainfield High School will be a thing of the past as far as the High School is concerned. Tomorrow evening the twenty graduates will arrange themselves on the stage at Music Hall and receive their diplomas and then start forth some for several years of college life and others on business careers.

The commencement exercises will be held at Music Hall, tomorrow evening, beginning at 7:45 o'clock. There will be several new features this year. A chorus of school children will be seated on the stage who will render several selections. Then the salutatory will be given in Latin.

The programme will be as follows:—Overture, "Rosamund," by Schubert; selection, "March of the Men of Columbia" and "Now the Day is Over," by Barnby, rendered by a chorus from the schools; invocation by Rev. W. C. O'Donnell, of Monroe Avenue church; orchestra selection, "Geisha," by Caryll; Latin salutatory, by Miss Sarah Edwards Schuyler; valse, "Zenda," by the orchestra; address of the evening, by Merrill E. Gates, LL. D., President of Amherst College; a chorus by the schools; presentation of awards, by Leander N. Lovell, of the Board of Education; orchestra selection from "Wizard of the Nile," by Herbert; oration and valedictory, "Our Obligation to England," by Lewis Squires; vocal selections and presentation of diplomas by President Probasco, and closing musical selections.

The awards will be as follows:—

For English composition, the late G. H. Babcock prize, by Mrs. G. H. Babcock.

For Mathematics, the late Dr. Stillman prize, by Mrs. C. H. Stillman.

For United States History, offered by Dr. O. L. Jenkins.

For Spelling, offered by Leander N. Lovell.

Penmanship, by Charles F. Abbott.

For Languages, offered by Ernest R. Ackerman

The members of the class who graduate tomorrow evening are:—

Classical Course — Miss Gertrude Louise Cathcart, Miss Edith Louise Pruden, Miss Sarah Edwards Schuyler, Lewis Squires, Ernest Salisbury Suffren.

General Course—Miss Mary Estella Buckle, Miss Edith Louise Burt, Miss Grace Agnes Crane, Miss Emma Cutter, Miss Alice Jenkins, Miss Adeline Mabel Manning, Miss Adah Elizabeth Woolston.

English Course — Miss Eva May Dayton, Miss Florence May Duck, Miss Louise Egan, Miss Clara Emma Fellows, Miss Lilla Clifton Livezey, Miss Sarah Cordelia Miller, Sydney Ross Titsworth, William Becker VanAlstyne.

Honor pupils, First Honor—Miss Emma Cutter, Miss Sarah Edwards Schuyler, Lewis Squires.

Second Honor—Miss Grace Agnes Crane, Miss Alice Jenkins, Miss Lilla Clifton Livesey, Miss Adeline Mabel Manning, Miss Adah Elizabeth Woolston.

NO EXHIBITION DRILL.

The Plainfield High School Cadets Were Not Enthusiastic Over It.

Contrary to expectation, there was no exhibition drill at the Plainfield High School this morning. It was expected that the Cadets would drill against the company of girls, but, as enthusiasm was lacking on both sides it was decided not to hold it.

This morning all the school books of the Plainfield High School were handed in, and any books which were not given up today must be brought to school tomorrow.

Entertained Boroughites.

Last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smalley, Sr., of Craig place, a few friends gathered in honor of Miss Minnie Ammerman and Miss Burnett, of Madison, who are visiting friends in the borough. There were piano selections by Miss Jessie Roberts, Miss Ida Randolph, and Louis Hummer, while John Burroughs favored those present with several violin selections. The affair was a very enjoyable one.

Funeral of Daniel Upsher.

A large number of people attended the funeral services of Daniel Upsher, who was killed by a railroad train near Trenton last Friday afternoon. The services were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Mt. Olive Baptist church. The officiating ministers were Rev. P. S. Gibson, Rev. J. S. Groves and Rev. Mr. Johnson. Interment was made in the Methodist cemetery.

JOINED IN WEDLOCK.

MISS NORA A. CASEY AND JOHN J. GALLAGHER MARRIED.

The Ceremony Was Performed in St. Mary's Church Last Evening, Followed By a Reception at the Bride's Home.

St. Mary's church was filled by a large concourse of people at 5:30 o'clock last evening to witness the marriage of Miss Nora Agnes Casey, daughter of Patrick Casey, to John Joseph Gallagher, of this city.

The church interior presented a very beautiful appearance. The altar was decorated with cut flowers and ferns and all the candles upon it were burning.

At exactly 5:30 o'clock the bridal party entered the church and to the strains of a wedding march, walked to the front of the altar, where the groom and best man awaited them.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Smith, pastor of the church.

The bride was given away by her father. Her gown was of white silk with chiffon and pearl trimmings.

The bridemaid was Miss Nellie Casey, a sister of the bride, she wore yellow ordandie and carried a basket of yellow roses decked with ribbons.

Daniel J. Shea, of this city, was best man. Miss Mary J. Smith presided at the organ and furnished excellent music.

No invitations were issued to the church, and the many friends of the bride and groom crowded the edifice to its utmost capacity.

After the ceremony the couple were driven directly to the home of the bride's father, corner of New and West Third streets, where they held a reception to which only relatives were invited. In connection with the reception there was an elaborate wedding supper. The presents were numerous and very handsome. At 9 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Gallagher left amid a shower of rice and old shoes for a wedding trip lasting two weeks.

Both are well known and very popular in this city. Mr. Gallagher has been employed for five years at the Potter Press Works.

On returning from their wedding journey, the couple will take up their residence on West Third street, in this city.

CHANGES IN THE MAILS.

POSTMASTER HETFIELD HAS MADE A NUMBER OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Better Postal Service Is Now to Be Given to the Plainfield Public—Four Direct Mails to Philadelphia Added.

Through the constant efforts of Postmaster Hetfield, the mail service given to the people of Plainfield is steadily improving in every direction. The change in the delivery system, by which there are now four deliveries instead of three, was noted at the time. Now Mr. Hetfield has made some alterations in the time of the arrival and departure of the mails and has so arranged them that their number has been increased.

The changes in the mails to and from New York are but slight. The incoming mail, arriving here at 6:15 p. m., has been left out. The only changes in the outgoing mails to New York will be that the mails hitherto closing at 7:30 a. m. and 5 p. m. will close at 7:20 and 5:15 p. m., hereafter.

The mail to Somerville and Easton will close at 7:20 a. m., instead of 7:30 a. m., and a mail closing at 12:15 p m has been added to that service.

The greatest change is in regard to the mails to Philadelphia and points south. There used to be but one direct mail to Philadelphia, Washington and the south, and that was started only several months ago. The rest of the Philadelphia mail had to go to New York to be sorted and then was sent to Philadelphia. Now there will be four direct mails to Philadelphia, closing at 8:40 and 11:30 a. m. and 1 and 2:30 p. m., and four direct ones in return, arriving at 7:20 and 9:20 a. m and 12:15 and 6 p. m Then there will also be a through fast mail for Washington and the south, closing at 6 p. m.

Caught in the Car Tracks.

A wagon containing Mr. Maltby and family, of West Dunellen, broke down yesterday afternoon at the corner of Watchung and North avenues. One wheel caught in the car tracks and it was completely wrecked. The occupants of the wagon were thrown out, but fortunately no one was injured. The wagon was taken to Stevens' blacksmith shop on East Second street where it was repaired in a little while.

To Delinquent Tax Payers.

Persons who have failed to pay their taxes to the city for the year 1895, must settle with the collector on or before Thursday of this week, or their names will be advertised in the newspapers next day. 6 22 2

GAVE STARTLING FACTS.

ARTHUR KROM DELIVERED AN ADDRESS ON STERILIZING MILK.

The Address Was Made at a Public Meeting of the Town Improvement Association—A Very Valuable and Liberal Offer.

A public meeting of the Town Improvement association was held yesterday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. building, at which Arthur Krom, of this city, gave a very interesting and instructive talk on "The Need of Sterilizing Milk." Mr. Krom stated that bacteria is not, as some people suppose, a small animal, but a beautiful little plant having animal power of locomotion. He considered that the present scarlet fever epidemic is due to impure milk, and that it was not a more serious one, he held, is due to good luck more than anything else. He said that some dealers sell anything for milk which comes from any old place. He did not think that there is a cowyard within a radius of ten miles of Plainfield that is kept as it should be, and, to his own personal knowledge, he knew of farmers who had hidden their cows when the state in pector was around, and he thought that the cows must be in a very poor condition when they would not pass the inspector.

The method of dispensing milk from wagons, the speaker held, was a very poor one and should be condemned. Mr. Krom said that as a general thing the help about most cowyards were allowed to wear old clothes that are not clean and they are careless about keeping themselves clean. The stalls, he contended, were not kept clean and the light and ventilation as a rule is poor. In general, he thought that the people of this city must be very tough to be able to stand such treatment. He thought that if a roster of the people who had died from consumption as the result of drinking impure milk could be obtained, it would surprise the people of Plainfield. Mr. Krom then exhibited and explained a number of charts showing the various kinds of germs which are common and which produce contagious diseases. He said that one germ in a quantity of milk under favorable conditions would multiply quickly into millions. He held that twenty per cent of the cows in this locality were infected with diseases that make milk unfit to drink.

Mr. Krom then introduced the subject of sterilizing milk, and stated that a suitable laboratory could be established at an expense of $150 or $200, and if such a place should be established, he said he would offer his services free for six months or a year until the laboratory could be placed in good running order and a suitable man secured to run it.

After the address the subject was discussed by the members and it was finally decided to refer the matter to a committee of three who are to investigate the advisability of establishing a laboratory and report at a future meeting. A vote of thanks was given to Mr. Krom for his most interesting talk.

An Afternoon on the Mountain.

About twenty members of the Primary Teachers' Union enjoyed an outing yesterday in the mountains. They were conveyed from the city to the foot of the mountains by trolley, and there they walked to the objective point, a short distance beyond Mountain Park Inn, which place they reached just in time for dinner. All hands assisted in preparing a tempting repast, and before partaking the group arranged themselves to have their picture taken. After all had indulged in a good dinner, the rest of the day was passed in playing games and sociability. Before the happy company parted they all joined in singing "Praise God from whom all blessings flow."

Changes at Princeton.

President Patton, of Princeton University, has announced a number of changes in the corps of instruction. Prof. Willard Humphreys was promoted from an assistant to a full professorship in German. The chair of psychology, held by Prof. Mark Baldwin, was changed from Stuart, professor of experimental psychology, to Stuart, professor of psychology. Two new chairs were created, one in history and one in French. Prof. Arnold Guyot Cameron, recently of Yale, was elected professor of French language and literature. Prof. Andrew Campbell Armstrong, of Wesleyan University, was elected to the new chair in the department of history.

Beware!

Dr. Murray, of the Health Board, is calling the attention of citizens to the fact that the willful concealment of a case of contagious disease is punishable by a fine not less than $25 and not exceeding $50.

W. C. Kelly, of Park avenue, has returned from a flying trip to Chicago.

BOTH ARE MARRIED NOW

STRANGE COMPLICATIONS IN MR. STITES' MARRIED LIFE.

His First Wife Claims That He Deserted Her and Never Would Support Her—He Was Recently Married.

Nine years ago a couple were married by Justice Nash in his office. All was not love between them and four years later the wife married again, claiming that her husband had deserted her and had married another woman. He had not made another venture in the matrimonial sea and returned to bring a charge of bigamy against his former wife. The Grand Jury would not indict her and the complaint fell by the wayside. The last act in this little matrimonial drama was played on Sunday, May 9th, when the husband also married again. His marriage was kept a secret for some time.

October 21, 1888, Kate Sprigg, of Howard street, and Theodore E. Stites, of Grove street, appeared before Justice Nash and were married.

On October 4, four years later, Mrs. Stites, who claimed that her husband had deserted her and refused to support her and had heard that he was then living with another woman and two children in Pennsylvania, was married to Rufus Benson, with whom she has lived happily ever since. When Stites heard of her marriage, he returned and made a complaint against her in the charge of bigamy. She was held for the Grand Jury of Somerset county and appeared before the jury at Somerville. The jury refused to hold her on the charge and the matter was allowed to drop, although it is said that he tried to unsuccessfully raise money enough to bring suit against her.

Time flew by and he met Miss Clara Giddis, of Greenbrook road. He called often and sometimes took her driving. On Sunday, May 9th, he hired a buggy and took her for a drive. They had grown very intimate. The destination of the drive was Springfield, where they were quietly married.

None of the relatives of the bride knew of the marriage until some time afterward when the truth leaked out The bride's parents had objected to the union on account of Stites' former unfortunate experiences in that line and because they feared legal difficulties with Mrs. Stites No. 1. When they learned that the knot had already been tied, there was a little scene and then the bride and groom were forgiven and Mrs. Stites No. 2 was received by her parents.

A Press reporter called at the home of Mrs. Benson who admitted that she had been married twice, but thought that the act was all right as he had never supported her, but that she had been called upon to support him.

The reporter also called at Mr. Stites' home and learned there from his present wife that the second ceremony was a fact. She had little to say about the matter.

ITALIANS IN JAIL.

They Recovered From Their Injuries and Were Taken to Jail.

The two Italians, who were recently engaged in a brutal fight at the Netherwood shanty and who have been confined to the hospital since that time, were released this morning, and Chief Grant placed the men under arrest. They were taken to Elizabeth and are now confined in the county jail.

It will be remembered that on the Sunday in question the two men were playing cards at their home in Netherwood and they disputed a certain play that was made. Words were turned to blows and they engaged in a fight with knives and an axe, with the result that both were nearly killed. Chief Grant made a complaint against the men charging them with atrocious assault. The men admit the crime, but when the court calls them to account it may be that they will be unwilling to say anything.

WEDDED FIVE YEARS.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mohring Celebrated the Anniversary Pleasantly.

Louis Mohring, of 78 Linden avenue, gave his wife a surprise party last evening in celebration of their fifth wedding anniversary. Mrs. Mohring's surprise was a complete one, as she received no intimation of what was going on until the guests, to the number of about thirty, appeared and took possession of the house. Games and sociability were indulged in until 11 o'clock, when a supper, prepared by Miss Nettie Dunn, was served. After the supper dancing was enjoyed until a late hour.

Howard T. Lewis, brother of Nathan E. Lewis, of West Eighth street, graduates from the High School at Ashaway, R. I., tomorrow evening.

IN AID OF THE MISSIONS.

CLOSING MEETING OF SOCIETY OF PARK AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH.

A Programme of Music and Readings Was Given at the Meeting—Reports Were Also Read—The Participants in the Event.

Yesterday afternoon the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church held its final meeting for the season. It was a special meeting, with a very enjoyable programme, and was held in the lecture room of the church, which was prettily decorated with flowers.

Mrs. Frederick K. Fish, president of the society, presided, while Miss Emma Virginia Fish, the secretary, acted as organist. The meeting opened with devotional services. Miss M. G. Morse, of the Congregational Woman's Association, then sang with autoharp accompaniment, "Here Am I. Send Me," after which the secretary's report was read by Miss Fish, and the treasurer's report by Mrs. Freeman. Miss Fish also gave a very entertaining reading, "The Deacon's Tenth," telling how the old man began, grudgingly at first, to lay aside a tenth of his income for "The Lord's Money," and how the giving came to be a joy to him, and of the good that came from it. After a very practical little paper, "How Much Owest Thou?" read by Mrs. Rand, Miss Lillian Richardson gave a piano solo, an "Etude," very acceptably. Another reading, "Mrs. Thurston's Repentance," by Miss Fannie May Fish, told of a woman who, having given a filled half-dollar at one missionary meeting, gave at the next a gold piece of just the same size. "The Pasture with a Rock in It," was the title of a touching little reading given by Mrs. Compton, which was followed by another bright piano solo, "Fresh Life," by Miss Lillian Richardson. Miss Elizabeth Fish, one of Miss Addie Parker Jackson's pupils, then recited an exquisite poem, "Coming;" another song, "Consecration," by Miss Morse, followed, and a few words from the president, the collection, and a hymn, "Blest be the Tie," closed the meeting. A social hour followed, and dainty refreshments were served.

CHATTED AND FEASTED.

ANNUAL STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL OF HOLY CROSS CHURCH LAST NIGHT.

There Was a Large Attendance and the Time Passed Quickly—Who the Workers Were and What They Did.

The annual strawberry festival under the auspices of the Sunday school of the Church of the Holy Cross was held last evening in the parish house. The rooms were prettily decorated in the prevailing color of yellow, and the effect was very pretty. The affair was in charge of Miss Anna Murphy, who acted as general supervisor, and she was ably assisted by the young women of the church and Sunday-school. Of course, Superintendent B. R. Western was present and he made it a point to see that everybody enjoyed themselves.

At the candy table were Miss Fountain, Miss Western, Miss Emma Hall, Miss Emmons and Miss Beatrice Hall The cake table was in charge of Mrs. Murphy, Mrs. Barker, Mrs. Turrill and Mrs. Western, while Miss Ida Fountain attended to the lemonade well. The waitresses were Miss Helen Brown, Miss Carrie Dentz, Miss Carrie Philpitt and Miss Mary Jessup.

The rector, Rev. T. Logan Murphy was present and he made a most excellent member of the reception and entertainment committee, for he met everyone that entered the rooms and personally looked after their welfare. He was ably assisted by Horsely Barker, whose genial manner was proverbial. The festival was held from 3 o'clock in the afternoon until 10 o'clock in the evening. In the afternoon the attendance of children was unusually large, and in the evening there was a large and encouraging attendance. The receipts will be used for the Sunday-school, and there is every reason to believe that they will be large.

New Telephones.

The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company have put in three new telephones within the last few days. One 'phone was put in the office of the Board of Health on Park avenue, another in the law offices of Assemblyman W. R. Codington, and the other in the furniture store of Powlison & Jones.

Commencement Music.

The music for the Plainfield High School commencement in Music Hall, tomorrow evening, will be furnished by Walter Rogers, of New York Rogers is the successor to Cappa, the famous leader, and is now solo cornetist in Sousa's Band. The latter position was only taken by him a short time ago.

SUMMER ENDEAVORERS.

DR. BRETT TOLD SOMETHING OF WHAT THEY SHOULD BE.

A Vacation Should Not be Taken From Church, the Bible and God—Local Union Rally Held Last Evening.

The cosy little Congregational church held an earnest and interested company of Christian Endeavorers last night, assembled in one of the helpful union meetings held periodically by the Plainfield Local Union. The evening was perfect for such a gathering, and the stirring Endeavor hymns with which the meeting began rang out with much spirit on the evening air. The song service was to have been led by Horace J. Martin, but he was obliged to be absent on account of illness, and the singing was led by Rev. C. E. Herring. Walter Raynolds acted as pianist.

E. E. Anthony, president of the union, presided over the meeting. Rev. Charles Lyman Goodrich, pastor of the church where the meeting was held, read the Scripture lesson and offered prayer; then, after another rousing hymn, Mr. Anthony introduced the speaker of the evening, the vice president of the New Jersey State Union, Rev. Cornelius Brett, D. D. In introducing Dr. Brett, Mr. Anthony said, that two years ago he would have said he was from Jersey City, but since the Plainfield Convention Plainfield had adopted the doctor as her own.

Dr. Brett's subject was "The Christian Endeavorer on His Summer Vacation," and his address was a thoroughly delightful one. It was brief, practical, and to the point. He began by speaking of the word "vacation," which he said he didn't like, since it meant vacating, the formation of a vacuum, which nature abhorred. "Outing" was a better term, for the Christian Endeavorer wanted to "vacate" from none of his powers and abilities to enjoy his summer holiday. "Holiday," too, was a term to be approved, especially when spelled "holy-day;" for the summer days should be holy days, lifting one nearer to God, the creator of all the beauty of the beautiful world.

Dr. Brett urged his hearers to thoroughly enjoy themselves while they were taking their vacation; to lay aside care and worry, and rest and recreate. But they must take God with them; they must not say when taking the train for mountains or seashore, "Goodbye, church; I shan't attend you while I am gone; nobody will know whether I do or not. Goodbye, Bible, I shan't have time to read you, there. Goodbye, God, I shan't need you where I am going." At a summer hotel, can you always tell that it is Sunday? A few go to church, the rest hang around and wish dinner was ready. One way to show your Christian endeavor, said the speaker, is to keep your face bright and serene, your voice gentle and pleasant, and never allow yourself to indulge in a "profane silence" when things are worrisome and your nerves are on edge. And do you ever think what an amount of good you can do during these vacation days, in the little church or Sunday-school or Endeavor society near which your lot is to be cast? Be such Christian Endeavorers that you shall bring new honor to your home union, and that when you return, Plainfield will be glad to see you, as she is glad, in a certain sense, to have you go away for a season, to carrry blessing to others.

A few sentence prayers followed the address, then the offering was received, after which L. J. Bigelow, Jr., sang, "Throw Out the Life-Line," the congregation joining in the stirring chorus. William N. Runyon, who was also to sing at this service, was prevented from doing so.

Rev. C. E. Herring, always a popular speaker with a Plainfield audience, now took charge of the meeting for ten minutes, and conducted a very interesting open parliament, on the same subject as Dr. Brett's address. A number of bright, helpful suggestions were given, for work to be done during the summer holidays, and Mr. Herring's own words were full of practical lessons on the same topic.

A closing hymn was sung, after which Rev. C. L. Goodrich pronounced the benediction, and the Endeavorers streamed out of the church, after an unusually enjoyable meeting.

Off for the Adirondacks.

P. Ludwig Conde, the well known musician of this city, will leave on Wednesday of next week for the Hotel Childwold, in the Adirondacks, where he will furnish and conduct the orchestra during the summer. Clarence Lester Eick will be his pianist and Carl Lohnhoff, of the New York Philharmonic Society, will be the 'cellist.

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A ROYAL PROCESSION

England's Great Demonstration In Honor of Queen Victoria.

THE IMPRESSIONS OF DR. DEPEW.

The Eminent New Yorker Writes a Review of the Splendid Pageant—Most Magnificent Spectacle of Modern Times — Its Significance.

London, June 23.—Dr. Chauncey M. Depew, who witnessed the queen's jubilee procession as the guest of the Baroness Burdett-Coutts, gives his impressions of the great spectacle as follows:

"The diamond jubilee procession has passed and has left a lasting impression. Its preparation required 60 years, and it was over in 60 minutes. Pride, power and adoration were its characteristics. Pride in the imperial position of Great Britain in the world, an exhibition of power which inspires this national exaltation and fervid loyalty in action, expression and thought for the queen.

"As to the pageant, it was dramatic and historic. The lord mayor, in his robes of office, meeting the sovereign at the city gates recalled the early suggestions of liberty, in the privileges won from kings by free cities, and the sheriff, in mediæval costume, escorting the monarch within his bailiwick, gave a glimpse of the origin and recognition of civil rights by the throne.

"The monarch, escorted by princes and guarded by the military forces of the realm, both regulars and volunteers, national and colonial, evidenced the strength and permanency of the monarchical system with this people.

"We Americans glory in our country and in its marvelous developments in a hundred years and duly assert ourselves on the Fourth of July. The celebration by the Germans of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the battle of Sedan and the founding of the German empire, which I saw, was a wonderful exhibition of race and national feeling.

"But the concentrated and irrepressible joy and cry which preceded, accompanied and followed the queen like a resistless torrent, surpassed anything ever witnessed before. Though many races and many tongues participated, the dominant and absorbing expression was English, and the glory was England's. Peers and commoners, masters and workmen, millionaires and the multitude were welded by a tremendous force. This concentration of loyalty from the remotest corners of the earth into one wild, frantic mass of patriotic enthusiasm had an effect upon observers which can be likened to nothing so much as to the north and south electrified by the first gun fired at Fort Sumter or by the Seventh regiment marching down Broadway to the defense of the capital.

The Enthusiasm and Applause.

"The enthusiasm and shouting were far different from those evoked by the triumphal procession of a Roman conqueror. Men and women eagerly expressed to each other and emphasized to foreigners as the colonials marched by that they were not captives chained to the chariot of their conqueror, but 'willing subjects, free citizens of our worldwide empire, following their sovereign.'

"White, yellow and black soldiers trooped by, each accelerating and increasing the tidal wave of enthusiasm and presenting a panorama of power unequaled in history. The seeds of this power were in the American Revolution, and it expanded into this wonderful spectacle by the principles of self government so triumphantly indicated by the founders of the United States. The sovereign and the British statesmen who believed the colonies should be governed from London and taxed for the benefit of the mother country lost for England the American colonies, and the sovereign and statesmen, taught by our success, who have left to each settlement absolute independence and home rule, have builded upon these foundations and have vastly strengthened by this reunion the British federation of empire.

"Among the American spectators there was no jealousy nor stint of praise and applause. We could both glory in the vitality and virility of the mother country and rejoice mightily. We were not marching in the procession, but we were present as the proud equals in all that constitutes a free people and a great nation.

"It was pleasing to note our neighbors of Canada. They easily took the lead among the colonials, and the fact that the province of Quebec was in rebellion when Victoria came to the throne and that her premier, now here, is a Frenchman and a Catholic appealed to English imagination. That the descendants of Montcalm and his countrymen should vie with the children of Wolfe and his soldiers in their loyalty and that Canada has made a beginning by favoring Great Britain as against other nations in her tariff have touched both the British heart and pocket.

A Popular Ovation to the Queen.

"I can conjure no tribute like the popular ovation given to the queen ever being given to any human being, except the reception to Washington by the people on his way from Mount Vernon to New York to assume the position of first president of the United States. Respect, reverence, love or gratitude are words too tame, and there is no intermediate expression between them and adoration. This practical age does not worship; but, leaving out the idea of divinity, this greeting to the queen and empress is its equivalent. That she was deeply moved is evident; but she seemed more absorbed by the insignificance of the event than conscious of her past. Therein she impressed me as proud and happy with this grand tribute of her, but at the same time sharing with them the universal joy in the thought of both oppressed and elevated that there has not been such a 60 years in recorded time, that all nations have enjoyed its benefits and blessings and none more than our own. But for this time and place the crowd only saw what Great Britain has gained during her reign and accorded praise therefor to her. Her reign has been a period of emancipation in English history. The prerogatives of the throne have diminished, and by her rule and conduct its power has so increased that this welcome came with such acclaim and unanimity from the free people, governing themselves, who gave it its might and majesty.

"Making due allowance for the exaltation of the hour, Victoria will occupy a great place in the history of the nineteenth century. Her influence for peace has been of momentous consequence to Great Britain, Europe and civilization.

"She has always been cordial in her friendships and anxious for the loftiest relationship with the United States. Her messages, sweet, tender and womanly, to the widow of Lincoln and the life of dying Garfield gave her a warm welcome and a permanent memory in our American homes. In estimating her influence we must picture what might have occurred with a warlike or corrupt sovereign and recognize her power of accumulating a force of 60 years of wisdom as a ruler and as the best example as woman, wife and mother."

Antijubilee Sentiment In Dublin.

Dublin, June 23.—About the time that the jubilee procession started in London a black flag was hoisted on the flagstaff of the municipal building here. It was allowed to float at half mast for half an hour and then lowered and borne through the streets at the head of a procession armed with sticks and singing, "God save Ireland."

The crowd also removed and burned all the union jacks they could get access to and then started in the direction of Trinity college, but the police drove them back amid great excitement.

At the head of the procession walked six men bearing a coffin labeled "The British Empire," while the band that followed played the "Dead March."

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At Baltimore—
Baltimore ..... 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 1 1—4
New York ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1—2
Baltimore—Hits, 8; errors, 2. New York—Hits, 6; errors, 3.

At Brooklyn—
Brooklyn ..... 1 1 0 0 0 1 3 1 *—7
Boston ..... 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 2—4
Brooklyn—Hits, 7; errors, 3. Boston—Hits, 6; errors, 0.

At Washington—
Washington. 4 1 0 5 0 0 0 0 1 1—12
Philadelphia. 4 0 0 0 0 0 2 2 3 0—11
Washington—Hits, 15; errors, 2. Philadelphia—Hits, 20; errors, 4.

At Pittsburg—
Pittsburg ..... 2 2 0 2 0 0 1 0 *—7
Chicago ..... 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—3
Pittsburg—Hits, 10; errors, 2. Chicago—Hits, 10; errors, 5.

At Cleveland—
Cleveland ..... 4 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0—6
Louisville ..... 1 2 3 3 1 0 2 2 0—14
Cleveland—Hits, 12; errors, 3. Louisville—Hits, 18; errors, 0.

At Cincinnati—
Cincinnati ..... 0 2 1 0 0 1 0 3 *—7
St. Louis ..... 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 0—3
Cincinnati—Hits, 11; errors, 3. St. Louis—Hits, 5; errors, 1.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	34	12	.761
Boston	35	13	.729
Cincinnati	29	17	.630
New York	27	18	.600
Brooklyn	24	23	.511
Philadelphia	24	26	.480
Pittsburg	22	24	.478
Cleveland	22	25	.468
Washington	19	26	.422
Louisville	19	28	.404
Chicago	18	30	.375
St. Louis	10	40	.200

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS

The Suburban handicap at Sheepshead Bay was won by Ben Brush. The Winner second and Havoc third. Time, 2:07 1-5.

The jury in the case of J. S. Bartley, the ex-treasurer at Omaha charged with embezzlement, has returned a verdict of guilty.

The expectation of a new tariff law in early operation has resulted in the rushing of cargoes of oriental goods to San Francisco.

Giuseppe Constantino was electrocuted at Auburn (N. Y.) prison for the murder of Pietro Galliotti. Five shocks were necessary to produce death.

Judge Bradley at Washington ordered the jury to return a verdict of acquittal in the case of John Macartney, the last of the recalcitrant witnesses in the senate sugar investigation.

The steamboat Albertina, which plies between Red Bank, N. J., and New York, struck a rock while passing Rocky point and began to leak badly and finally sank in four feet of water after reaching her dock at Highlands, N. J. No one was injured.

Mlle. Guilbert Married.

Paris, June 23.—Yesterday afternoon the ceremony of civil marriage between Mlle. Yvette Guilbert, the celebrated cafe chantant artiste, and Dr. Max Schiller of New York, was performed at the office of the mayor. There was no religious ceremony.

Contractor Killed by a Train.

Halifax, June 23.—George W. Bradshaw, contractor, was killed at Wentworth by being run over by a freight train. The deceased was a well known man of Windsor.

Weather Predictions.

Generally fair; slightly warmer; southerly winds.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western, quiet, but firm; city mills patents, $4.60@4.85; winter patents, $4.40@4.75; city mills clears, $4.60@4.75; winter straights, $4@4.10.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened dull and rather bearish at last night's prices, due to the favorable crop news and lack of speculation, but later rallied and advanced on reports of damage by heavy rain in the southwest; July, 73⅝@74¾c.; September, 69¾@70½c.

RYE—Steady; No. 2 western, 36½c. c. i. f., Buffalo.

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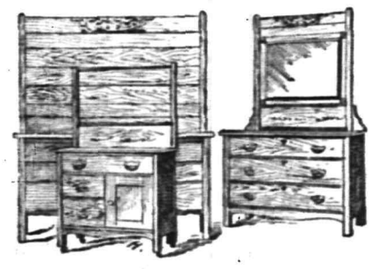

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ASSIGNEE'S SETTLEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the accounts of the subscriber, Assignee of John V. Berkaw, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the twenty-eighth day of July next.
J. AUGUSTUS SMITH.
Dated May 25th, 1897. 5 26 10 oaw w

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The High School of this city assembles at 9 o'clock for the rest of the week instead of at 8.20 o'clock.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by L. W. Randolph.

Miss Valentine Chandor, of East Fifth street, has been acting as substitute teacher in the place of Miss Scott at the Irving School for a few days.

There is Nothing so Good.

There is nothing just as good as Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, so demand it and do not permit the dealer to sell you some substitute. He will not claim there is anything better, but in order to make more profit he may claim something else to be just as good. You want Dr. King's New Discovery because you know it to be safe and reliable, and guaranteed to do good or money refunded. For Coughs Colds, Consumption and for all affections of Throat, Chest and Lungs, there is nothing so good as is Dr. King's New Discovery. Trial bottle free at L. W. Randolph's Drug Store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00.

Miss Alys Chandor, of East Fifth street, sails on the steamship "Gascoyne," Saturday, to spend the summer in Europe.

Did You Ever

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Matthew Addison, of Brooklyn, is visiting at the home of Clark Mundy, of Somerset street.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are to-day its warmest friends. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Bert Bodine, of Grandview avenue, visited friends in Pennsylvania, Sunday.

"There's no use in talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, La Cygne, Kas., "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy does the work. After taking medicines of my own preparation and those of others, I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Nathan E. Lewis, of West Eighth street, is back from Ashaway, R. I., to attend the High School commencement exercises in this city.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman fo the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss Alice Bartindale, of Brooklyn, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Stone, of Kensington avenue.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without fleur as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

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STRUCK BY A TRAIN.

Two People Fatally and a Number Badly Injured In Connecticut.

Wallingford, Conn., June 23.—A hay wagon containing two men and five children was struck at the Ward street crossing of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad by south bound freight train No. 272, which resulted in fatal injuries to John Hoffman and his 8-year-old daughter Annie. The other occupants of the wagon were: Frank Russell, aged 35, cut about the head; Frank Novack, aged 8, contusion on the head; Henry Novack, aged 6, thigh fractured, and Edward Novack, aged 4, scalp wounds.

The train was in charge of Conductor James Daly and Engineer J. F. Burke and was going at the rate of about 15 miles an hour. The team was owned by Frank Russell, who was driving, and he maintains that he heard no warning. He was just on the tracks when the train bore down on them. The hind wheel of the wagon was struck, causing an upset, and Mr. Russell was thrown about 20 feet in the air. Hoffman was carried along on the pilot of the engine about 500 feet, while the other occupants of the wagon were thrown along the side of the track.

YELLOW FEVER SUSPECTS.

All Doing Well, but Will Be Held For a Time.

New York, June 23.—The saloon and second cabin passengers of the Colombian line steamer Finance, who were removed for observation to Hoffman island, are all well. They are visited several times daily by the health officer and his deputies. The baggage and effects of these passengers have been thoroughly disinfected. These passengers will not be released until five days have elapsed from the day they were last exposed on shipboard.

The passengers on Hoffman island are very cheerful; but, although quite comfortable and well fed, are looking anxiously for their discharge from quarantine, which will not be before Saturday, the 26th. The three yellow fever patients removed from the Finance to the Swinburne Island hospital are receiving the best of care and attention from Health Officer Doty. They are all progressing favorably.

TO BE EXTRADITED.

Alleged Dishonest Treasurer to Be Taken Back For Trial.

Philadelphia, June 23.—Judge Butler in the United States district court heard the application of Assistant United States District Attorney McCullen for the removal of Herbert J. Krenrich to Buffalo. Krenrich was arrested and indicted in York, Pa., for aiding and abetting in the abstraction and misapplication of $38,000 of the funds of the Stanwix National bank of Rome, N. Y.

Krenrich was former treasurer of the York Canning company and also of the Baltimore Condensed Milk company. The alleged principal in the crime was George W. Barnard, cashier of the bank, who committed suicide in January, 1896.

Judge Butler signed the warrant for removal, and Krenrich will be taken to Buffalo on Friday.

American Girl's Body Found In the Seine.

Paris, June 23.—The body of Miss Weil of Philadelphia, an art student in this city, was recently found in the river Seine. A friend to whom she had frequently spoken to of suicide informed the police directly her disappearance was noted; but, although the body of the young woman was found two days later, the remains were kept at the morgue for six days. The father of Miss Weil has requested the United States consular authorities of this city to have the remains interred in the Hebrew cemetery of Paris.

Holiday Statute Repealed.

Denver, June 23.—For the ensuing two years Colorado will be distinguished as the only state in the Union where the Fourth of July, Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Year, Washington's birthday and Memorial day are not legal holidays. The discovery has just been made that an act of the late legislature in regard to the negotiable instruments repealed the statute establishing the above named holidays. The only legal holidays left in Colorado are Arbor day, Labor day and the Saturday half holiday.

Two New Gunboats.

Portsmouth, N. H., June 23.—The gunboats Newport and Vicksburg, recently constructed at the Bath Iron works, have arrived at the Portsmouth navy yard in tow of two tugboats. They will be fitted out here, and Commander Vory, U. S. N., and Boatman Hudson of the Charleston yard, will assist in the work. It is the intention to have both vessels in commission by September 10. The Newport will be tranformed into a training ship while here.

Bicycle Property Attached.

Middletown, Conn., June 23.—Sheriff Brown has placed attachments on four brick buildings occupied by the Worcester Cycle company in a suit brought by Robert M. Murray of New York city, in which the latter claims $35,000 damages because of the alleged failure of the defendants to pay an alleged loan of $25,000. The bicycle company's plant, which is under various attachments, is still in the hands of keepers.

Crazed by a Light.

Hudson, N. Y., June 23.—Mary Mesarosh, a Hungarian girl, 17 years old, has been made a raving maniac by the searchlight of a steamer. The powerful rays were thrown into her room and frightened her so that she became insane. She has been adjudged a lunatic and was sent from here to the Hudson River State hospital at Poughkeepsie for treatment.

THE OHIO CONVENTION

Republicans of the Buckeye State Meet at Toledo.

FIGHT OVER PARTY ORGANIZATION.

The Indorsement of Mark Hanna For United States Senator Agreed Upon by the Managers In Conference—Bushnell Will Be Renominated.

Toledo, June 23.—The Ohio state Republican convention is in session here. There is no opposition to the indorsement of Senator M. A. Hanna for both the long and the short term as senator, and there is no opposition to the renomination of Governor Bushnell and other state officers who have had only one term. The contest has been on the state campaign committee chairmanship. Senator Hanna wanted Major Charles F. W. Dick, secretary of the national committee, for this place. Governor Bushnell and other state officers wanted Chairman Charles L. Kurtz, who has managed the past two campaigns, retained. Senator Foraker was not here, but it is known that he supported Governor Bushnell and Chairman Kurtz as strongly as possible by wire. It has been the custom for the head of the state ticket in Ohio to name the chairman of the executive committee, but Senator Hanna had the convention in hand, and he would not perfect the party organization according to precedent.

When Mr. Hanna arrived, he held a number of conferences with both factions, but at none of these could the contestants reach an amicable understanding. Senator Hanna proposed to have Major Dick withdraw, and the latter consented to retire from the race if Chairman Kurtz also would do so. The proposition was not accepted. Governor Bushnell insisted on his right by precedent to name the executive chairman, and Mr. Kurtz said, since the fight had been made on him, he could stand defeat, but he could not compromise.

Dick Controls District Delegations.

The contending factions carried their claims into the meetings of the delegates by congressional districts, and Mr. Hanna won by more than 2 to 1. He controlled the district meetings and the convention more firmly than the St. Louis convention last year. Major Dick claims the committeemen from 15 of the 21 congressional districts, with two districts contested and four districts conceded to Kurtz. The Kurtz men concede their defeat, but claim 8 out of the 21 committeemen. Senator Hanna and Governor Bushnell had conferences again last night. While the governor regrets the defeat of Chairman Kurtz, he will not decline renomination. Meantime the state central committee will not select the campaign chairman and the members of the state executive committee now, but the central committee will meet at an early date in Columbus for this purpose. It is expected that Senator Hanna and Governor Bushnell will get together soon for cooperation in the campaign. It is understood that Major Dick will be made chairman of the executive committee and that Governor Bushnell and other state candidates will name the other members of the state executive committee. It is announced that Major Dick will appoint John R. Mallor, a strong Hanna man, as secretary of the state executive committee.

The Republican state convention was called to order in the elaborately decorated Armory shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. All the 5,200 seats were occupied, and standing room was in demand. As Congressman Grosvenor, ex-Secretary Charles Foster, Governor Bushnell, Senator Hanna and the other leaders entered the hall they were given ovations.

Hon. H. P. Crouse, chairman of the state central committee, before announcing the temporary officers of the convention, reviewed the Republican triumphs in Ohio since 1893, and then introduced General C. H. Grosvenor as the temporary chairman of the convention, who delivered an address.

Warrants For an Alleged Embezzler.

Melrose, Mass., June 23.—Two warrants have been secured against Charles S. Newhall of Melrose Highlands, alleging the embezzlement of a sum, the exact amount of which is unknown, from the Agricultural Insurance company of Boston, of which he was bookkeeper, and the other by the Melrose authorities, charging embezzlement from the Melrose Congregational church. Newhall was treasurer of the church and also of the Melrose Co-operative bank. He has been missing for about a week.

Newark Thief Arrested.

Kingston, N. Y., June 23.—Harry Walker, who is under indictment for grand larceny by the grand jury of Essex county, N. J., has been arrested here by detectives of the Newark central office at a private house, where he was staying with his wife. He pleaded guilty before Recorder Murray and was sent to jail here pending extradition papers. Walker is charged, together with another, of having stolen watches and jewelry valued at $14,620 from a Newark jeweler.

The Esoteric Fold.

Onset Bay, Mass., June 23.—The Onset Bay theosophists are now in high glee over their alleged complete possession of the esoteric fold, which was recently contested by the leaders of the Theosophical society in New York, Boston, Washington and Pittsburg, and claims to which were only relinquished when Henry B. Foulke revealed a communication from the mahatmas a month ago.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight and Thursday; Warmer. At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 84 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

June 24--Commencement exercises of Plainfield High School at Music Hall. Reception at Casino.

June 24--Commencement exercises of North Plainfield High School at Y. M. C. A. Hall.

Subscribers to The Daily Press who are leaving town for summer vacations can have the paper sent to their temporary address without extra expense by simply notifying the business office

FLOWERS AT COMMENCEMENT.

The Elizabeth Journal prints a strong editorial against the public giving of flowers at commencements and advances some powerful arguments in favor of doing away with them. The editorial in part is as follows:

The Newark High School had its commencement exercises last week, and the superintendent requested that flowers and dress suits be omitted. The request was carried out. At the Pingry School graduating exercises last Friday night no flowers were handed to the young orators, as Headmaster Corbin had ruled against them. At the Battin High School commencement exercises flowers and dress suits will be noticeably absent, Superintendent Shearer having decided against them. In all these instances the scholarly men who have authoritatively objected to flowers and other displays have not opposed a common custom because flowers are not beautiful and graduates are not worthy of them, but because commencement favors do not always go to those most deserving of them.

The schools referred to are among the best in this State, and they have forbidden the gifts of flowers simply because the practice is overdone, and because some of the very best scholars are left without a token, while those whose parents and friends are in easier circumstances are loaded with them.

HIGH SCHOOL CHANGES.

Every year brings changes and improvements in the Plainfield public schools. This year, Superintendent Maxson has made a marked improvement by the introduction of a commercial course in the High School, which will allow the Plainfield young men and women to secure a proper business course in their own city as well as prepare them to enter colleges. A letter from Mr. Maxson, explaining the details of the course, is published today. He is to be complimented on the introduction of such a necessity in these times which will allow the Plainfield High School to continue in its leading position among the schools of the State.

WIRES TO GO UNDER GROUND.

It can be stated authoritatively that not many weeks will pass by before the ordinance will appear in the Common Council allowing the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company to put their wires, together with the fire alarm wires, in conduits under our streets. Several months ago the company offered to do so, but the Council took no action. Then the company had plenty of men who were not employed elsewhere. Now the company is laying conduits in several of the Jersey towns and they are not in such a hurry to go to work in Plainfield.

STREET SPRINKLING.

Ever since the passage of the street sprinkling ordinance, of which Councilman Harold Serrell was the father, there has been a marked improvement in the manner in which the streets have been sprinkled. They have not been flooded with the customary regularity of last year, although they are still muddier at times than would seem necessary. Altogether, however, the ordinance has been a success and has succeeded in its object.

A NEW DRESS.

The New Brunswick Fredonian appeared in a brand new dress beginning with last Monday's issue. The paper looks well and shows careful management. As a Plainfield girl looks in a charming summer gown, so looks the Fredonian in its new dress.

Rahway women have followed the example of their sisters in Plainfield and organized a Town Improvement Association. If the Rahway women are as energetic as those of Plainfield, that town will be hardly recognizable in a few months.

The Elizabeth police are becoming quite active. A squad of policemen of that city have been mounted on horses and wheels and hereafter will patrol the important thoroughfares on Sunday to prevent the fast driving and riding.

—Ten members of Jerusalem Lodge, No. 24, F. and A. M., journeyed to Somerville last evening where they were the gusts of Keystone Lodge, No. 25, F. and A. M. They report having had a very good time.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Isaac P. Runyon is spending a few days at Mt. Horeb.

Letter-Carrier Daniel Shea is enjoying his annual vacation.

Letter-Carrier Glaentzer has returned from his annual outing.

Miss Burnett, of Madison, is the guest of friends in the borough.

Miss Ida Randolph, of Brooklyn, is visiting North Plainfield friends.

Master George Voehl will spend his summer vacation at Finderne.

James Kane, of West Third street, is visiting friends in Westport, N. Y.

Mrs. F. O. Herring, of Park avenue, is spending a few weeks out of town.

Rev. Dr. J. P. Taylor, of Park avenue, is in Philadelphia today visiting friends.

Charles L. Case and family, of Central avenue, have gone to Newport for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Baxter, of Putnam avenue, are spending a few days at Belmar.

Miss Virginia Flory, of Bangor, Pa., is visiting at the home of Joseph Martin, of Park place.

Miss Bessie Day, of East Orange, is the guest of the Misses Martine, of Watchung avenue.

J. E. Townsend, of Craig place, returned home this morning from a business trip to Boston.

Edward Waring, of Willow avenue, has returned from Lehigh University for his summer vacation.

John Dorgan, of Plainfield avenue, has accepted a position in J Sullivan's place on West Third street.

S. R. Struthers, of College place, is assisting in the bookkeeping at French's mill for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilford Mayer, of Park avenue, left the city last evening to spend the summer out of town.

G. S. Van Arsdale, of Peapack, spent yesterday with his brother, M. C Van Arsdale, of Somerset street.

Mrs. Dominick Fitzpatrick, of Elizabeth, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Goff, of West Third street.

Miss Mary Berryman, of New York, is spending the summer with Mrs. Israel Jones, of Washington avenue.

Misses Mary and Jessie Bushnell, daughter of Frank Bushnell, of Madison avenue, have gone to Point Pleasant to spend a few weeks.

Wilbur F. Cornwell, of New York, came to Plainfield this afternoon and will be the guest of Charles B. Morse, of Franklin place, for over commencement.

The engagement is announced of Miss Gertrude Baker, daughter of Councilman J. T. Baker, of Stelle avenue, and Howard W. Beebe, of Madison avenue.

The condition of Nathan J. Laing, reporter, who has been so ill for a month past, is still very critical and his relatives and friends fear that the end is near.

Mrs. Seegar and Miss Sibole, her niece, of Philadelphia, returned home yesterday, after a pleasant visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Clark, of West Seventh street.

J. J. Kenney and his children, J. J. Kenney, Jr., and Miss Marguerite Kenney, of East Second street, are spending today at White House, the birthplace of Mr. Kenney.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Kulp and daughter, Miss Francis Kulp, of Monticello, N. Y., are visiting Mrs. Kulp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Voehl, of Somerset street.

John Gallagher, the Misses Gallagher, from Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Emmans Casey and Miss Casey are guests at the home of Patrick Casey, on West Third street.

Miss Maude M. Mitchell and Miss Minnie Mitchell, who have been holding positions in the Asbury Park public schools, are now spending their vacation at the home of their parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Mitchell, of Orchard place.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

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—The wonderful Vire Camera three time pneumatic shutter at Doane's, $5.

—Warren Engine No. 1 was taken to Brook avenue last evening for a wash. Everything was found to be in the best condition.

—You will want new shoes or slippers for the High School commencement exercises. Van Arsdale can fit you out at correct prices.

—Customers are requested to send all orders for breakfast to Rogers' market the night before, as the wagon leaves for deliveries at 5 a. m.

—The regular meeting of the Redeemer Chapter of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, will be held at 143 Grove street this evening at 8 o'clock.

—The members of Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. and A. M., held a regular communication last evening and worked the third degree on one candidate.

—The commencement of the North Plainfield High School will be held tomorrow evening in the Y. M. C. A. building. Admission will be by invitation only.

—Summons were issued today from Justice Mosher's court in the landlord and tenant case of Burke against Bowers. The summons is returnable Thursday, July 1st.

—The point of view is well taken when you stand in front of Peck's window display of fine hand-painted fans that are just suited to the coming commencement.

—There will be a meeting of the Christian and Missionary Alliance tomorrow evening at 7:45 o'clock in the rooms of the W. C. T. U., Watchung avenue. All are welcome.

—A gang of Street Commissioner Gavett's men were at work on the gutters on Park avenue, near Second street, yesterday, leveling them so that they will drain off the water properly.

—Did you ever think that those headaches which have caused you such intense suffering may be produced by eye strain. The eye specialist, H. A. Stiles, is at 107 East Front street every Thursday.

FEVER LESSENING.

The Number of Cases Growing Less as the Time Passes.

All sorts of sanguinary rumors floated about town this morning regarding the scarlet fever epidemic, but it was very easy to prove their falsity by a call at the office of the Board of Health. While the members of the Board are very anxious that the people shall not be alarmed by an exaggerated statement of the epidemic, they are always willing to give the facts to whoever wants to know.

There was an increase in the number of cases reported and the Board was rather surprised at the small number as they had not expected to have the disease leave so quickly. Two were reported yesterday. Up to noon today three cases were reported, but two of them were in a family where there are already two cases of scarlet fever and it was expected that the other members of the family, who were in quarantine, to catch it also, as they did.

Miss Alice A. Lee, teacher at the Irving school, was taken ill Monday and it was found that she had the scarlet fever. She was at her home on Crescent avenue at the time and is now under the care of her physician, Dr. Davis. None of her pupils have taken the disease and the part of the city west of Spooner avenue is free from scarlet fever as yet.

Dr. Murray, secretary of the Board of Health, called at The Press office, yesterday afternoon, and stated that the statement made by Nelson Giles to a Press reporter was incorrect in one particular. Dr. Hunt of the State Board went to Stelton, Dr. Murray said, and found that Randolph Giles, son of Nelson Giles, who was alleged to be ill with chills and fever, was ill with the scarlet fever.

Last Day of School.

Special exercises will be held in the Plainfield High School tomorrow morning. They will consist chiefly of singing, under the supervision of Charles L. Lewis. Superintnndent Maxson will make a few remarks suited to the occasion.

A Snake Charmer.

Mortimer Slater, of the borough, captured a large snake in Tier's pond yesterday afternoon. He will make a belt of the skin, which is a very pretty one.

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'TWAS CHILLY THERE.

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It Was Given by the Missionary Societies of the First M. E. Church on the Lawn of C. H. Rugg, of East Second Street.

Last night was not exactly the night, considering the weather, that one would select for a lawn party, but the ladies of the Foreign and Home Missionary Societies of the First M. E. church were not counting on such unseasonable weather when they planned a lawn party for last evening. It was held on the lawn of C. H. Rugg, corner of East Second and Washington streets, and proved quite successful after all, despite the chill in the air. The people found their way there, and protected by numerous wraps, enjoyed ice cream and other good things under the trees.

The lawn was delightfully gotten up for the occasion. Long strings of Japanese lanterns were hung from tree to tree while other lanterns were placed at intervals to illuminate the grounds. Tables were arranged under the trees and were surrounded by rugs to keep the feet of the visitors off the damp ground.

The party was under the charge of a committee, of which Mrs. M. L. Winter was the chairman. The other members were Mrs. C. H. Rugg, Mrs. J. H. McNaughton, Mrs. Noah W. Pike, Mrs. D. S. Dunavan, Mrs. G. M. Bittenhouse, Mrs. D. E. Davis, Mrs. I L. McVoy, Mrs. Templin, Miss Laura Mulford, Miss Jackson, and Miss Minnie Sharpe.

The cake table was under the charge of Mrs. N. W. Pike and Mrs. Whitney. The ice cream was dealt out under the supervision of Miss Jackson and Miss Sharpe. Miss Chandler and Mrs. D. S. Dunavan were in charge of the candy table. The glace table was presided over by Mrs. J. H. McNaughton. The decorating was done by a committee composed of Miss Eva Jenkins, Miss Elsie Horne, and Miss Madeline Day. The young women of the societies acted as waitresses.

While the attendance was not what it would have been had the weather been warm, quite a number visited the place during the evening and a neat little sum was realized from the affair.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mayor Brakeley was called to New York on business yesterday.

Isaac Stites is reported as being not much improved from his illness.

Charles Randolph, of Plainfield, was a welcome visitor in town yesterday.

Eden Boice, of Plainfield, spent yesterday with friends in the borough.

Miss Newman, of Plainfield, called on friends in the borough yesterday.

The schools in Piscataway township have all closed for the summer vacation.

John Probasco, of Pittstown, has returned after spending a few days at his home.

Mr. Chamberlain, of Madison avenue, Plainfield, spent yesterday with friends in the borough.

Harry Staats, of the borough, will leave town in a few days to spend two weeks in New York State.

Mrs. Cornelius Taylor, of the borough, has returned from an enjoyable visit with relatives in Paterson.

Miss Emily Coriell, of North Plainfield, has returned home after a short visit with friends in the borough.

Miss Maude Van Dyke, of Plainfield, has returned home after a pleasant visit with New Market friends.

Mrs. Morris and her granddaughter, Miss Doty, of the borough, are visiting relatives in Hackensack for a few days.

Evangelist Pierce, who has been conducting meetings in the borough, left yesterday for Bound Brook, where he will hold a series of meetings.

Adam Dealaman, the popular grocer, is anticipating a pleasant vacation this summer. He has not yet decided just where he will go.

A business meeting of the Building and Loan Association will be held tomorrow evening. The meeting last Monday evening was simply for the payment of dues.

Miss Van Middlesworth will probably open her kindergarten in the W. C. T. U. rooms in a short time. Already a number have signified their desire to join the school.

Mr. and Mrs. John Griggs, of the borough, have taken up their residence in Newark, where Mr. Griggs has a lucrative position. Their many friends in the borough will miss them greatly.

There is a rumor about the borough that Elston Lowrie is located in Philadelphia and is living under an assumed name, and that his friends will make a trip to the City of Brotherly Love in the hopes of finding him.

Lawn tennis is one of the most popular sports in Dunellen and the members of the local association are to be found almost every day playing on the courts. Some very good scores are made and many of the members are becoming experts in the game.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Mrs. Eb. Hart, of Westfield, was in town yesterday.

A backstop will soon be erected on the new baseball field.

The Royal Arcanum held an interesting meeting last evening.

Miss Marguerite Jimmerson, of Westfield, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frentz.

Miss Nancy Wade is home for the summer from Mahwah, where she has taught school for the past year.

Rev. J. S. Braker has gone to Williamsport, Pa., to attend the closing exercises of the Williamsport High School.

Rev. Mr. Kingsley, formerly pastor of the Scotch Plains M. E church, and Miss Bernhard were marrried at Hamburg, Pa., on the 17th inst.

The graduating exercises of the Scotch Plains school will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the First Baptist church. Prof. Conde's orchestra will furnish the music, and David P. Hall, of Plainfield, will deliver the address to the graduates. The class is the largest that has graduated from the school under the present curriculum. All its members have completed with honor the three years high school scientific course as outlined by the County Union. The graduates are Miss Florence Bettman, valedictorian; Samuel B. Macauley, class prophet; Miss Gwynette Marsh, Miss Josephine Marsh, Miss Florence Nicholl and Miss Doretta Cook. Dr. F. W. Westcott, president of the Board of School Trustees, will present the diplomas.

WESTFIELD

THE TIP OF THE SCALES.

WEIGHT OF EVIDENCE WAS ON BARTON'S SIDE AND HE WON.

Mrs. Cora O. Weidner Sued For a Bill Which Her Husband Had Claimed That He Was Entitled To.

The case of Cora O. Weidner against W. H. Barton, which has been pending in the courts for several weeks, was decided yesterday by a jury in Justice Hart's court in favor of the defendant. The case has attracted considerable attention. At its last trial the jury disagreed. The action was originally brought in Weidner's name to recover the amount of a bill for $25 for repairs made at the Westfield carriage factory upon Barton's carriages. When the action was brought Barton at once commenced a cross suit for $31 against Weidner. Each of these cases was thrown out of court because of a defect in the summons. Another suit was then brought against Barton in the name of Cora O. Weidner, the claim being made that she and not her husband was proprietor of the wagon factory. In this case the jury disagreed. In yesterday's trial the efforts of counsel were directed toward establishing or disproving the allegation of Mrs. Weidner's ownership. Paul Q. Oliver was counsel for the defence, and Chas. H. Angleman appeared for the plaintiff. The jury was made up as follows: Joseph Pouch, foreman; Fred Decker, Frank Ledley, Fred Heincke, Harry N. Taylor and George W. Peek, Jr. A large crowd of men and boys jostled each other in the court room to hear the evidence and the passages at arms of the lawyers. A stir was caused when Charles Courtney went upon the witness stand for the defense and swore that he would not believe Weidner under oath. The jury was out fifteen minutes and returned a verdict for the defendant. The case will probably be appealed.

Merril Todd, the young son of Fred Todd, is dangerously ill with peritonitis.

William Gale, Jr., of Elm street, will enter Lincoln High School next fall.

Miss Frances Lee, of Orchard street, has recovered from a slight attack of the measles.

Theodore N. Camp and family, of Kimball avenue, leave today to spend the summer at Patchogue, L. I.

Rev. Henry Ketcham found a sum of money in the street yesterday and is now trying to find the owner.

A women's prayer meeting will be held in the parlors of the Methodist church at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The Westfield Club baseball team will play a game with the Aetnas, of Brooklyn, on the North Broad street grounds, Saturday afternoon.

The Pierson block, on Elm street, in which the recent fire occurred, has been repaired and the former occupants are now taking possession.

Walter Lee, of Orchard street, is slowly recovering from an injured ankle, the result of a collision with a bicyclist last Saturday afternoon.

A party of three New Yorkers went to Branch Mills yesterday and looked over the Parkhurst Mills site with the idea of purchasing it for a stock net factory.

"God's Handiwork in Nature" is to be the subject of the prayer meeting in the Congregational church this evening. Mr. Evans will lead the meeting.

The strawberry and ice-cream festival of the Presbyterian Junior Christian Endeavor Society has been postponed until Friday, July 2d, on account of the illness of a number of the society's members.

A horse belonging to A. E. Decker, a liveryman, took fright and ran away on Broad street, yesterday afternoon. At the corner of Prospect street the wagon collided with an electric light pole and demolished a back wheel. The horse then ran back to Mr. Decker's stable.

George H. Brown, of Westfield avenue, a well-known resident of this place, was taken suddenly ill in New York on Monday. He was taken to a hotel where he remained under a physician's care until Dr. R. R. Sinclair, of this place, arrived and took charge of him. Mr. Brown was brought home to Westfield by Dr. Sinclair yesterday.

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It is as much a food as a medicine, but is food of an unusual kind. It is food in soluble and concentrated form all ready to slip into the blood and renovate the system without taxing digestion. Therefore, if your stomach is weak it does you good just the same.

We recommend Crown Brand Extract of Malt as one you can rely on. It is made by a thoroughly reliable house and we have it put up under our own name as an additional guarantee of its merit.

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GIGANTIC WATER SUPPLY.

The Midland Water Company Begin the Work of Laying Pipes.

The Midland Water Company, which will get its supply of water from the great ponds of South Plainfield, have begun the preliminary work of laying pipes from Metuchen towards Woodbridge, which place, with Sewaren, Carteret and Boynton Beach, they will supply, they having bought up the Middlesex Water Company, which was recently organized at Woodbridge. Thirty miles of pipes will be laid this summer, and an immense standpipe will be erected at Metuchen. It is said that this company will also supply Perth Amboy with water, as it is claimed that the water of that city is poor. The Midland Water Company now has practically full control of all the water rights of Union and Middlesex counties.

Bishop Scarborough Injured.

Word has been received in Plainfield from Bishop Scarborough, Bishop of this diocese of the Episcopal church, that he will be unable to make any of his official visitations until fall, owing to the fact that while alighting from a train at Trenton a day or so ago, on returning from Elizabeth, he slipped on the platform, fracturing the kneecap of his left leg. He will be compelled to wear a plaster cast for at least six weeks.

A Former Plainfielder.

Dr. Paul Ferrer, of Managua, Nicaraugua, was the guest of P. Ludwig Conde, of Watchung avenue, last week. Mr. Conde has just received a letter from Dr. Ferrer's son, Firman Ferrer, who formerly lived in this city and was a favorite pupil of Conde on the 'cello. Firman Ferrer is now in charge of a drug store in Managua, Nicaraugua, and is doing well.

Asbury Park In Line.

The bicycle ordinance in Asbury Park will be enforced from this time forward with strictness. War on the lampless wheelmen was begun yesterday, when five riders were stopped by the park police and forced by Justice Wyckoff to pay a fine. The custom of riding without lanterns will not be tolerated in Asbury Park, and especially on Bradley's brick walk.

Practice Economy in buying medicines as in other matters. It is economy to get Hood's Sarsaparilla because it contains more medicinal value than any other—100 doses one dollar.

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Cure all liver ills.

—Additional local news on the third page.

WHEN you have urgent business with someone in another town or city, remember that your telephone is adapted for Long Distance talking, and that there are hundreds of towns and cities connected by the Long Distance lines, and thousands of people in them having metallic circuit service, with whom you can talk as easily as with a subscriber of your own exchange.

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143 WEST FRONT STREET. TELEPHONE CALL 109.

Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to widen West ervelt Avenue from the Northwesterly side line of East Front street to a point 108.66 feet Southeast of Orange Place," a copy of which is subjoined to this notice, has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Common Council to adopt such ordinance at the special meeting of the Common Council to be held in the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, N. J., at eight o'clock p. m., on Thursday, the eighth day of July, A. D. eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, at which time and place prior to the adoption of said ordinance, said ordinance will be considered by the Common Council, and all persons interested may be heard before the Common Council.

By order of the Common Council.
James T. MacMurray, City Clerk.
Dated, June 21, 1897. 6 22-23-30

AN ORDINANCE

to Widen Westervelt Avenue from the Northwesterly side line of East Front Street to a point 108.66 feet Southeast of Orange Place.

WHEREAS, The Common Council has judged and hereby judges that the public good requires the widening of Westervelt Avenue between the points named in the title of this ordinance, therefore,

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That Westervelt Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, from the northwesterly side line of East Front Street to a point one hundred and eight and 66-100 feet southeast of Orange Place, be widened and laid out so that said Westervelt Avenue shall be of the uniform width of twenty-five feet on each side of the center line thereof, which said center line is described as follows: Beginning at a point in the northwesterly side line of East Front Street, said point being distant three hundred twenty-four and 56-100 feet in a southwesterly direction along said northwesterly side line of East Front Street, from the centre line of Sandford Avenue, as now laid out and opened; and running from said point in a magnetic course of north forty-four degrees and fifty-six minutes west, a distance of three hundred sixty and 3-100 feet to the northwesterly line of property owned by William C. Kelly.

The land to be taken for the widening of said Westervelt Avenue includes that portion of the property of Antoinette De Baud, Mrs. Sarah Bird and William C. Kelly, which lies between the present Southwesterly side line of said Avenue as now laid out and opened and a line parallel with the center line of said Avenue and distant therefrom tweny-five (25) feet in a Southwesterly direction.

The land to be taken and the lines of Westervelt avenue, as the same is hereinabove ordered to be widened, are shown on a map on file with the City Clerk entitled: "Assessment Map for the widening of Westervelt Avenue from East Front Street to a point 108.66 feet Southeast of Orange Place, March, 1897," to which reference is hereby made for greater certainty.

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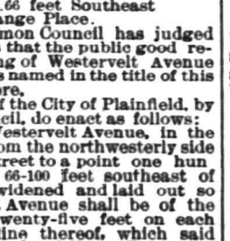

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REPORTS

are being circulated that I am handling Mr. Giles' milk at the dairy, 327 Watchung avenue. This is to notify all persons interested that I have had none of that milk since Friday, when I knew it was under suspicion. But a small amount has ever reached my patrons.

6 21 3 S. R. STRUTHERS.

Advertised Letters.

Plainfield June 21st, 1897.

Bazill Mr	Meister Miss Charlotte
Benson Frank	Nelson Henry
Burke Richard	Pierson J. C. Jr
Buckwell Mrs. C. H	Prinston John F
Dunne Miss Johanna	Stites Miss Matie
Godfry Eli J	Simpson Mrs. L. M
Grant C. P	Svensson Miss Anna
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McGlyem Miss Beatrix	Trentz Aug.
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and Embalmer,

Residence, Over Office — Office 43 Somerset St., Plainfield, N. J.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

WANTED—$3,000, at 5 per cent on property worth $10,000. Inquire Chas. L. Moffet, Attorney; Cor. Park & North Aves., City.

LOST—Will the party who took a new pair of low shoes in mistake for a pair of rubbers at the dance at the "Seminary" June 16, please return same and get rubbers?

FOR SALE—One Buckeye and one Deering Mower, very cheap; terms easy; engines, boilers, pumps, etc. Chas. A. Butler & Co., 365 Market street, Newark.

OFFICE to let in Schwed building, next First National Bank. Elston M. French, 24 Somerset St. 6 23 6

A man wanted with some knowledge of agriculture to solicit orders for fruit and ornamental nursery stock. Steady work; liberal terms. Address Chase's Sons & Co., Sta. A., Philadelphia, Pa. 6 14 12 e o d.

NICELY furnished rooms without board; at, 465 West Front St. 6 22 3

$125.00 cash buys stock and fixtures of paying business. Moffett & Mundy. 6 22 3

CHOICE rooms with excellent board; $6 and $7 per week. 417 East Fifth street. 6 17 6

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

Plainfield's Busiest Store.

We sell goods cheaper than any Plainfield store.

It is Well to Remember

That the production of merchandise far outstrips its consumption. This will go far towards explaining the apparent modesty of prices on many seasonable goods. Hardly a day passes but what we have shown to us some special things that the manufacturer is overstocked—he needs money and the goods are offered to us in many cases at less than the cost of production. It's a wise loss for the maker, a good purchase for us, and a big bargain benefit for you.

TAKE WASH GOODS

There never was a season known when the wholesale market has been so glutted with thin, cool, dainty summer fabrics. The result is a price break.

Yard-wide Percales..... 5c
Fine Dimities..... 6c
Fine dress Ginghams..... 6c
French Jackonets..... 10c
Pretty Challies..... 10c
Lace stripe Gingham..... 12c
Fine Organdies..... 12c
Mixed Bicycle Suiting..... 10c

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR.

The continued cool weather makes it imperative that makers should sell now, and to unload quick they sell at a loss. Values will surprise you here.

Ribbed Vests..... 7c
Lisle finish vests..... 10c
Silk trimmed vests..... 15c
Fine lisle vests..... 25c
Silk vests..... 50c

DRESS GOODS.

Much of the loss caused by these reductions we take ourselves—its clearing time in this department, and we must have shelf room. If its dress goods you save money by buying here.

40-in black and blue Etima cloth..... 25c
54-in all-wool Cloth..... 39c
40-in all-wool Cashmere..... 33c
54-in silk and wool Mixture..... 49c
54-in all wool Bicycle Suiting..... 49c

HOSIERY.

Business bringing items these, all bought for a quick sale. Fix your hosiery thoughts on this store—we sell nothing but what will wear and give satisfaction.

Ladies' hose, extra fine quality..... 14c
Ladies' lisle hose, very fine..... 25c
Children's plain hose, fine quality..... 15c
Boy's bicycle hose, double sole knee..... 15c
Men's fine black half hose..... 13c
Men's fancy colored hose, value 35c a pair, our price..... 18c.

BIG WEEK AMONG THE MATTINGS.

Not a word of argument, simply the cold facts in the shape of description and prices—by yard or roll, it matters not which—there will be a lot of cool matting sold in this store during the next few days.

20-yd rolls of fine Jap Matting..... $2.48 the roll
Extra fine linen warp matting..... 20c. yd
Extra heavy China Matting, worth 25c., goes for..... 15c
Special low prices in all-wool Art Squares.

MEN'S OUTING SHIRTS.

Another prominent manufacturer over estimated his output or underestimated the uncertainty of the climate. Result, the consumer gets a buying benefit such as is seldom met with.

Fine Outing Shirts made of fine cheviot, full size..... 33c
Fine Cambric Shirts made of best percale, laundried..... 48c
Silk Stripe Madras Cloth Shirts, worth $1..... 59c
Boys' Laundried Cambric Shirts..... 39c

MANY LITTLE THINGS.

At a little price, but the saved pennies here and there count.

Summer corsets..... 39c
All linen doylies..... 41c. doz
Extra large Turkish towels..... 10c
4 button chamois gloves..... 67c
Best quality percaline lining..... 10c
Pretty figured denims..... 13c yd
New Japanese drapery..... 10c
Curtain nets for sash curtains..... 11c
Fine embroideries..... 5c
Hot water bags..... 49c

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Ladies' Russet and Black Oxfords.
Ladies' Ox-blood Lace Shoes, $2.00 & $3.00.
Sarah J. Shoes,
Hand Turned Common Sense and Gents' Hanan Shoe.

P. S.—Don't forget your vacation shoes.

A. WILLETT & SON,
NO. 107 PARK AVENUE.

STRAYED—On June 2d, liver and white Pointer Dog, answers to the name of "Alex." Reward. F. C. Phoebus, City. 6 5 tf

$15,000 to loan on mortgage in sums of $100 or more. Clarence Murphy, attorney, Schwed building. 6 16 tf

PIERCE cycle academy Watchung Ave. to let; for balls and all other entertainments. For terms, apply to agent, Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung Ave. 6 21 6

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

TEN ACRES FOR HIM.

Talk erbout this here country 'goin' ter ruin"—why,
You might's well say that the Lord's away from the bend o' the big blue sky!
It's still the same old country—the biggest one an' the best;
An' I'm willin' ter take ten acres an' trust the Lord for the rest!

Never no reason in it—"goin' ter ruin!" see—
The sun climbs up from the hills an' says "Good mornin'" ter you an' me,
An' a sweet "Good night" when he's goin' ter the dreams whar the shadders stay
An' somethin' that sorter whispers "I'll see you at break o' day!"

Never no reason in it. I'm willin' fer take my chance;
You'd better git out the supper things—the gals air comin' ter dance.
Talk erbout "goin' ter ruin"—we're happy from East ter West,
An' I'm willin' ter take ten acres' an' trust the Lord fer the rest!

—F. L. Stanton, in Chicago Times-Herald.

THE BANK MYSTERY.

"I've come, Judge, to ask if you'll let me tell you what no one on earth don't know but me; 'bout that bank mystery.

"Yes, thank you, I will sit down. A fire feels good on a night like this. 'Tain't often such as I have a chance at this kind of comfort and luxury.

"What do I know about the bank mystery? Land sakes, Judge, time they opened the bank that day ten years ago and found the bank vault broke into and the safe blowed up and not a dollar gone, I could have told it all.

"You'll be glad to listen? That's good of you. I knowed you was a kind man and a just one; that's why I come to you. No, thank you, I don't smoke; I put all that money away for me wife and children.

"Yes, Judge, I started out in life a thief and a robber. I prospered fairly in a small way and no one didn't catch up with me for some time. Then I joined a gang in for anything. I was in prison and out then, the old story, till I married and begun to have little ones. Then, Lord knows what helped me—something did—and for the sake of my wife and children I broke loose from everything and came here, where no one didn't know me, to start over again. I had some money and opened the restaurant just opposite the bank.

"Then they come here, part of the gang I'd belonged to. First I knowed of it was seein' 'em in the restaurant. I 'spicioned they weren't here for no good, and it most took my breath away. They knowed me quick enough, too, and nothin' wouldn't do but I must join 'em. I was the very man they wanted; I could help 'em and I was bound to 'em. 'Twas the biggest thing they'd undertaken yet—the bank. They'd come on to examine the situation, knowing that Mr. Durkee, the new mill-owner, would make a big payment soon, and the money for it would be in the bank here. If there waren't anything else, that would be a big haul, a haul worth havin', and me bein' here, decided 'em.

"I do think the devil brought all his friends and relations with him that night to tempt me. I forgot how to go to sleep, and just couldn't stay in bed. I wonder I warn't in tatters by mornin' with the devil tuggin' at me as he did and tryin' to keep me out of the room where my sleepin' children lay.

"Lord, it makes me creep and perspire all over now to think of it.

"Yer see, them bank people come over to my place for lunch best part of the time, and they all knowed my little people, and the mill people knowed 'em too. My oldest boy worked in the mill, and they'd been as kind as could be when he's sick. Christmas time they's good to him, too, and there warn't a bank officer but had remembered my little people, even to the watchman. Seemed like robbing my own people, somehow. I's bound not to inform on the gang and they's bound to rob ther bank; but I cursed 'em in my heart for comin' just when I was gettin' rid of the old life for good and all. 'Twas awful!

"Well, Judge, you know how them rooms over the bank was rented to start a new daily paper. I made 'em swear solemn as my name warn't to appear nowhere. I'd plan it all out and give 'em points and be on hand at the last, but I had to be cautious.

"They found out when the money was to be paid and 'greed on the night before for the robbery. I had it all mapped out for 'em where and how they was to loosen up the boards of the floor in their room above, so we could break through and lower ourselves into the vault when the time come. Then yer see we'd only have the safe to get into and the great iron door between us and the watchman.

"Everything was ready, and we was pretty sure the money was paid.

"We had planned so as to have the door of the safe ready to blow open when the watchman went down cellar to see to his fires. I knowed the time of night he did so, seein' him often from my house across the way through the window of the bank; but to make sure we stationed a man where he could give the signal at the proper time. With the watchman down stairs and we shut up in that vault, with the solid masonry between us, 'twarn't in the range of possibilities for no human being to hear us.

"'Twas planned that when we broke through the ceiling, me and one of the others was to go down first with the lanterns and tools and get the door ready for Jim Groogan, the leader of the gang, to come down and use the dynamite, and be on hand to take out the money.

"Lord, but it was just the night for such a piece of work, and after I had examined to see if all was safe, knowin' the dangers better than the others, we broke through the floor and lowered the ladder, and there we was—right in the vault. 'Twas well for me, I'd hit it right, for my life warn't worth much if any o' my plannin' failed to work.

"Tom Doolan in a hurry went down first, and when I was half way down he started back, saying in a hoarse kind of whisper:

"'Who called me?'

"'No one, you fool!' said Jim.

"'Then,' he said, and he ran past me on the ladder, 'some one is down there. Twicet I heard some one say: "Go back, go back."'

"'We'll gag him,' said Jim, and me and him went down and turned our lanterns round, lookin' everywhere, but there warn't no one there.

"'What't the matter with the fool?' growled Jim, and went back and tried to send him down again, but he just wouldn't go, so Jim cursed him and came himself, and he and me begun to get the safe door ready to blow up.

"That's a thing that takes time and care, Judge, but we went at it with a will and never a word. It was so still you could almost hear your heart beat, when all of a sudden came a smothered cry like a woman's. We stopped work and looked at each other, Jim's face white and scared.

"'Lord, what was that?' he said.

"'I often hears 'em on the street like that,' said I.

"'That warn't on the street; it sounded close by,' said Jim. 'We couldn't hear nothin' outside in this place.'

"'Nonsense,' said I, 'don't you make a fool of yourself, too, and spoil all,' and I went to work again.

"I could see how his hand trembled for a while and then got steady again.

"'That must have come through the THE BANK Mystery—Galley TWO.. room upstairs,' he said presently. 'Queer, though; it sounded so close.'

"Then he worked on and there warn't nothin' more to be heard. Rest of the gang might all have been dead men for all the sound they made, and we didn't say nothin'; and so the night went on.

"At last we had it all ready, and were only waiting for the signal to blow it up and then—money enough to make us all rich. 'Tain't such as you can realize the excitement and the strain of such a moment. To know it's all there, ready, and then to have to wait! It's easier walkin' over red hot coals. It's all right to go on and work, but to stay still and only breathe and listen gives a man the shivers.

"Presently Jim caught my arm.

"'Say, I thought I heard voices, did you?' he whispered.

"'The men upstairs,' I said.

"'Sounded down here. Have your pistol ready.'

"I took my lantern and went round the vault again carefully, and then held it up to examine the walls. Then I shook my head. There warn't no way we could hear no one.

"'It's the queerest place I ever was in,' said Jim, 'and, by Jove, I'll be glad when we are out of it. Why don't that signal come? Suppose there's any hitch? I swear I hear voices again.'

"Just then came the signal and Jim began to apply the dynamite; but his hands trembled so and his eyes looked wild and excited, his own wife wouldn't know him.

"'The money! The money!' he whispered, 'we must have it now!'

"We got out of the way just in time and then out came the door.

"'The inside door, quick,' said Jim, but the explosion had made that fall inside, and we just could lift it out.

"'Have the bag ready,' said Jim, as he leaned forward to haul the great piles of bank notes and silver we could see by the light of the lanterns.

"'Hands off, or you are a dead man!'

"It was a voice that would have waked the dead. I dropped my bag and Jim drew back his hand and caught hold of me with a grip like iron, and he begun to slowly back to the ladder.

"'The combination is all right; we have them now, they can't escape us.'

"We were half up the ladder when we heard the click, click of the lock, and as we drew the ladder after us we could hear the rasping of the hinges of the iron door.

"'Fly, fly, for your lives; we are discovered,' said Jim, as he went round to warn the men; and in the darkness, and in the wind and rain they went away and ain't never seen one of 'em since. I heard, though, as when they found there warn't no one there and the bank people didn't know nothin' 'bout it till the next morning, they just believed as the bank was haunted, sure.

"Do I know what it was, Judge? There ain't no one else as does know, that's sure. 'Tain't much after all.

"Yer see, playin' round with my little ones, I found as I could make 'em hear all kinds of noises anywhere I wanted, and people cryin' and laughin'. It was fun for them and I often done it; ventriloquizn' I believe you call it; but that night's the last time. Yer see, none of the gang didn't know 'bout that, and I don't keer ever to have 'em know it now. It saved the bank without my informin', and that's all I care for.

"Oh, no, Judge, the bank don't owe me nothin'. I'm obliged to you for listening. It kind of mekes me feel easier.

"No, no, thank you, I won't stay and take no more of your time. Don't get up; I can find my way out.

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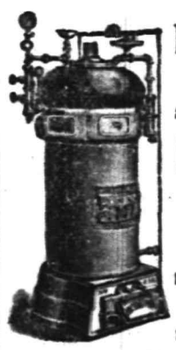

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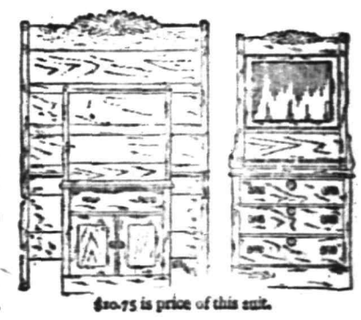

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 20, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m. (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 3 40, 5 00, 5 45 (5 00 except Saturdays) 5 45, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p. m; 12 15, 1 00, night, Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 57, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, am; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17 3 30, 5 41, 7 01 8 13 8 32 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 35, 9 03, 10 05, 11 35, a. m; (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 10, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30, 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 50

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 lv, 8 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 39 5 09, 6 38, 10 35, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 45, 8 19 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 25, 4 35, 5 28, 6 08 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 35, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 30, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 6 38, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 03, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 02 a m; 6 30, 10 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 8 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 15 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 2b a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton. Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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SCIENCE SUCCEEDS IN PROLONGING LIFE OF A GRAND ARMY MAN.

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Few men have had a more varied or interesting life than Wm. Jenkins, of 3147 Mantua Ave., Philadelphia. A veteran of the rebellion through which he battled with the 50th New York, thirty years in the merchant service in which he visited all climes, he stands at the age of 63 "A Soldier and Sailor Too," as Kipling says.

Just now, Mr. Jenkins is attracting more than ordinary attention because of his experience with Capsuloids, the greatest triumph of science.

No man could face the hardships of a soldier's and sailor's life without feeling the effects when rounding the last lap of three score years and ten and this man is no exception. Four years ago nervousness, that torturous malady of the nineteenth century, attacked him and he was compelled to leave the service of the sea for a more quiet life. Relaxation seemed if anything to aggravate the trouble, debility taking a firm hold and reducing the once sturdy defender of his Nation's honor to a mere shell of misery and pain. Ambition was a thing unknown, energy had forsaken him, life was a burden.

"Health to me was naught but a memory," he said to a reporter. My brain was tortured with pain, my limbs were tottering with weakness and no help could I find.

"I took quinine in almost unheard of quantities but it did no more good than other things. This was my lot for 4 years and you can easily imagine that life had but little charms for me. I long believed that medical science would some day discover a marvelous method of curing disease, and when I heard of Capsuloids and learned that they contained iron or Hæmoglobin as it exists in the human blood, it almost seemed as if they had been created for my special benefit. At that time Capsuloids were not easily obtained in this country but I was determined to have them, and finally succeeded in securing three boxes. This was about two months ago and you can see for yourself, the state of my health to-day."

As the reporter looked at Mr. Jenkins it was hard to realize his suffering. Dressed in his Grand Army uniform, standing as erect as a general of a victorious army, his iron gray moustache and imperial made him a picture of the ideal soldier.

"Eat," he continued, "why I can eat like a sailor before the mast, and digest it too. My food does me good, my work does me good, my sleep does me good. All in all I think I am about as spry as any man you'll find at my age.

"I owe this blessing to Dr. Campbell, the discoverer of Capsuloids, and my one wish is to live to see the day I can thank him for this great gift to humanity."

Dr. Campbell's Red Blood Forming Capsuloids represent the consummation of a belief long entertained by physicians that any method of renewing the natural iron or Hæmoglobin in the blood would result in a marvelous decrease in all diseases traceable to the blood. Dr. Campbell realized that the experiments made with the ordinary iron medicines, all of which are acid preparations of metallic iron and with the ordinary sulphate of iron promised naught. If the discovery was to be made new fields must be explored. Research led to the discovery that the blood of healthy bullocks contained iron in exactly the same form it exists in human blood. To extract it was no easy task but science prevailed and to-day we have within our reach not only an infallible means of renewing the vitality of the blood but also really the only scientific method of curing stubborn diseases of all kinds through enriching the blood with iron.

Dr. Campbell's Red Blood Forming Capsuloids are sold by all leading druggists at 50 cents per large box, six boxes for $2.50, or sent direct at the same price from the office of The Capsuloid Company, Downing Building, 108 Fulton Street, New York City.

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STEAMER DAUNTLESS

Arms Found on Board Supposedly For Cuba.

AN INSURGENT FORCE IS DEFEATED.

Arrival of Cruiser Cortez at Ysabela With General Weyler on Board—Miss Wilberforce Goes to Havana to Attend the Sick—Weyler's Decree.

Key West, June 23.—A quarter of a million rounds of cartridges, besides other ammunition and arms, were found on the Dauntless, consigned to a person in Key West. The name of all persons aboard were on the regular passenger list from Key West to Jacksonville, Fla. The same people are now aboard who were aboard when the tug was detained here in the earlier part of the month. No charge has yet been made against the Dauntless.

The boat was without doubt on her way to Cuba when the accident happened to her boiler. A sealed carload of arms and supplies were brought to Miami, and through some strategy the revenue officers who were watching the car as suspicious were enticed away, and then the contents of the car were transferred to a schooner, which carried them to the tug.

The steamer Biscayne several days ago brought down some suspicious looking cases, which were transferred to the schooner Helen Adams and conveyed by her to the tug.

The condition of the boiler of the Dauntless is such that it will be a month before she will be prepared for service.

The Situation In Cuba.

Havana, June 23.—The cruiser Hernan Cortez, with Captain General Weyler and staff, has arrived at Ysabela. Captain General Weyler proceeded by train to Sagua la Grande.

It is officially announced that a detachment belonging to the battalion of Cuba has defeated an insurgent force at Pan de Azucar, province of Pinar del Rio, killing 19 of the enemy. The same Spanish force, the official report adds, killed 18 more of this band of insurgents at other places.

There have been no skirmishes of importance in the other provinces of Cuba.

The steamer Algiers, which has just arrived here, brought 452 horses for the use of the troops under the immediate command of General Weyler.

Miss Mary Maud Wilberforce of the British Red Cross society has arrived here by the steamer Leonora in order to attend the sick and wounded soldiers. Mr. Gosling, the vice consul of Great Britain, introduced her to the secretary of the government, Senor Lopez Gamundi.

Captain General Weyler has issued a decree authorizing certain public works, with a view of giving employment to the "reconcentrados." It provides for the immediate construction of several new high roads and for strategic railway lines in the provinces of Pinar del Rio, Havana, Matanzas and Santa Clara. It is estimated that the various undertakings will involve the employment of 3,350 men.

The decree also directs that the proceeds of the sale of confiscated cattle shall be appropriated toward meeting the outlay and instructs all municipal authorities for the future to provide funds necessary to maintain the local military hospitals.

As Seen Through British Eyes.

London, June 23.—The Washington correspondent of The Daily Graphic reports an interview with President McKinley, in the course of which the president said, in reference to the Cuban question:

"I anticipate no departure from the policy of my predecessor. We have no reason to interfere in a quarrel between Spain and her colonies. Our interests are not sufficiently jeopardized to warrant other than diplomatic interference. Moreover, Spain has given respectful attention to every grievance we have submitted thus far. I admit that circumstances may arise to change the present policy of the government, but large bodies move slowly."

A Japanese Statesman Ill.

Washington, June 23.—Information has reached the Japanese legation here of the illness of Mr. Matsui, the distinguished Japanese statesman who has occupied the position of minister of foreign affairs, and who also at one time was the minister of Japan to the United States. His illness is believed to be serious, as orders have been received by his son, the secretary of legation in this country, to come home.

Boot and Shoe Men's Meeting.

Boston, June 23.—The convention of the Boot and Shoe Workers' Union of North America was continued in America hall, with President J. F. Tobin in the chair. The principal and almost the only subject for consideration was the comprehensive one of the use of the union label. The union appreciates the fact that in intelligently applying the label to their products they have considerable to learn.

Brewing Company Incorporated.

Middletown, N. Y., June 23.—The Orange County Brewing company has been incorporated and has purchased a site here for a $75,000 brewery, to be constructed at once. The officers of the company are: Theodore Reinecke, president and general manager; Theodore Reinecke, Jr., vice president; Philip Schauble, treasurer; Otto Schauble, secretary, all of Elizabeth, N. J.

Prisoners Released.

St. Johns, N. F., June 23.—French and British warships took part in the naval review yesterday, and as a further mark of rejoicing at the sixtieth anniversary of the queen's reign the governor ordered the release of a large number of prisoners confined in jail for different offenses.

Slight Fire at Sea.

Marseilles, June 23.—The French steamer Maurice and Reunion, Captain Fournie, which arrived here June 14 from New Orleans, has been on fire. It was soon quenched, however, and the damage done was but little.

Ice Houses Burned.

Augusta, Me., June 23.—The empty ice houses and a nearby house owned by Cony, White & Haynes, have been burned. Loss, $5,000; insurance, $2,450.

HOT DISPUTE ON WOOL

The First Open Disagreement on the Republican Side.

SOME PERSONAL REMARKS PASSED.

Mr. Foraker Makes an Assertion, Which Is Answered by Mr. Allison—Senator Perkins' Bill For a Labor Investigation—Some Confirmations.

Washington, June 23.—An exciting debate marked the consideration of the wool schedule in the senate. It developed the first open disagreement on the Republican side of the chamber and led to a warm personal exchange between Senators Carter of Montana and Foraker of Ohio on one hand and Mr. Allison of Iowa, in charge of the bill, on the other. Mr. Foraker asserted that an agreement concerning rates on certain wools was being violated and that under such circumstances every senator would be free to act for himself.

Mr. Allison, with great vehemence, declared that he could not be driven by threats. Mr. Carter, who had aroused the storm, endeavored to have the paragraphs relating to carpet wools go over, with a view to securing some united action, but Mr. Vest, in an ironical speech, objected to delaying the era of prosperity and postponing the public business while Republican senators held a caucus.

Mr. Teller of Colorado also spoke against delay and took occasion to say he would not vote for the bill unless objectionable features were eliminated. Aside from this stormy interruption fair progress was made on the wool schedule. The duty on first class wool was agreed to at 10 cents per pound and on second class wool 11 cents, which is between the house and senate rates in each case. Mr. Allison's amendment prescribing triple duties on certain classes of third class wools was agreed to by a vote of 29 to 26.

Most of the other amendments related to the classification of wools. On one of the amendments Mr. Jones of Arkansas spoke against the entire schedule as severely oppressive on the consumers of woolen goods.

Senator Perkins of California reintroduced his bill of last session for the appointment of a commission for the investigation of labor, agricultural and industrial problems. The proposed commission is to consist of five members of the senate, five members of the house and nine others representing the various other industries.

Senator Butler of North Carolina introduced a resolution directing the committee on privileges and elections to inquire into the practicability of applying the principle of the initiative and referendum to federal legislation in this country.

The senate committee on territories heard a statement from J. C. Bridgman of Connecticut bearing upon the nomination of M. H. McCord to be governor of Arizona. Mr. Bridgman was an Indian agent in Wisconsin in 1875 and charges Mr. McCord with appropriating timber on an Indian reservation contrary to law.

The following nominations have been confirmed: Charles E. Turner of Connecticut, to be consul general at Ottawa; George F. Lincoln of Connecticut, consul at Antwerp; Albert B. White, collector of internal revenue for the district of West Virginia.

A Cabinet Meeting.

Washington, June 23.—The cabinet talked for full two hours, most of the time on questions of foreign policy, but without deciding upon any particular changes in the lines of action already laid down. Hawaii and annexation were discussed at length and especially the protest filed the other day by the Japanese minister against the pending annexation treaty.

The protest is not given very much weight by the administration, for the reason that in the estimation of the cabinet it is based upon a misconception of the terms of the treaty and of the results that would follow the substitution of the laws of the United States for the Hawaiian laws and treaties.

For instance, it was shown that so far as the protest is based upon a fear that the status of the Japanese now living in Hawaii will be injuriously affected it is not sound, for their position after annexation would be precisely similar to that of Japanese now living in the United States who are eligible to citizenship and are not known to have any complaint against their treatment by the United States.

Other matters of protest, in the opinion of the cabinet, were equally without foundation. One thing that appeared positively was that the administration does not now entertain any expectation of getting action upon the treaty at this session of congress, but has determined to arrange for its early consideration next December.

As for the Cuban talk, it appeared that Mr. Calhoun's report, though completed by him, was not laid before the cabinet, so the discussion did not cover any new ground.

Calhoun Offered an Office.

Washington, June 23.—W. J. Calhoun of Danville, Ills., late the commissioner to Cuba, has been offered the office of comptroller of the treasury to succeed R. B. Bowler of Cincinnati and probably will accept the appointment.

Accepts the Office.

Hartford, June 23.—Rev. Francis Goodwin, chairman of the committee of the recent Episcopal convention to notify Rev. Dr. Chauncey B. Brewster of his position as bishop coadjutor, received a letter notifying him of the acceptance of the high office by the New York divine. The consecration will take place as soon as the forms of proceedure according to the church laws have been complied with.

To Summer at Kingston.

Kingston, N. Y., June 23.—State Comptroller James A. Roberts of Albany has just taken one of the ancient stone houses of this historic city for the summer. It is on Albany avenue, and the comptroller will bring his family here for July and August.

Lampher Hotel Burned.

Lowville, N. Y., June 23.—The Lampher hotel at Casterland, owned and conducted by Wesley Lampher, has been burned. Damage, $3,500; insurance, $2,600.

SPORTS

Sun Rises 4:29 a. m.
Sun Sets 7:34 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 8:34 p. m.

AROUND THE BASES.

Manager Benj. A. Mumford, of the Crescent Baseball Club, has announced the following schedule for the season for his team:

June 26th, Unions, of Perth Amboy, 3:30 p. m., at Plainfield.
July 3d, Y. M. C. A., of New Brunswick, 3:30 p. m., at Plainfield.
July 5th, Bound Brook A. C., 10:30 a. m., at Plainfield.
July 5th, Riverdale F. C. 3:30 p. m., at Plainfield.
July 10th, Stelton A. C., 3:30 p. m., at Plainfield.
July 17th, Crescent B. C., 3:30 p. m., at Somerville.
July 24th, Domestic B. C., of Newark, 3:30 p. m., at Plainfield.
July 31st, Williamsburgh F. C., 3:30 p. m., at Plainfield.
August 7th, Y. M. C. A., of Elizabeth, 3:30 p. m., at Plainfield.
August 14th, Cranford A. C., 3:30 p. m., at Plainfield.
August 21st, P. A. C., 3:30 p. m., at Plainfield.
August 28th, Crescent B. C., 3:30 p. m., at Westfield.
Sept. 4th, Stelton A. C., 3:30 p. m., at Plainfield.
Sept. 6th, Crescent B. C., 10:30 a. m., at Cranford.
Sept. 6th, Alerts, of Bloomfield, 3:30 p. m., at Plainfield.
Sept. 11th, Crescent B. C., 3:30 p. m., with Y. M. C. A., at New Brunswick.
Sept. 18th, Bound Brook A. C., 3:30 p. m., at Plainfield.

CYCLING COMMENT.

Mrs. J. P. Homan, of West Fifth street, is learning to ride a bicycle.

L. L. Manning, the popular marble dealer, is rapidly conquering the bicycle and can navigate quite fairly the Plainfield thoroughfares.

The Miller Bicycle Lamp.

Nothing short of a head-on collision breaks the Miller bicycle lamp, made by the E. Miller Co., of 30 West Broadway, New York, and yet this lamp weighs complete only 17 ounces. The light it projects in front of a wheel is no fire fly phosphorescence, but a regular blaze of illumination that announces your approach a mile distant. As might be expected of the Miller Company's product, the lamp is beautifully finished, is devoid of useless appurtenances, and is possessed of novel and entirely new methods of producing a brilliant light which nothing can extinguish accidentally. It burns kerosene oil, is easy of adjustment to every wheel and will wear a lifetime. You won't find it on any 98 cent special tables, because it is worth two dozen and a half of those lamps you will find there. When you see one you'll buy it, no matter if the dealer charges you $3.50 or $5.00

Fair Camera Fiends.

The Plainfield Camera Club is planning to enlarge the number of young women on its membership list. There are already many of the fair sex who are enthusiastic amateur photographers who should enjoy the privileges of the club. At the meeting of the club next week, an amendment will be made to the bylaws by which young women can join the club without paying the initiation fee.

Aimed at the Martin Act.

Unusual interest is being taken in the public meeting that is to be held in the Board of Trade rooms in the Babcock building, this evening, to discuss the Martin Act. The meeting will begin at 8 o'clock and all the citizens, whether directly interested or not, are invited to be present. Quite a number have already determined to be present and a large attendance is expected.

Fair Postponed.

The fair for the benefit of the Children's Camp, which was to be held at 823 Madison avenue, tomorrow, has been indefinitely postponed, owing to the prevalence of scarlet fever. The receipts from the sale of tickets, amounting to $16, have been delivered to Miss Green, president of the city union of the King's Daughters, under whose auspices the camp is conducted.

Fell Upon the Sidewalk.

Cornelius M. Pennington, an old man, living at 1038 Arlington avenue, was taken ill on West Second street at 2:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon. He fell upon the sidewalk and was picked up by Chief of Police Grant and sent home in a carriage.

BUSINESS COURSE ADDED

SUPERINTENDENT MAXSON TELLS OF HIGH SCHOOL CHANGES.

A Commercial Course, Preparing the Pupils for a Business Career, Has Been Added—Some Other Changes.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—At this time of year, when many young people are finishing their preliminary study, the advance our High School is to take next year will be interesting to many of your readers.

The whole course of study has recently been revised and published in a new form, which I shall be glad to mail to anyone interested.

Perhaps the most important change is the addition of a new department. After a careful consideration of the matter, the Board of Education decided that greater facilities should be given those pupils that desire special preparation for a business life, and they have engaged George Weeks Sandford, of New York, to take charge of a newly-established commercial course. Mr. Sandford is a graduate of a normal school and also of a prominent business college, and has had some years successful experience in teaching business subjects in the Brooklyn Polytechnic School, so that there is every assurance that the work will be well handled.

A course has been arranged that gives a line of commercial work extending through the four years, including bookkeeping, penmanship, commercial forms and customs, business practice, theory and science of accounts, commercial law, history of commerce, commercial geography and preparation for civil service examinations.

There is also two years and a half of phonography and type writing, two years of modern language or science, and a four years' line of English. The aim is not simply to give the pupil ability to keep books or take down a dictation, but to give him a solid foundation on which to build a business life. The conditions for admission and graduation are like those of the other courses.

Another marked step in advance is in relation to the Science Department. Plans are being made to provide tables and other accommodations so that chemistry and physics may be taught by the laboratory method, each pupil experimenting, making and handling apparatus; and so learning by doing, the most effective of methods.

This department will be in charge of A. B. Meredith, an honor graduate of Wesleyan University, especially trained for science teaching, with some years of very successful experience in one of the best military schools on the Hudson, and well fitted to make the department strong and popular.

A course in modern languages has also been arranged, making it possible for those who wish to take three years of French and two years of German.

With all these improvements, the English language has not been neglected, but work of some kind in the study of English is required of every pupil in the school three times a week throughout the course.

Reports from the colleges where our pupils go, show that the school was never doing better work than today, and with the improvements planned, Plainfield may boast of offering the poorest as well as the richest of her children, not only the best preparation for any college or university, but also the best and most liberal course general training of high school course grade that the State affords.

Sincerely yours,
H. M. Maxson,
Supt. of Schools.

Testimony Will Be Taken.

Testimony will be taken before Court Stenographer H. E. Knight in the law offices of Counsellor W. K. McClure, tomorrow morning, in the case of the executors of the late Robert Baxter against John J. D. Smith, of Passaic.

A Wheel Dished.

A delivery wagon, belonging to the City Mills, had a wheel dished on Park avenue this morning. By a special arrangement of the load, the wagon reached the mill in safety on three wheels.

Miss Mattie Stevens, of New Brunswick, has been visiting friends in Plainfield.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Ethel Titsworth, of West Seventh street, is the guest of relatives in Westerley, R. I.

Miss Harriet Halloway, of LaGrande avenue, has returned from a brief sojourn in Asbury Park.

Alfred Trancand, of Assemblyman Codington's law offices, went to Elizabeth today on business.

Miss May MacLaughlin, of Somerset street, has returned from a visit with relatives in Brooklyn.

Robert LaBoyteaux, of Fairview avenue, is spending his vacation on his wheel, taking trips around the surrounding country.

Mrs. George H. Babcock and son, George L. Babcock, of West Eighth street, left yesterday for Alfred, N. Y., where they will visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Collins, of Philadelphia, drove to Plainfield today and will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. McClure, of Crescent avenue, this evening.

From Out of Town.

A horse, attached to a buggy, driven by an out-of-town man, fell at the corner of Front street and Park avenue, last evening, and both shafts were snapped by the horse in the fall.

THROWN BY A STRANGER.

Phillip Cregier Had an Unpleasant Tumble From His Wheel.

Phillip Cregier, of Park avenue, was seriously injured in a bicycle accident on Park avenue, Monday evening. He was riding at a slow pace up Park avenue with a friend, when an unknown wheelman approached from behind and went directly between Cregier and his companion. As the stranger passed them, he turned directly in front of Cregier. The front wheel of the latter's bicycle struck the stranger's rear wheel and the Plainfield wheelman was rolling in the dust.

He struck on his wrist badly spraining it while he was cut and bruised all about the body. His wheel was smashed by the fall. Cregier managed to reach Plainfield and went to Dr. Zegilo who carefully dressed his wounds.

The stranger made no effort to see how badly he had injured Cregier, but hurried on without looking behind.

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—W. J. Stephenson, the caterer and restaurant keeper, is getting all his milk and cream from New York State now and wishes to tell his customers that they need have no fear of contagion through it.

To Preserve the Color of Flowers.

The natural colors of flowers may be preserved with almost their original brilliancy after being dried very thoroughly in sand. The Gardeners' Monthly, which suggests this simple process for manufacturing artificial flowers, states that the most delicate flowers can be made in this way to look for several years as though they had been freshly gathered. The flower should be placed in a pan or other dish and covered with perfectly clean dry sand. This should be sifted over the flower so as not to break or bruise the petals. Every chink and cranny should be filled without disturbing the natural position of the leaves. When the pan is full, and every crevice has been filled solidly, the flowers are allowed to dry for several days. It is often found effective to warm the sand and keep the buried flower in a warm oven. The sand should then be removed, great care being taken not to break or tear the leaves, which will be very brittle.—New York World.

They Shot for Hats.

A visitor in Pass Christian, Miss., the other day, heard some pistol shots, and asked a negro boy what they meant. "Oh," was the reply, "them fellows dun be shootin' fo' hats." "Shooting for hats!" exclaimed the visitor. "what on earth do you mean?" "Sure; dere is nuffin strange 'bout dat; they's doin' it ebry day, 'most. When de train is comin' day jes' fires dem shots when she gets good on de bridge, an' de men dey sticks dere heads out to see what's up, an' de wind jes' takes dere hats off an' drops 'em in de bay. Den dey rows around an' picks 'em up. Sometimes dey gets a lot of 'em. Other day Josh Johnson got seben." "What does Josh Johnson do besides shoot for hats?" was asked. "Oh, he fishes an' does odd jobs an' lives."—New York Tribune.

An inhabitant of Arendskerke, in Holland, has notified to the municipal registrar the birth of his twenty-first son, all the others being alive and in the enjoyment of good health.

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It was before an Irish trial justice. The evidence was all in, and the plaintiff's attorney had made a long, eloquent, and logical argument. Then the defendant's attorney took the floor. "What are you doing?" asked the justice, as the lawyer began. "Going to present our side of the case." "I don't want to hear both sides argued. It has a tindincy to confuse the coort." So the defendant's lawyer sat down.—New York Evening Post.

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Im. marmalade,	12c. bot	Fresh Salmon,	11c. lb		
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Shrewsbury Catsup,	20c	Scheuer's cocoa,	½ lb. 17c.	Phila. cream cheese,	17c.
Good rice,	5c lb	Leader milk,	6c. can,	Heinz' B. B beans,	7c.
Sweet chocolate,	4c. cake	Good brooms,	12c. each	Boiled oats,	2c. lb
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OUR MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS

A REPUBLICAN CRITICISES THE METHODS NOW IN VOGUE.

Does Not Think the Present Time of Financial Depression is the Proper Time for the Collection of Back Taxes.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—Is it not possible that we are in danger of acting unwisely in the conduct of our municipal affairs, particularly in the matter of "back taxes?" There seems to be a doubt as to the legality of our method of procedure, but, unfortunately, little question of its dishonesty in a large number of cases. It appears that many of our citizens, who have always paid their taxes as well as their other debts, and have purchased property in good faith, after having searches made by competent lawyers, at large expense, sometimes amounting to hundreds of dollars, now find that the city holds liens upon their property for taxes which should have been collected from former owners. Furthermore, we style them delinquents, and threaten to sell their property unless these claims are paid. Of course, this extreme proceeding would only affect the poor man, who was unable to comply with the requirements of the law, but the principle is the same in every case. It seems strange that claims that have eluded search for so many years should be so readily found just now, and that immediate payment is demanded after we have waited for so long a time. If the city made no effort to collect them when due, it certainly is particeps criminis, and more culpable than the innocent property holder.

We are wont to complain that citizens do not always pay taxes and assessments with alacrity, and sometimes even try to evade them, apparently forgetting that we make the conditions of payment as onerous and inconvenient as possible. Falling due just before the Christmas holidays and the close of the year, their payment has often caused disappointment and deprivation in place of the anticipated enjoyment. Of course, if one is unable to pay the amount when due, we give him time, charging him meanwhile with interest at the rate of 10 to 12 per cent., besides the various costs; while we borrow on precisely the same security at 4 per cent. There is nothing mean about us.

We have had several years of hard times. Business has been dull, employment uncertain and money scarce, and the majority of our people have found it necessary to economize in every possible manner. Not so with the city. Save in a single instance, when we reduced the salary of an official who really seemed to be always doing something, we are spending as freely as ever. Our tax rate is largely in excess of that of the largest city in the State, and is increasing. Moreover, we need money for library extension. We are yearning for a new jail, and are absolutely suffering for want of a City Hall. Our system of sewerage, which was to cost $100,000, will probably have cost double that amount when completed, and the house owner is not only called upon to pay his sewer assessment, but may be notified to make connection therewith, often at great expense. Then, although he may live in the suburbs, where there is not a house on the block, and where such improvement is entirely unnecessary and uncalled for, we order him to flag his sidewalk, and, as a last feather, notify him that he is in arrears for taxes assessed upon his property before he owned it, and possibly including property which he doesn't own and never did, and unless he responds promptly we publish him as a "delinquent," and propose to sell his house over his head. What more can the Turkish tax gatherer do? A Republican.

High School Reception.

The details for the reception to the graduates of the Plainfield High School this evening have been completed. The reception will be held in the Casino from 10 o'clock until 1. Max Wiertz will act as caterer. Walter Rogers, leader of the old Seventh Regiment orchestra, will furnish the music. Only three hundred invitations have been issued.

Outing on the Mountain.

A delightful little outing at "Hilltop," the summer cottage of Mrs. F. O. Herring on the mountain, was given yesterday afternoon by the Misses Martine, of Watchung avenue, in honor of their guest, Miss Bessie Day, of Orange. Those present were the Misses Martin, the Misses Bowen, Miss Goddard, Miss Elsie Jobs, Miss Elsa Pfeiffer and Miss Lapsley.

An Important Committee Meeting.

The committee on religious work of the Y. M. C. A. will meet at the residence of the chairman, A. C. LaBoyteaux, 39 Fairview avenue, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

THE CITY'S INSTRUCTORS

COMPLETE LIST OF THE TEACHERS IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

There Are Few Changes and Nearly the Same Capable Corps of Men and Women Will be in Charge of the City's Youth.

Plainfield is unusually lucky in having a corps of teachers in her public schools the equal of which it will be hard to find. This year several of the present instructors will leave and new ones have been secured to fill their places. The list of teachers for the next school year has been completed, and is as follows:

High School—Ira W. Travell, Principal, Greek and mathematics; Ellen E. Niles, history and literature; Mary Grace Caldwell, Latin and German; Alice M. Whitney, mathematics and English; S. Lena Bass, Latin and French; A. B. Meredith, science; George Weeks Sanford, commercial department.

Stillman Grammar School—Carrie B. Runyon, principal; M. Elizabeth Benedict, Anna M. Day, Lena Tomlinson; Mary E. Lavers, drawing; Mabel Maxson, pianist; Charles L. Lewis, music.

Franklin School—Alice W. Lansing, Flora Griffin, Jennie Davis, Anna E. Mankelow, Noel J. Bullock, principal; Elizabeth W. Kipp, assistant; Mabe Mitchell, Emma Force, Clara J. Churton, Edith Gilbert, Lottie B. Strong, Madge L. Sutphen, Caroline A. Barber, Edith R. Bond, kindergarten.

Washington School—Millicent E. Humpston, principal; Anna W. Booraem, Jennie Owen, S. Louise Wood, Margaret R. Cory, Genevieve Laning, M. Agnes Blair, kindergarten.

Bryant School—Emma V. Shattuck, principal; Ariadne Gilbert, assistant; Margaret R. Case, Kate A. Remar, Helen B. Jenks, Clara Ticknor, Jessie A. Browne, Blanche A. Voorhees, Louise B. Runyon; Cora F. Cadmus, kindergarten; Josephine Petrie, pianist.

Irving School—Genevieve Petrie, principal; Eleanor P. Wilber, Anna W. Watson, Edith A. Scott, Lottie W. Stillman, Lucia N. Wood, Alice A. Lee, Hattie Filmer; Genevieve M. Schute, kindergarten; Charlotte M. Beekman, Carrie E. Randall, Lucy L. Brown.

Lincoln School—Louise Burnett, Alice Miller, Nancy M. Thomas, Agnes B. Freeman; Susie Davies, kindergarten.

FUNERAL OF REV. MR. CABLE.

Pathetic and Beautiful Were the Services at Church of the Heavenly Rest.

Most beautiful and pathetic was the funeral service of Rev. Wm. F. Cable, held in the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Archdeacon Jensey, of Hoboken, officiated, assisted by Rev. Dr. Keller, of Arlington, and Rev. Dr. Christian, all intimate friends of Mr. Cable's in the Diocese of Newark, with which he has been connected the few years he has been in this country. The trustees and congregation wished to show their love and respect for Mr. Cable, and their grateful remembrance of his kindness during the long illness of Mr. Lewis, last year, when a number of times he gave his services gratuitously and was at all times ready to help the little church he had learned to love so dearly. While ill in the Muhlenberg Hospital he expressed the wish that if God permitted him to leave there, his first service should be held in the Church of the Heavenly Rest. The white hangings and white flowers, arranged by loving hands, typified the happy Easter that has came at last to this worn, but faithful servant of the Blessed Master.

WENT BETWEEN TWO DAYS.

Discretion Was the Better Part of Valor With a Fanwood Landlord.

Joseph W. Nash, the landlord of the Fanwood Hotel, on the county road, near Fanwood station, abandoned the place Tuesday night and disappeared.

Nash came to Fanwood three months ago and took charge of the hotel with the expectation of obtaining a hotel license, but the residents of Fanwood sent a strong petition to court against it, and the license was not granted.

So far as can be ascertained, Nash left no unpaid bills behind. The object he had in going by night seems to have been a fear that the Land Improvement Company would hold him to the year's lease, which he had signed. His rent was paid up to July 1st.

Taken to the Hospital.

A man named John Krega was found on Somerset street this morning suffering with chills and fever, and as the man had no home he was taken to the hospital by Chief Grant, who happened to discover Krega. The man is about fifty years old, unmarried and out of work. He has been in Plainfield several days.

MARRIED 'MID DAISIES.

WEDDING OF MISS CORA E. GARDNER AND JOSEPH F. T. FULLER.

The Ceremony Was Performed by Rev. Cornelius Schenck at the Bride's Home on Arlington Avenue—The Bridal Party.

A very pretty wedding was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Gardner, of 998 Arlington avenue, last evening, when their daughter, Miss Cora Earl Gardner, was united in marriage to Joseph Floyd Tracy Fuller, of this city. The ceremony was performed at 7:30 o'clock in the presence of the families of the couple and their near friends from this and other cities.

Daisies predominated in the decorations and the interior of the house was a perfect bower of them, with smilax and ferns to add to the charming effect. The ceremony was performed in the front parlor, the bridal party entering through an aisle formed by ribbons, held by Miss Carrie Fuller and the Masters Mygrant, Gardner and Fuller.

The bride was gowned in white organdie over white silk, trimmed with old lace taken from her mother's wedding dress. Her flower girl was Miss Mygrant, who was gowned in yellow organdie over white silk, trimmed with Venetian and white lace.

The bride was escorted to the front of the room by her father while the Lohengrin wedding march was played. The ushers who headed the party were Moreland Townley, of Westfield, and George E. Fuller, of Plainfield. They were met by the groom and his best man, Joseph A. Robinson, of Plainfield. Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph.D., performed the simple but impressive ceremony.

An informal reception followed the marriage and all sat down to the wedding supper which was served in another room. The couple received many useful and valuable gifts which were displayed in one of the upper rooms.

The newly married couple left on the 10:17 train for New York, amid a plentiful shower of rice. They will make a short tour through the western part of New York State and will then return to make their home in Plainfield.

Although a quiet affair, it proved a very delightful one and the couple were showered with congratulations as well as rice.

Among the guests present were: Mr. and Miss Turner, F. A. Duguid, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Atteridge, Miss Elsie Atteridge, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Trowbridge, of Chatham, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. H. Meeker, Mrs. J. N. Earl, John Earl, of Elizabeth; Mr. and Mrs. W. Welch, the Misses Crosley, the Misses Welch. Mr. Taylor. Mr. Fitch, Mr. Townley, of Westfield; John Miller. Edward Miller, of Roselle; Mr. and Mrs. George Haines, George Haines, Jr., the Misses Haines, of Union; Mrs. Lulu Barr, Mrs. W. L. Mygrant, Miss Louise Mygrant, Perry Mygrant, of Brooklyn; and the following from this city: J. A. Robinson, Miss Mary Robinson, Mrs. Robinson, Miss Leeds, Miss Webster, Miss Terry, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rockfellow, Miss Cornelia Rockfellow, George A. Rockfellow, Mr. and Mrs. George Fairchild, Mrs. Mary Wade, Miss M. C. Gardner, Mrs. J. Darling, Miss Mabel Darling, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fuller, George Fuller, Miss Lule Fuller, Miss Carrie Fuller, Ray Fuller, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, Rev. and Mrs. Cornelius Schenck, Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Moffett, Louis Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Weseman, Mr. and Mrs. Messersmith and the Misses Giles.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

Those of the North Plainfield High School to Be Held Tonight.

The commencement exercises of the North Plainfield High School will be held in Y.M.C.A. hall this evening. The programme will be as follows:

Invocation.....Rev. Henry J. Johnston
"Le Te Tourbillon," Op. 37.....Gutmann
Miss Mabel Ising and Master Bert Simpson.
"A Nation's Literature; Its Life and Glory,' with salutatory.
Miss Harriette Helen Phillips, '97.
Music.....Selected
High School Glee Club.
"That Everlasting Why,"
Miss Edna Louise French, '97
Soprano Solo—"Letter Song," (Rip VanWinkle).....Planquette
Miss Eugenia Barker.
"At the Threshold,"—with Valedictory.
Miss Bessie Thompson Day, '97
Piano Solo—"The Last Muster,".....Honig
Bert Simpson.
Short Addresses—
State Supt. Hon. Charles J. Baxter
County Supt. Rev. James A. Mets
Soprano Solo—"May Time,".....Tosti
Miss Eugenia Barker.
Presentation of the Class,
Miss Susie E. Glass. Principal High School
Presentation of Diplomas,
Samuel St. John McCutchen, President of the Board of Education.
"Now the Day is Over,"
High School Glee Club
Benediction.....Rev. Jos. O. McKelvey.

—Wear Van Arsdales's $3 shoes, none better for the money.

DO NOT FAVOR THE ACT.

SENTIMENT OF PUBLIC MEETING OF BOARD OF TRADE.

A Number of Well Known Citizens Were Present and Expressed Their Opinions—Several Resolutions Passed.

A meeting of taxpayers and citizens was held in the Board of Trade rooms last evening for the purpose of discussing the recent enforcement of the Martin Act by the City Council. The meeting was called for 8:30, and by that time the room was filled with interested citizens who are more or less affected by the act. J. Fred MacDonald was made chairman of the meeting and George Hallock, secretary. The chairman stated the purpose for which the meeting was called, and then invited an expression of opinion from any and all present.

W. P. Smith, of Netherwood, was present and stated that he thought the proposed plan of collecting taxes prior to 1881 was unjust, but he was of the opinion that if the money could be collected legally there would be no alternative. Mr. Smith said that he is personally acquainted with Mr. Martin, under whose name the act was framed, and that the latter had informed him that the act had been amended so much that at present he was unable to say what power there is in the law. He also said that he knew of no test by a corporation where the latter had defeated the measures of the act. Several individual tests had been made, but the individual had lost in every case.

Mr. Lounsbury replied to the above by citing a case in Camden where the city had failed to obtain a perfect lien on property, and the court had decided adversely and in favor of the property owners. In Plainfield's case he said that the city had never obtained a lien on the property on which they now want to collect back taxes, and he thought that the enforcement of the act was for the purpose of securing such lien.

Assemblyman Codington was asked to express his opinion and he did so very cleverly. He said in part: "I think that the Council in availing themselves of the provisions of the Martin Act have done the proper thing. The principal object is to collect back taxes or sell the property so that good titles can be obtained, and it is not intended to create a lien on the property where there is not one at present. The act cannot perfect a lien on the property prior to 1881 and the city cannot claim such a lien. It is chifly for the purpose of placing a record in the collector's office. Where the act affects innocent holders of property it is manifestly unfair to enforce the same. I think that if the matter should be laid before the commissioners, who are fair and honorable men, that they will adjust each case rightly. They have all power to settle, compromise or sell, and they certainly will not be unreasonable."

Mr. Hewson, of this city, was present in the interest of a friend and he desired to get information regarding a certain tax on the New street sewer which was built many years ago. There was no one present who could give him the information he wanted and his questisn was allowed to go unanswered.

Among the prominent citizens present at the meeting were Assemblyman W. R. Codington, W. P. Smith, School Commissioner F. C. Lounsbury, L. E. Hart, Job Male, Jr., J. Fred MacDonald, J. T. Vail, John Ross, C. H. Hand, J. Hewson, James Smith, Councilman L. B. Woolston, Henry Liefke, Howard Randolph, J. B. Coward, S. Randolph, P. V. Van Fleet, Solomon F. Dunn, Frank Dunham, James Pope, Eugene Laing and George Hallock.

After a thorough discussion of the subject under consideration the following preamble and resolutions were offered and adopted. The committee referred to consists of J. Fred MacDonald, F. C. Lounsbury and George Hallock. The resolutions were offered by James Pope and are as follows:

Whereas, At the instance of the Common Council the Circuit Court has appointed commissioners to adjust the taxes in arrears for the city of Plainfield under the so called Martin Act, and,

Whereas, Such action contemplates the enforced collection of taxes for the years 1881 and prior thereto regardless of the peculiar circumstances surrounding the same, and

Whereas, This public meeting of citizens and taxpayers has been called for the purpose of discussing such action.

Resolved, That it is the sense of this meeting:

1st. That being interested in the welfare of our city, and recognizing the necessity for prompt collection of its taxes, we approve of the Martin Act in its general application.

2d. We believe that the provisions of this act were never intended, however, to be applied under such circumstances as are found in connection with taxes assessed in this city for the years 1881 and prior thereto where the property is now owned by innocent third parties, who were unable by reason of the im-

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A GOOD PROGRAMME.

IT IS FOR THE CLOSING EXERCISES OF ST MARY'S SCHOOL.

They Will Be Held in the School Hall Tomorrow Night, Beginning at 8 o'Clock—The Excellent Programme in Detail.

Every year, those who are privileged to attend the closing exercises of St. Mary's School, are greatly entertained and edified by the excellent programme that is rendered. This year promises to be no exception. A very good entertainment has been planned for tomorrow evening, when the closing exercises will be held in the school hall, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Specimens of the work done by the pupils during the year will be on exhibition in the school from Sunday, July 4th to Wednesday, July 7th inclusive, in the afternoons from 2 to 5 o'clock and in the evenings from 7 to 9 o'clock.

The programme for the exercises will be as follows:

Chorus—"Welcome"... .....E P. Hidden
Solo and Chorus—"The Little Old Woman."
Primary Girls. [H Tuckner
Action Song—"Hear Me Say My A. B. C."
Primary Boys. [J. St. George
Chorus—"School".....F. H. Cower
Grammar Girls.
Character Song—"The Dashing Soldier Boy."
Grammar Boys. [B. A. Keiser

Drama—"My Uncle the Captain."
Cast of Characters.

Hanscomb.....Master Charley McCann
Captain Net Skillings....Master John Madden
Sam Skillings.....Master Albert Traynor
Steve. } Waiters.....{ Master John Carty
Pete. } { Master John Berry
Bobby Small.....Master Thomas Mack

Vocal Solo—Come Into the Garden, Maud."
Miss A. Daley. [Tennyson
Solo and Chorus—"God Bless You Boy."
N. E. Solomons
Soloist, Master T. Carty.

Fantasie—"The Nations Greeting Liberty."
Liberty.....Miss A. Daley
England.....Miss E. Barrell
Ireland.....Miss E. Carrigan
Scotland.....Miss E. Shea
France.....Miss J Lutz
Germany.....Miss M. Doll
Italy.....Miss M. Burke
Spain.....Miss A. Ryan
Russia.....Miss M. Shannon
Switzerland..Misses R. Roche and F. Hillman
Japan.....Miss W. Kane
China .....Master C. McCann
American Indian.....Master T. O'Keeffe
Cuba.....Miss E. Johnson
Standard Bearers, Etc.

Vocal Solo—"The Old Fashioned Mother,"
Master Thomas Mack. [Olcott
Recitation—"My Funny Uncle Phil."
Miss M. Barrell. [A. D. Alden
Cantata—"A Quarrel Among the Flowers."
Schoeller
Thirty-two Little Misses.
Chorus—"Good Night".....White
Finale.

CHILDREN'S CAMP.

That Excellent Institution of the City Union of King's Daughters to Open.

The City Union of the King's Daughters will open the Children's Camp on Saturday. An informal reception will be held from 3 to 6 o'clock to which all are cordially invited Stages will make trips from the Somerset street trolley to the camp, beginning at 3 o'clock. Fare 10 cents.

The camp committee has made the same arrangements this year as last for the comfort of the sick children entrusted to their care. The little ones with an attendant will be taken, under the care of the nurse, to and from the camp free of charge.

Application may be made to any physician, the nurse, Miss Caroline Randall, 325 East Second street, to any member of the nurse committee, Miss Emily B. Tracy, chairman; Mrs. Frederick G. Mead, Mrs. A. Walter Haviland, Miss Louise K. Green, Mrs. W. C. C. Glenney, or to Mrs. C. Zabriskie, chairman of camp committee, 437 East Fifth street.

As the appeal for this charity met with such a generous respone last year, the committee feel confident that the same friends will remember it before leaving the city for their summer vacation. All contributions may be sent to Miss Linda Butler, treasurer of the camp committee, 215 East Front street.

Racing on the Boulevard.

Chief of Police Benjamin Murphy, of Jersey City, announced yesterday that bicycle racing on the new Hudson County Boulevard would have to stop. The Boulevard is under the control of the Freeholders, who heretofore granted permits for racing. Saturday afternoon Howard Griffin, of the Arcanum Wheelmen, while racing, was killed, and this has caused the Chief of Police to issue the order against racing. There is an ordinance which says that bicycles shall not be ridden faster than twelve miles an hour through Jersey City, under a penalty of $20 fine.

To Elect Officers Next Week.

A meeting of Unity Lodge, K. of P., was held last evening, but nothing outside of a routine nature was considered. The election of officers will take place next week.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

PURSUED BY A MANIAC.

HORRIBLE EXPERIENCE OF MORRIS BALLANTINE ON THE ROAD.

He Was Returning From Basking Ridge With His Wife and Mother-in-Law When a Wild Man Appeared.

In the woods somewhere near this city a maniac with a violent disposition is roaming at large. Morris Ballantine, a butcher, whose shop is on Watchung avenue, in company with his wife and mother-in-law, had an encounter with the crazy man which they will remember with a shudder for many a day. A superstitious person might have said that the strange being, barefooted and bareheaded, that chased the carriage along the lonely road in the darkness and retreatad only after being shot at, was a ghost; but Mr. Ballentine was not confused by thoughts of the supernatural, and consequently is now able to give a good account of his exciting experience.

On Monday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Ballantine drove in their two-seated carriage to Basking Ridge to take supper with Mrs. Ballantine's mother, Mrs. Richard Irving Mrs. Irving was persuaded to return to this city with her daughter, and the three started on their return trip about 9 o'clock at night. Mrs. Ballentine and her mother occupied the back seat of the vehicle, while Mr. Ballantine sat in front and drove the horse. The night was a pleasant one and not too dark to distinguish objects some distance off.

It was 10:30 o'clock when the party reached that point in their journey where the valley road on which they were traveling intersects with the road from Stirling. The place is about five miles from this city. The horse was travelling leisurely when Ballantine heard a cracking and rustling of the underbrush at the side of the road, and both his wife and mother-in-law called to him excitedly to drive faster. Thinking the women were nervous at the noise they had heard, but suspecting nothing more serious, the driver whipped up his horse. Again Mrs. Ballentine called to drive faster, and then both the women began to scream.

"I'll kill you! I'll kill you! I'll kill you!"

Those words were uttered by someone in a voice pitched to an unearthly scream; and Ballentine, looking around, saw in the semi-darkness a sight that chilled his blood. A strange, wild-looking man, hatless and with bare feet and head, was running a few feet behind the carriage, clutching wildly at its occupants with distended claw-like fingers and gnashing his teeth.

"I'll kill you!" he cried again, and made a leap to catch the carriage but missed it. The women, dumb with fright, crawled as far as possible from the rear of the carriage.

Ballentine had but a moment for thought. He drew a revolver and fired at the madman, once, twice. The pursuer stopped, and then, with an unearthly yell, turned and plunged into the woods.

No more was seen or heard of him by the party, which continued on its way to this city.

Mrs. Ballentine and Mrs. Irving in their accounts of the matter say that the man sprang from the underbrush at the side of the road and attempted to grab the side of the carriage, but missed it, and then started after it down the road. They describe his appearance as that of a wild man.

The spot where the affair happened is said to be only about ten miles from the Morris Plains Insane Asylum; and it is therefore not at all unlikely that the madman is one that has made his escape from that institution.

BAND FOR OCEAN GROVE.

They Begin to Think They Would Like to Keep Pace With Asbury Park Neighbors.

Plainfield people people who spend part of their summer by the sea at Ocean Grove will be glad to learn that a movement to obtain music for Ocean Grove—that is, regular board walk music—has gained such strength within the past few days that a proposition is advanced to secure the contribution of $1,500 for this purpose.

The Grove now has a fine beach pavilion that adjoins Senator Bradley's Asbury avenue pavilion, where the band plays nightly.

The Methodists in the Grove have decided that they ought to have music of their own.

Pending a better arrangement it is proposed to raise subscriptions and add to the Asbury Park fund on condition that the band be transferred at to either the Ross or Lilligore pavilion. The proposition is not regarded with much favor in Asbury Park.

John P. Hutchinson, of Leggett's pharmacy, is able to resume his duties again after a two weeks' illness.

HELD FOR FORGERY.

Arrest In New York of a Fugitive From Denver.

HAS BEEN FOLLOWED FOR YEARS.

One of the Prisoner's Alleged Confederates Is Dead, and Another Is Said to Be President of a Real Estate Exchange.

New York, June 24.—Charles M. Fegenbush, alias C. M. F. Bush, 38 years old, a mining operator, has been arrested in this city by the central office police on an indictment charging him with being a fugitive from justice from Denver, from which city he fled five years ago after having been released on bail on an indictment for forgery. It is charged that the prisoner, in company with two other men, E. H. Saltiel and B. F. Perry, both of Denver, delivered a forged deed of property for $2,000 to another person.

The alleged fraud was discovered, and the three were indicted and bailed. Perry, one of the defendants, is said to have died in the meanwhile, and Saltiel, according to the statement of Fegenbush to the police, has since then been president of the Real Estate Exchange in Denver.

Fegenbush disappeared, and since 1892, when the alleged criminal transaction took place, the Denver authorities have been looking for him.

The fugitive was traced to this city a short time ago, and W. H. O'Brien, chief of the Denver police, sent the indictment against him to Captain O'Brien of the detective bureau here, with the request that an arrest be made at once.

It was learned that the man was engaged in some business in the Knickerbocker building, where he occupied a desk in the office of The Dramatic Review. A warrant for his arrest was procured from a city magistrate, and the prisoner was arrested on Broadway.

His Picture In the Rogues' Gallery.

He was taken to a police court and remanded back to the central office. His picture was taken for the rogues' gallery, and the police of Denver were notified of his arrest.

A reply to the notice of the man's arrest sent to the Denver police elicited a response to the effect that an officer would start immediately from that city for New York to accompany the prisoner back to Denver.

A book containing the names of all of the hotels in the United States and Canada was found in the prisoner's apartment. This book has about 9,000 names of hotels.

The prisoner is said to have admitted to the police that he was about to engage in a line of business which would have yielded him good profits. He admitted that there were others interested in the scheme. In his trunks were also found a quantity of alleged mining and railway bonds and a number of telegrams in peculiar cipher.

The detectives have found that Fegenbush employed three women typewriters, all of whom were busy at their machines when the detectives appeared. These typewriter operators were writing letters addressed to hotel clerks in various places over the country, and these letters were of such a nature as to arouse the suspicions of the police. It was then decided to search the prisoner's room, and there the detectives found a lot of printed matter and other material which led them to believe that they had nipped in the bud a skillful scheme for wholesale swindling.

Tore Down the American Flag.

Halifax, June 24.—The United States flag was deliberately torn from a string of other flags on Sackville street on Queen Victoria's jubilee day. The flags were displayed by Thomas Lownds from his residence. The flag was a very large one, and only the band of it was left on the rope. Some time ago Mr. Lownds received a threatening letter concerning the United States flag which was displayed by him on another occasion. The act was committed early in the morning, and the perpetrators got off before they could be arrested.

Schooner Runs Down a Boat.

Block Island, R. I., June 24.—While fishing off here the Gloucester fishing schooner Hattie M. Graham ran down one of her seine boats. Sam Lowrie, one of the men in the boat, was drowned, and Louis Frazier so severely injured that the schooner made a landing and sent him to the hospital. It is said that the accident was due to carelessness on the part of the helmsman. The schooner left last night for Newport.

Meeting of Patriots.

New York, June 24.—A meeting of the general court of the Order of the Founders and Patriots of America, Colonel Frederick D. Grant presiding, has been held here. On petition it was agreed to issue a new charter to members in Massachusetts for the founding of a state society, an organization there already having an enrolled membership of 150.

Maine's New Doctors.

Brunswick, Me., June 24.—The graduation exercises of the Maine Medical school were held in Memorial hall. The address was delivered by Frank Lambert Dingley, A. M., and the oration by George M. Woodman. President Hyde presented diplomas to 34 graduates.

Won't Buy Old College Buildings.

New York, June 24.—The trustees of the College of the City of New York have voted against a consideration of the purchase of the old Columbia college buildings for the new quarters of the College of the City of New York on account of impracticability.

Gored by a Bull.

Hudson, N. Y., June 24.—Henry Andrews, a farmer who resides near this city, was nearly gored to death by a bull. Three of his ribs were broken, one of his shoulders dislocated, and he was badly lacerated by the animal's horns. His condition is critical.

Coroner's Verdict In Gardner Case.

Newburg, N. Y., June 24.—The jury in the Gardner case, after being out 35 minutes, found the verdict that Gardner came to his death by gunshot wounds inflicted by Joseph Decker, and that the killing was deliberate and premeditated.

YALE FRESHMEN WIN

Records Smashed by the Youngsters at Poughkeepsie.

WERE HARD PUSHED ALL THE WAY.

Harvard After a Gallant Fight Came In Second, and Cornell, Whose Freshmen Have Never Before Been Beaten, Brought Up In the Rear.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 24.—Three crews of "freshies" on the Hudson last evening at 7:10 o'clock smashed to smithereens all previous records for freshmen on a two mile course and put up one of the hottest races ever witnessed in intercollegiate racing in this country. A crew of sturdy Yale freshmen rowed the two mile course in the wonderful time of 9m. 19½s., a trifle lighter crew of Harvard freshmen fought them every inch of the way and finished a trifle over two lengths behind them, 9m. 26½s., and the Cornell freshmen, whose college record is that none of its freshmen crews have ever before been beaten, finished a length behind Harvard in 9m. 29½s.

The best previous record for two miles was made by the Columbia freshmen crew of '94 at New London in 1891, in 9m. 41s. While the conditions here are better for fast time than they are upon the sluggish and shallow water of the Thames, and while therefore some allowance should be made for the much better exhibition, it is nevertheless considered that yesterday's race was a very remarkable one, all three of the crews having lowered the record, and the last crew in the race, Cornell, doing so by 11½ seconds. All three of the crews used every pound of power in their boats at every stage of the two miles, and each crew at some period of the race was in the lead.

Tornado of Cheers For Yale.

None of the crews seemed distressed when they finished, but Yale was decidedly the freshest of the three. When the men of Yale turned their boat's nose toward their own house, there was a tornado of shrieking whistles, horns and hoarse shouts.

There was not very much demonstration in the city last night, because the rooters and the members of the crews themselves were too anxiously awaiting the event of tomorrow.

It is not believed that very much money changed hands, because freshmen races are so very uncertain.

Mr. Courtney of the Cornell crews said that his freshmen were beaten by the heaviness of the Yale crew, which was too much for them in a two mile race. He said they were fairly beaten by greater strength, and there was nothing to be added to that expression. Fred White, who has assisted considerably with the training of the Cornell eights, said in a disgusted tone that the youngsters showed a noticeable lack of sense in running their stroke up and down and not keeping at a steady, hard pull from the beginning.

The victory of yesterday is looked upon by the crowds here as being in some measure indicative of the result of tomorrow's big varsity race. It is not contended that the order of finish will be the same, for Mr. Lehmann of Harvard has all along said that his freshmen had been badly neglected and could not be looked upon as a representative freshman crew. On the contrary, the Yale crew of youngsters has been said to be more sure of winning than their varsity, while Mr. Courtney's Cornell crews have had equal attention paid to them. The chances therefore are that the order of tomorrow's finish is liable to be Harvard, Yale and Cornell.

Aid Asked For Insurgents.

New York, June 24.—Ethan Allen, president of the Cuban league, has issued an appeal to the people of the United States for funds in aid of the insurgents. The document concludes as follows: "A plan for small subscriptions at local points, deposited there with banks or business firms, reaches all. Let those who will serve send addresses of themselves and banks to the Red, White and Blue league, New York."

Funeral of Murderer and Suicide.

Waltham, Mass., June 24.—The funeral of Malone Wilson, the would be murderer of Margaret Hines, who committed suicide after he had shot the Hines woman last Monday, took place from the home of his mother, Mrs. Lucinda Moulton. The services were conducted by Rev. R. E. Connor, pastor of the Universalist church. Miss Hines was reported as resting well at the Waltham hospital, and it is expected that she will recover.

Framingham's Large Graduating Class.

South Framingham, Mass., June 24.—The graduating exercises of the Framingham State Normal school have been held. An interesting programme was carried out, and the address to the graduating class was delivered by Rev Edward Everett Hale, D. D., of Boston. The class was the largest numerically that ever graduated from the school.

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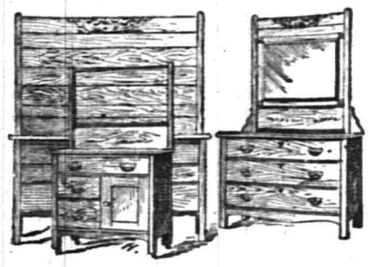

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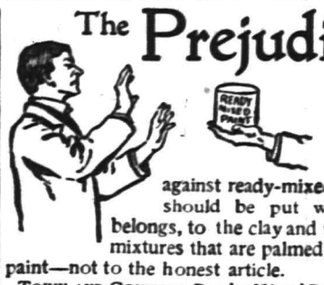

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

—Ground was broken yesterday on West Front street, near Clinton avenue, for lawn tennis courts to be used by the young people of Monroe Avenue church. Isaac Randolph is doing the work of grading. The grounds will be ready in a short time and then several matches will be arranged.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman fo the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Mrs. Kline, of the West End, is confined to her home with serious illness.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Mrs Andrew Cox, of Liberty street, is recovering from a severe illness.

"There's no use in talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, La Cygne, Kas., "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy does the work. After taking medicines of my own preparation and those of others, I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

W. C. Runyon, of Belmar, is visiting relatives in Plainfield for a few days.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are to-day its warmest friends. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

BIG BLAZE IN NEW YORK.

A Seven-story Building Gutted, With a Loss of $250,000.

New York, June 24.—One of the biggest fires that this city has had in a year or so occurred in the seven-story brick building at Laight and Greenwich streets. The basement and first floor of the structure were occupied by B. Dreyfuss & Co., wholesale wine and liquor merchants, and the rest of the floors were tenanted by R. E. Dietz & Co., manufacturers of tubular goods, such as lamps, oil stoves and the like.

When the fire broke out, there were nearly 150 men and about 20 women in the building, but they all escaped without injury. One woman fainted and was carried out by some of the men employees.

The flames burst out on the third floor and spread with such rapidity that the building was soon enveloped. Four alarms were sent to the fire department. When the engines arrived, nearly the whole structure was ablaze.

The trains on the Ninth avenue elevated railroad were stopped, and the firemen climbed up on the tracks with their hose to fight the flames. The fireboats were also close inshore throwing streams of water into the building.

The burned structure fronted 100 feet on Laight street and 50 feet on Greenwich street. It was estimated that the loss would be about $250,000.

Primary school No. 11 is right behind the burned building. There were 350 children in school when the fire broke out. Under the guidance of Miss Comstock, the principal, the children marched out in order.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At Baltimore—
Baltimore ..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 2 0 0—3
New York..... 0 0 4 0 4 1 0 0 0—9
Baltimore—Hits, 16; errors, 3. New York—Hits, 9; errors, 4.

At Brooklyn—
Brooklyn ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0—2
Boston ..... 1 3 0 3 0 0 2 1 3—13
Brooklyn—Hits, 3; errors, 6. Boston—Hits, 19; errors, 1.

At Washington—
Washington ... 0 4 2 0 0 2 2 2 *—12
Philadelphia .. 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—2
Washington—Hits, 15; errors, 5. Philadelphia—Hits, 7; errors, 3.

At Pittsburg—
Pittsburg .3 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 1—6
Chicago ...0 0 3 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—5
Pittsburg—Hits, 16; errors, 2. Chicago—Hits, 10; errors, 1.

At Cleveland—
Cleveland ..... 5 0 3 0 1 5 0 4—18
Louisville ..... 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1
Cleveland—Hits, 19; errors, 0. Louisville—Hits, 3; errors, 3.

At Cincinnati—
Cincinnati ..... 0 1 0 1 1 1 0 1 *—5
St. Louis ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—1
Cincinnati—Hits, 8; errors, 0. St. Louis—Hits, 7; errors, 2.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	34	13	.745
Boston	36	13	.735
Cincinnati	30	17	.638
New York	28	18	.609
Brooklyn	24	24	.500
Pittsburg	23	24	.489
Cleveland	23	25	.479
Philadelphia	24	27	.471
Washington	20	26	.435
Louisville	19	29	.396
Chicago	18	31	.367
St. Louis	10	41	.196

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

General John B. Gordon has been re-elected at Nashville general commander of the United Confederate Veterans in spite of his repeated refusals to serve.

The Schnectady Locomotive works have received an order for 12 narrow gauge passenger locomotives for the Kiusku Railway company of Japan. The general design is of American type.

James L. Johnson, a painter employed on the Brooklyn bridge tower, was hoisting a scaffold when the ropes gave way, and he was thrown into the well hole of the tower, 120 feet deep, and killed.

Rev. Martin Hardin of Harrodsburg, Ky., son-in-law of ex-Vice President Stevenson, has accepted a call to the pulpit of Green Hill Presbyterian church, Girard avenue, Philadelphia, and will assume the pastorate Oct. 1.

Mrs. David Gittel, formerly Mrs. L. M. Pickett, has been arrested in Leroy, Minn., charged with murdering her husband in Moody county, S. D., about three years ago. Pickett died in a burning house. He carried considerable life insurance.

Burglars entered the homes of Dr. Edward Rave, William Braun and John Maleck at Hicksville, N. Y., chloroformed all the occupants and carried away money, jewelry and other articles aggregating over $1,000 in value. There is no clew to the robbers.

The President an LL. D.

Cleveland, June 24.—The trustees of Western Reserve university have conferred the degree of LL. D. upon President McKinley and Judge Samuel E. Williamson of this city.

Weather Predictions.

Fair, followed by occasional showers; slightly warmer; southerly winds.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western was quiet and steady; city mills patents, $4.60@4.85; winter patents, $4.40@4.75; city mills clears, $4.60@4.75; winter straights, $4@4.10.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened firmer and advanced on light northwestern receipts and covering, especially in July options; July, 74¼@74⅞c.; September, 70¼@70⅝c.

RYE—Quiet; No. 2 western, 36¼c., c. i. f., Buffalo.

CORN—No. 2 was quiet and easier on favorable crop news; July, 29¼@29⅜c.; August, 29⅞c.

OATS—No. 2 were inactive; track, white, state, 25@31c.; track, white, western, 25@31c.

PORK—Steady; mess, $8.25@8.75; family, $9.25@10.

LARD—Dull; prime western steam, $3.95 nominal.

BUTER—Quiet; state dairy, 10@14c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Quiet; state, large, 8¼@8⅝c.; small, 7½@8c.

EGGS—Quiet; state and Pennsylvania, 11½@12c.; western, 10½@11c.

SUGAR—Raw firm; fair refining, 3c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c.; refined steady; crushed, 5⅝c.; powdered, 5c.

TALLOW—Quiet; city, 3 1-16@3¼c.; country, 3 3-16@3⅜c.

THE WOOL SCHEDULE

Raw Material Paragraph Has Been Finally Completed.

DISCUSSED MR. BRYAN'S OPPOSITION

Senator Morgan Introduces a Bill Providing For Annexation of Hawaii. Said the Measure Was a Necessity. Some Nominations Confirmed.

Washington, June 24.—After a long contest the senate has completed the paragraph of the wool schedule relating to raw wool and advanced into the features relating to manufactured woolen goods. The day was devoted largely to a discussion of the effect of tariff rates in the price of wool, and the speeches were on technical lines in the main.

At one point Mr. Hoar diverted the discussion by a reference to William J. Bryan's opposition to the tariff. This brought Senators Mantle, Allen and Stewart to the defense of Mr. Bryan. Mr. Teller was drawn into the controversy and in a few incisive remarks warned his former Republican associates that their hopes of prosperity from this bill would be blasted.

Mr. Quay made a strong effort to have the house ad valorem rates on third class wool adopted, but he was defeated—19 to 11. The committee rates were then agreed to—viz., 4 cents per pound on third class wool valued at 10 cents or less per pound and 7 cents per pound on third class wool valued above 10 cents per pound. The schedule was completed up to paragraph 354, relating to cloths, knit fabrics, etc.

Early in the day Mr. Allen (Pop.) of Nebraska, rising to a question of personal privilege, made a sweeping denial of the published charges that William J. Bryan had contributed $1,500 to the Populist cause in order to effect fusion.

Morgan's Bill on Hawaii.

Senator Morgan introduced a bill providing for the annexation of Hawaii. The bill reads:

"Be it enacted, etc., that the annexation of the Hawaiian islands as a territory of the United States of America, as the same is provided for in the treaty between the United States and the Republic of Hawaii, concluded on the 19th day of June, 1897, is accepted, ratified and confirmed on the plan, terms and conditions stated in said treaty, which is herein set forth. (The treaty is here quoted.) On July 4, 1898, the laws of the United States as they shall then exist shall be extended over the territory of Hawaii, but congress may provide for the extension of said laws over said territory at an earlier period, and until congress shall provide for the permanent government of said territory the same shall be governed according to the plan and provisions stated in same treaty, which is hereby adopted and enacted as a part of this act, except article 7. The five commissioners to be appointed by the president under article 6 shall be appointed by and with the advice and consent of the senate.

"There is hereby appropriated and to be immediately available such sum as may be necessary to defray the expenses of executing this act not to exceed $1,000,000. The interest on the public debt of the Republic of Hawaii is included in the expenses of executing this act, but all provisions for paying the principal of the debt are reserved for the future action of congress."

Senator Morgan said that his reason for introducing the bill was that such a measure was necessary and had to be introduced by some one.

"You can't annex Hawaii by treaty alone," he said. "It requires legislation to accomplish it. The bill was introduced upon my individual suggestions. It was not talked of in the meeting of the committee on foreign relations."

The following nominations have been confirmed: To be United States consuls, Walter Schumann of New York at Mayence, Germany; Hilary S. Brunot of Pennsylvania at St. Etienne, France; W. B. Dicky of Louisiana at Callao, Peru; John G. Foster of Vermont to be consul general at Halifax and Commodore E. O. Matthews to be rear admiral.

Annexation of Hawaii.

Washington, June 24.—The Hawaiian treaty of annexation was taken up by the senate committee on foreign relations. After the document and accompanying papers had been read and discussed they were referred to a subcommittee.

The subcommittee is made up of Senators Davis and Foraker (Reps.) and Morgan (Dem.).

No agreement was reached as to when the treaty would be considered by the senate, and that question will depend largely upon the recommendations made by the subcommittee. While none of the committee would acknowledge that the protest made by Japan against the ratification of the treaty as it now stands had been received, it was probably read and referred to the subcommittee together with the convention and the messages of the president and Secretary Sherman.

In view of the delicate questions brought up by the position assumed by Japan, a motion was adopted putting the members of the committee under unusual bans as to disclosing the proceedings of the committee.

Date of Dr. Angell's Departure.

Washington, June 24.—Dr. Angell, the newly appointed minister to Turkey, has notified the state department that he will sail from New York on July 17 for his post, stopping in London en route to confer with Mr. Terrell, the retiring minister.

Ex-President Cleveland at Greenwich.

Greenwich, Conn., June 24.—Ex-President Grover Cleveland and his family are spending a few days with E. C. Benedict at the latter's Indian Harbor residence before taking up their summer residence at Buzzards Bay. Mr. Cleveland, with his host, is spending his time in fishing for black bass at Putnam lake, which is the posted property of the Greenwich Water company.

Three Boys Drowned.

Canajoharie, N. Y., June 24.—Clarence Ireland, 17 years old; James Christman and James Patten, both 14 years old, were all drowned in the Mohawk river. The boys lived at Palatine bridge and with Henry Shafer, 15 years old, went bathing in the river. Shafer was the only one of the party who was rescued.

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COMING EVENTS.

June 24--Commencement exercises of Plainfield High School at Music Hall. Reception at Casino.

June 24--Commencement exercises of North Plainfield High School at Y. M. C. A. Hall.

Subscribers to The Daily Press who are leaving town for summer vacations can have the paper sent to their temporary address without extra expense by simply notifying the business office.

COMMENCEMENT DAY.

This evening, twenty young men and women of this city will bid a long farewell to school days and turn their faces toward the hard realities of this world. At the same time, three young women of the borough will pass through the same experience. The commencements of the Plainfield and North Plainfield High Schools will be held with the usual appropriate exercises. It is an event that has long been anticipated by the graduates and waited for by their friends. It means much to them. Some will enter college and others turn their energies to a business career, but wherever they go let it be hoped that they will remember the teachings of their school days and always bear themselves so as to bring no discredit to their Alma Mater.

A REPUTATION THREATENED.

Everybody has heretofore admitted the superiority of the Jersey mosquito without question, but now the Elizabeth Journal tries to cast reflections on the one thing of which Jersey can boast by printing the following editorial:

Don't talk about New Jersey mosquitoes any more. A New York mosquito is dynamite alongside of the mild, harmless New Jersey variety. A Long Island man was recently bitten by one of the sandhill-crane-mosquitoes that grow in the New York salt marshes, and it drove him insane. As a rule, Jerseymen don't know what mosquitoes are till they go to New York.

It is a poor rule that does not work both ways.

A TIMELY SUGGESTION.

A correspondent writes to The Press that the attention of the Board of Health should be called to the fact that the signs of contagious disease are posted only on the front of the houses, and that many peddlers and men of other occupations who come to the rear entrance are exposed to the dreaded disease. In many houses, the rear entrance is reached by a different path from the one leading to the front door. The correspondent suggests that the signs should be placed at the rear entrance, also.

A communication is published in today's Daily Press, signed "Republican." It is written by one of Plainfield's oldest citizens and taxpayers.

YALE FRESHMEN WIN.

Raymond A. McGee, of North Plainfield, Was on the Victorious Crew.

The triangular boat race between the freshmen crews of Yale, Harvard and Cornell was held over the Poughkeepsie course yesterday afternoon. It was a great race, grandly rowed and grandly won. The time was 9:19½, the fastest ever made by an eight-oared shell. The Yale crew won.

The heaviest man on any of the three crews was Raymond A. McGee, of Washington Park, North Plainfield. He rowed No. 6 on the winning crew. His weight is given as 185 pounds and his height as six feet.

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Elizabeth Folk Invited.

The Bising Sun Brewing Company, of Elizabeth, has just completed an addition to its plant, which makes it the largest in Union county. The managers have invited the city officials and general public of Elizabeth to inspect the plant today. A big spread will be served.

New Industry for Elizabeth.

The New York Car Coupler Company has filed articles of incorporation at Elizabeth. The company will manufacture car couplers, and will begin business with a cash capital of $100,000. The plant will be in Elizabeth.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Isaac P. Runyon has returned home from a visit to Mt. Horeb.

Miss Alice Rushmore, of Park avenue, is entertaining several friends.

Editor Hugh Boyd, of New Brunswick, was a visitor in this city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac P. Miller, of Watchung avenue, sail for Europe on Saturday.

Miss Marion P. Bowen, of Watchung avenue, returned this afternoon from Northampton, Mass.

Louis Hyde, of Oil City, Pa., who has been visiting his parents in this city, returned home today.

Mrs. J. Campbell, of New York, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Brown, of East Fourth street.

Miss Euphemia Johnston, of New York, is the guest of her friend, Miss Edith L. Pruden, of East Second street.

Mrs. George Clay is entertaining a party of friends at Mrs. F. O. Herring's cottage, "Hilltop," on the mountain, today.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pollock, of Cold Water, Michigan, are visiting their niece, Mrs. Charles H. Hand, of East Fifth street.

Supt. Peddle, of the Jersey Central Railroad, left Saturday for a trip throught the southern states. He expects to return in about two weeks.

Everett J. Peck, of Myrtle avenue, has returned from Bethlehem, Pa., where he successfully passed his entrance examinations for Lehigh University.

The announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Adelaide P. Newton, of East Ninth street, to John M. Whiton, of Central avenue. The wedding is to take place at an early date.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clark, Jr., of Washingtonville, have issued invitations for the celebration of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary, which will take place Friday evening, July 2, at their home.

Mrs. Atwood, of Colorado, who has been visiting friends in this city, returned home yesterday afternoon. By special request the Royal Blue Line flyer, which passes through Plainfield about 2:45, going west, stopped to accommodate Mrs. Atwood.

Medical Society's New Officers.

The 131st annual meeting of the New Jersey Medical Society ended in Atlantic City yesterday afternoon. The officers elected were: President, D. C. English, of New Brunswick; first vice-president, C. R. P. Fisher, Bound Brook; second vice-president, Luther N. Halsey, of Williamstown; third vice-president, John J. Love, of Montclair; corresponding secretary, E. L. B. Godfrey, of Camden; recording secretary, William Pierson, of Orange; treasurer, Archibald Mercer, of Newark. President Smith's recommendation to appoint a committee of five to go before the next session of the Legislature and urge the passage of a bill for the appropriation of sufficent money to establish a colony for epileptics was adopted. Dr. B. Van D. Hedges, of this city, was present as a delegate from the Union County Medical Association.

New Corporations.

The Germania Kranken Unterstutzungs Verein, of North Plainfield, has filed articles of incorporation in the County Clerk's office in Somerville. The officers are: President, August Wolff; secretary, Carl G. Reupert; treasurer, Matthew Menzenbeck. Fairview Council, No. 248, Jr. O. U. A. M., of Mount Bethel, has filed articles of incorporation. Its officers are: Councillor, Henry Heidloff; vice councillor, Joseph Ziglio; recording secretary, Richard McKenzie, assistant secretary, Rudolph Sachs; financial secretary, Frank Kohl; treasurer, Philip C. Voorhees; trustees. Robert Zergiebel, Joseph Ziglio, John D. Bornman.

Married in Bound Brook.

Miss Matilda A. Stryker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Stryker of Bound Brook, and John Wagner, of Somerville, were married at the home of the bride last week. Rev. T. E. Davis performed the ceremony, assisted by Rev. J. B. Cleaver. The bridemaid was Miss Bessie Stryker, sister of the bride, and Herman Lilienthal, of New York, was groomsman. The ushers were Howard Stryker, Edward Meyers and Abram Gulick. Both bride and groom are well known in this city.

Practice Economy in buying medicines as in other matters. It is economy to get Hood's Sarsaparilla because it contains more medicinal value than any other—100 doses one dollar.

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Cure all liver ills.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—The work of laying flagging on the west side of Madison avenue near Front street has been started.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional local news on the third page.

—The latest style in neckwear, summer underwear, and straw hats, at Blair's, 126 Park avenue.

—The S. and V. Society will hold a picnic at the end of Grant avenue, near the mountain, on Thursday, July 1st.

—A meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps will be held tomorrow evening in the G. A. R. rooms on East Front street.

—A number of Plainfield people will attend the World's Student Conference which opens at Northfield, Mass., today.

—Mrs. Needham, wife of Rev. Geo. C. Needham, the evangelist, will speak at the service Friday evening at Warren chapel.

—The proceeds of the Foresters' picnic, held in Hendricks' grove, South Plainfield, last Saturday, amounted to $125.

—The T. A. B. Society will give a dance on Saturday evening, July 3d, and on the two succeeding Saturdays. Prof. O'Reilly will furnish the music.

—The case of Johnston against Rockwell, on contract, which was down for trial in Justice Mosher's court today, has been postponed two weeks.

—The Plainfield Shooting Club will hold its annual Scheutzen Fest in Hyde's woods, July 5th. A number of prizes will be given for skill in marksmanship.

—The work of remodeling former Street Commissioner Meeker's house on West Front street is about completed. The improvement in the appearance of the house is marked.

—A rainbow festival will be given by the ladies of Queen Easter Lodge, of the Grace M. E. church of North Plainfield, on the lawn corner of Park avenue and Somerset street, this afternoon and evening.

HAPPY BUT TIRED.

Results of a Trip to Highland Beach by Three Young Men.

One Sunday morning recently, three young men might have been seen wending their way to the North Avenue station with light spirits and pleasure bent for a trip to Highland Beach to make final arrangements for their excursion on Saturday, June 26th. On their arrival at the beach they fell in with "mine host," Wm. Sandlass, Jr., under whose management the beach is made such a success. He immediately acted as guide and escorted the young men about the place to see the sights. The first place of interest was the hotel which has a capacity of accommodating one thousand guests. Then to the bathing houses where there are two thousand suits, all sizes, made to fit any person. The feature of salt and still water bathing was noted and also that on an average there are 15,000 people who take to water daily. The advantages for fishing were shown and anyone so inclined can profitably spend time in this way. The dancing pavilion, one of the finest, always comes in for a share of the throng that daily seek this popular resort. By this time dinner was ready and the three young men were invited to partake of one of the finest of dinners. After dinner a drive of two hours was enjoyed and the roads were found to be excellent. For those who care for other amusements, there is the light house and Sandy Hook Fort, bowling alleys, etc. As darkness was spreading over this glorious spot, the three young men could be seen returning home with perfect satisfaction beaming on their faces, but oh, so tired. They are now waiting anxiously for next Saturday when Watchung Lodge, International Order of Machinists, will enjoy their annual excursion to the above-named place. Everything has been arranged for a pleasant time and of course, a big crowd is going.

Bound Brook's New Industry.

A company of German capitalists have bought about twenty five acres of land in Bound Brook and propose to build a big chemical works. The capital of the company is $250,000. The incorporators are Dr. Franz Myer, E. J. Ulman, A. Heckscher and A. Prentzlien. The contracts are now out for building three brick buildings, 280x80 each.

The works expect to begin operations by December 1st, and will give between 100 and 125 persons employment.

The concern will be styled the Somerset Chemical Company.

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perfect manner in which the city records were kept to ascertain the actual facts regarding the property purchased by them, and thereby unable to protect their interests at the time of such purchase.

3d. We believe that the attempted enforcement of this act in such cases as mentioned above is unjust in itself and contrary to all law and equity and highly injurious to the welfare of our city, and if continued and persisted in will result in costly and lengthy litigation with the probabilities that the result will ultimately be in favor of the property owners and that meanwhile until such matters are finally settled the values of real estate throughout the city will be seriously effected and this at a time when we should naturally expect some activity in this direction in keeping with the return of prosperity through all lines of business.

4th. That the committee appointed by the Board of Trade in this matter be continued, and that said committee be requested to prepare suitable resolutions covering the questions at issue and setting forth the general sense of this meeting, that said resolutions be signed by the chairman and secretary of this meeting, and by the committtee and such other citizens and taxpayers as may desire to affix their names thereto, and further that said resolutions shall be presented by the committee to the commissioners named by the honorable court at the first meeting of said commissioners to be held in this city July 8th.

5th That the committee be empowered to take such further action in the matter as may to them seem proper, and to call another public meeting if in their judgement such course should at any time prove desirable.

A letter from P. P. VanArsdale was received and the contents noted. It was an excellent letter and set forth the writer's ideas on the subject in a clear and concise manner.

CIRCUS MEN HERE.

Advertising Car No. 1, of the Great Wallace Shows Arrived Last Night.

Advertising Car No. 1, of the Great Wallace Shows, arrived in this city last night over the C. R. R. of N. J., from Tamaqua. This big tented institution, which will exhibit in Plainfield July 14, is now said to be classed with the largest of such enterprises in America. The claim is made that 1000 people are carried, 600 superb horses, 50 cages and dens of wild animals, herds of elephants, droves of camels, 100 principal feature acts, a canvas that covers over twelve acres of ground and a seating capacity for nearly 14,000 people. The management of the Wallace shows have started a much needed reform in the circus world by not tolerating any form of gambling or catch-penny affairs about the grounds, and promise that patrons will be carefully protected against this usual nuisance. The shows come almost direct here from Washington and Baltimore.

The Messenger Was Non-suited.

The case of James Daley against the Central Railroad Company for $50,000 for damages received several months ago at Jersey City, has been non-suited. The case was tried before Judge McAdams in New York city, and the court held that there was no cause for action. The plaintiff is a resident of Roselle.

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The Allen Pharmacy Manufacturing Co. have reduced the price of their 25c. Royal Tooth Powder (as shown in bottle cut) to 15c., but after present stock is disposed of, no coupons will be given with powder. Those desiring to take advantage of coupon offer will find it to their interest to purchase at once, as stock is not apt to last longer than a few days. Coupons will be given with stock on hand, one with each bottle, and twelve will entitle holder to a year's subscription to any one of eighteen magazines, including Christian Herald, Youth's Companion, Ladies' Home Journal, Munsey's, McClure's, Godey's, Puratin, Cosmopolitan, &c. We know the

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The only shoe store in the city running a boot blacking chair right in the store. We shine your shoes free of charge. A ticket good for 20 shines given with each pair.

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Absolutely Pure.

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CLOSE OF SCHOOL YEAR.

COMMENCEMENT OF SCOTCH PLAINS SCHOOL HELD LAST NIGHT.

The Largest Class That Has Graduated Since the Establishment of the Present Curriculum—Other Scotch Plains Items.

The graduating exercises of the Scotch Plains High School took place in the First Baptist church last evening. Long before 8 o'clock, the time set for the exercises to begin, the church was filled with relatives and friends of the graduates.

American flags were hung tastefully about the interior of the church. The programme began with an overture by Conde's orchestra, and prayer was offered.

Miss Gwynette Marsh read her graduating essay on "Spanish Misrule;" and Miss Josephine Marsh treated of "The Græco-Turkish War." A selection by the orchestra followed. Samuel B. Macaulay discussed "Our Native Birds," Miss Florence Nicholl read a character sketch of "The Maid of Orleans," and Miss Doretta Cook delivered her essay, the subject of which was "Crossing the Rubicon." Miss Florence Bettman gave a short discussion of the life and work of Sir Alfred Tennyson, and at its finish delivered the valedictory address. The class prophecy was then delivered by Samuel B. Macaulay. David P. Hall, of Plainfield, delivered the address to the graduating class. At the close of Mr. Hall's remarks Dr. F. W. Westcott, president of the Board of Education, made the presentation of diplomas to the graduates. "My Country 'Tis of Thee" was then sung and the audience was dismissed.

A reception by the graduation class followed in the School Hall. A large number were present by invitation. Dancing was enjoyed and the guests were treated to supper. The graduating class is the largest since the establishment of the present curriculum. The course completed by the graduates is the three-years scientific course as outlined by the County Union. The graduates numbered six.

Mrs. Edward Skinner is the guest of Mrs. John Haskard.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lee spent today with friends in New York city.

Miss Sadie Bartlett, of New York, is visiting Miss Florence Nicholl.

Miss Eva Winckler is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Macaulay.

Miss Emma Adams is expecting a visit from her brother, of Middletown, N. Y.

Miss Rena Wagner, of Chatham, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Amy C. Cook.

Mrs. Elizabeth Mooney and daughter, Mrs. I. G. Walker, are visiting relatives in Coxsackie, N. Y.

Wm. Ilisley, a graduate of the Scotch Plains High School, class of '94, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Nicholl.

Miss Margaret Fitzgerald and Miss Margaret Scully spent yesterday in Plainfield as the guests of Mrs. Louis Feiring, of West Third street.

The ladies of All Saints church have been busy for several days preparing for their annual summer festival, being held this afternoon and evening from 4 till 10 o'clock, on the lawn of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kyte. Ice cream, berries, cake and pineapples will be offered for sale. The proceeds will go to swell the church fund.

Henry Schenck, Tuesday evening, borrowed Arthur Chapins bicycle. After riding a few minutes, he turned a corner sharply and collided with another wheelman. Chapin's wheel was badly damaged. The stranger escaped without injury, and, fearing that he would be blamed for the accident, mounted his wheel and rode off.

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Miss Lloyd, of the borough, is visiting friends at Bryn Mawr, Pa.

Mrs. Hays is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Horton, of Bradford, Pa.

Pax Van Arsdale, of the borough, is confined to his home by illness.

The Dunellen Gun Club will hold a shoot next Saturday afternoon.

Andrew Lutkins, of North Plainfield, was a welcome visitor in the borough yesterday.

Mrs. Staats and daughter, Miss Staats, have returned from a visit to New York.

Miss Williams, of the borough, is spending the summer at Middlesex, New York State.

Miss Davis, a teacher in the public school, is enjoying her vacation at Port Jefferson, New York.

Superintendent Whitney and family, of the borough, are spending the summer at South Deerfield, Mass.

The many friends in the borough of Isaac Stites will be glad to learn that he has recovered from his illness and is again able to work.

An entertainment is being held this afternoon in the Holy Innocents church, New Market, under the auspices of the Guild of the church. The proceeds are for the benefit of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Case, of Geenbrook road, have issued invitations for the celebration of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary which will be held Tuesday evening, June 29th, at their home.

The responses received from those who intend to be present at the Tingley family reunion in August indicate that there will be a very large number of people in attendance. It will be held on the Blackford farm, South Plainfield, the last Wednesday in August.

At present there seems to be only two candidates for the position of postmaster, Adam Dealaman and Mr. Todd, and the betting appears to be about even. If anything, Mr. Dealaman seems to be in the lead a trifle. Other people who are not supporters of the above-named men say that a dark-horse will get the plum and now everyone is looking for the dark horse.

In the first series of the Building Loan Association each share is worth at present $171.42 and the series will expire in about one year and seven months. This is considered exceedingly good in view of the fact that the taxes on all properties are paid by the Association. There will be a meeting of the Association this evening, when considerable business will be transacted.

An Old Road Made New.

And now another joke is taken away from the already heavily afflicted paragrapher and specialty artist. No more can either ring the changes on that time-honored old minstrel joke about the man who wanted to go to Chicago "the worst way," and was directed to the B. & O. station, for the work of straightening the curves, which were at once the delight and the horror of all through passengers on the "picturesque B. & O." is about concluded, and the trip through the mountains no longer reminds one of crossing the English channel on a particularly rough day.

This will be welcome news to the general public and to B. & O. enthusiasts—people who would not take any other route to their destinations if the B & O. would possibly serve them. These are mostly passionate admirers of natural scenery, to whom the gigantic panorama along the B. & O. route can never become stale. Indeed, why should it, when it is never twice the same? Scenery on the scale of such immensity is like the ocean in its susceptibility to change. Not only with the seasons, but with the days, does its beauty vary. Like a kaleidoscope, which the slightest alteration in position occasions a totally new view, so the forests and the mountains along this scenic route assume wholly new appearances with every passing cloud and every weather condition.

Now that the exaggerated bug-bear of the B. & O. curves has been finally disposed of, and its road-bed made second to none, the excellence of its equipment and the peculiarly "make-yourself--comfortable-we'll--do-everything--we-can--for--you" atmosphere which surrounds the traveler the instant he steps aboard a through train on this road, will shortly double and treble the number of B. & O. enthusiasts, to whom the journey over mountains is less a journey than a pleasure. —The Pittsburg Star, June 5, 1897.

Crop Conditions.

Weather Observer Naegle sends the following report of the weather and crop conditions in Plainfield for the week: The crops have shown a decided improvement for the past week; corn growing slowly; clover cutting commenced; wheat and rye ripening, heads very heavy.

Messrs. Bornmann and Andrews, of Brooklyn, visited friends in Plainfield last evening. They rode out on their wheels.

A FOOD MEDICINE.

How to Cure Ordinary Ills the Easiest Way.

In late years no one remedy has grown more in favor with physicians than Malt Extract. If it is rightly made it is a tonic that can be depended on every time.

It is as much a food as a medicine, but is food of an unusual kind. It is food in soluble and concentrated form all ready to slip into the blood and renovate the system without taxing digestion. Therefore, if your stomach is weak it does you good just the same.

We recommend Crown Brand Extract of Malt as one you can rely on. It is made by a thoroughly reliable house and we have it put up under our own name as an additional guarantee of its merit.

We are also able to save you something on the cost. Other good extracts will cost you at least 25 per cent more. We constantly endeavor to sell the best of everything for less and this is another instance of it. Extract of Malt is especially recommended for dyspepsia, sleeplessness, loss of appetite and general debility. It is the ideal tonic for invalids, convalescents and for debilitated women. 15c. bot., $1 65 doz. Frank Rowley, druggist, 45 Somerset St.

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity.

Squire Radley has gone to visit his daughter in Philadelphia.

Several new cases of measles have appeared on Downer street.

James P. English, Jr., is taking a short outing in New York State.

Arthur H. Serrell, of Plainfield, visited friends in this place yesterday.

The I. O. S. will enter four of its members in the races to be held July 5th.

Atlas Lodge, F. and A. M., has discontinued its meetings until September.

Miss Etta Baldwin, of Orchard street, spent yesterday at Boynton Beach.

Miss Florence Dallas has returned to her home in New York after spending a week in town.

Miss Anna Hulse, of New Brunswick, is the guest of her mother, Mrs Hulse, of Elm street.

Foster Sinclair, of Phillipsburg, is visiting his cousin, Miss Elizabeth Stamets, of North avenue.

The Westfield Debating and Literary Society will hold its regular meeting and debate this evening.

Philip Weigel, Peter Kalteissen and Henry Kreinick, of Ansonia, Conn., were the guests of Samuel Packer on Tuesday.

Miss McKelway, daughter of St. John McKelway, editor of the Brooklyn Eagle, is the guest of Mrs. S. W. Thompson.

The Jr. O. U. A. M. will hold its regular meeting in their rooms, tomorrow evening, and officers for the ensuing term will be elected.

Dr. and Mrs. T. R. Harvey are entertaining Miss Harvey, of Goulds-boro, Pa., and Mrs. Harvey's mother, Mrs. F. Gilpin, of Newfoundland, Pa.

The Westfield Stars will play a game of baseball with the Battin High School Juniors, of Elizabeth, on the North Broad street grounds, Saturday morning.

A summons was issued yesterday by Justice Collins in the case of James T. Pierson against James Moore, of Cranford, on a bill for $51 for building materials alleged to have been furnished the defendant in 1891. The summons is returnable July 1st.

The stockholders of the Cooper Lamp Company held their annual meeting yesterday and elected Dr. Sherman Cooper, president, John Ruth, vice-president, and Luther M. Whitaker, secretary-treasurer. The affairs of the company are in a prosperous state.

The case of Monroe against Gunn, over the ownership of a bicycle, was tried on appeal, before Judge McCormick in the Elizabeth court, yesterday morning. Charles H. Angleman represented the plaintiff and Paul Q. Oliver the defendant. Judge McCormick reserved his decision for one week.

Mrs. Margaret McCaferty died at the home of her sister, Mrs. William Gallison, on North avenue, Tuesday night, of bright's disease. The home of the deceased was in New York city. She leaves a husband and two young children. The body will be sent to New York where the funeral will take place tomorrow.

Fireside Council, No. 715, Royal Arcanum, celebrates the 20th anniversary of the order by an entertainment in Arcanum Hall this evening, commencing at 8:30 o'clock. From 8 o'clock until 8:30 there will be a business meeting, after which the guests will be entertained in royal fashion. Refreshments will be served.

The Grace church property was sold under mortgage foreclosure proceedings by Sheriff Kyte at Elizabeth yesterday. The Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company, of Elizabeth, which held the mortgage, was the buyer, and the price was $1,500, the amount of the mortgage. Some arrangements will probably be entered into between the insurance company and St. Paul's church corporation, by which the latter will be enabled to use the Grace church edifice as a place of worship.

George H. Willey, manager of Stillman Music Hall, is expected to return to this city today from Manchester, N. H., to prepare for the production of Fitz and Webster's "A Breezy Time," with which Stillman Music Hall will open the season August 17th.

IF TROUBLED WITH CORNS

Soft or hard, calloused skin or warts, use "ALLEN'S ROYAL CORN CURE" at stores or by mail, 15c. This reliable and certain cure is well known about here and elsewhere, as dealers will state, and a trial is recommended. Satisfaction guaranteed or money returned. Use Royal Borated and Carbolated Talcum at 10c., and Royal Tooth Powder at 10c. and 25c., and you use the best skill can compound and money procure. All stores.

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Advertised Letters.

Plainfield June 21st, 1897.

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Randolph Runyon,

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Residence, Over Office — Office 43 Somerset St., Plainfield, N. J.

MARRIED.

FULLER—GARDNER—At the residence of the bride's father, William E. Gardner, No. 998 Arlington avenue, Plainfield, N. J., June 23d, 1897, by the Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph D., Mr. Joseph Floyd Tracy Fuller, and Miss Cora Earl Gardner, both of this city.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

FOR a quick buyer; choice building lot at Netherwood, about half acre, only four hundred cash. Ira L. LaRue, Marsh building. 6 24 2

SITUATION wanted by a girl for general housework, or chambermaid and waitress. Apply Mrs. A. W. Haviland, 26 Rockview Ave.

GIRL wanted for general housework. Apply at 653 West Seventh St.

WANTED—Strong youth for heavy work, and care of horses. M. B. Strong, Care Press.

REFINED French family has rooms to let with excellent board; (cuisine francaise,) $6.00 and $7.00 per week, oppurtunity to study the language. 167 Duer St.

WANTED—Teaching, exercise and dinner for invalid girl of 18 years, about 5 hours a day, at some place on the outskirts of Plainfield. She must have constant attention. Address, stating terms per day, "Good Care," Care Press. 6 24 2

OFFICE to let in Schwed building, next First National Bank. Elston M. French, 24 Somerset St. 6 23 6

WANTED—Girls well recommended to work on kid gloves. Call or address H. Texier, 47 Chatham St. after 7 p. m. or all day at Washingtonville glove factory. 6 22 e o d 3

NICELY furnished rooms without board; at, 465 West Front St. 6 22 3

$125.00 cash buys stock and fixtures of paying business. Moffett & Mundy. 6 22 3

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One Moment You.. Are in Your Office

the next you are in Chicago or Boston or Washington, as the case may be, where you talk with a correspondent for some minutes, and a second later you are back in your office, which, in fact, you have never left. When you can do this by Telephone, why travel or telegraph or write?

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AT RANDOLPH'S

Requisites for Summer Comforts.

Randolph's Pure Palm Oil Soap, 10c. per cake, 3 for 25c. A Superior Family Soap.

Bath Sponges, Bath Brushes, Sea Salt, &c., &c.

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143 WEST FRONT STREET. TELEPHONE CALL 109.

Plainfield's Busiest Store.

We sell goods cheaper than any Plainfield store.

It is Well to Remember

That the production of merchandise far outstrips its consumption. This will go far towards explaining the apparent modesty of prices on many seasonable goods. Hardly a day passes but what we have shown to us some special things that the manufacturer is overstocked—he needs money and the goods are offered to us in many cases at less than the cost of production. It's a wise loss for the maker, a good purchase for us, and a big bargain benefit for you.

TAKE WASH GOODS

There never was a season known when the wholesale market has been so glutted with thin, cool, dainty summer fabrics. The result is a price break.

Yard-wide Percales	5c
Fine Dimities	6c
Fine dress Ginghams	6c
French Jackonets	10c
Pretty Challies	10c
Lace stripe Gingham	12c
Fine Organdies	12c
Mixed Bicycle Suiting	10c

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR.

The continued cool weather makes it imperative that makers should sell now, and to unload quick they sell at a loss. Values will surprise you here.

Ribbed Vests	7c
Lisle finish vests	10c
Silk trimmed vests	15c
Fine lisle vests	25c
Silk vests	50c

DRESS GOODS.

Much of the loss caused by these reductions we take ourselves—its clearing time in this department, and we must have shelf room. If its dress goods you save money by buying here.

40-in black and blue Etima cloth	25c
54-in all-wool Cloth	39c
40-in all-wool Cashmere	33c
54-in silk and wool Mixture	49c
54-in all wool Bicycle Suiting	49c

HOSIERY.

Business bringing items these, all bought for a quick sale. Fix your hosiery thoughts on this store—we sell nothing but what will wear and give satisfaction.

Ladies' hose, extra fine quality	14c
Ladies' lisle hose, very fine	25c
Children's plain hose, fine quality	15c
Boy's bicycle hose, double sole knee	15c
Men's fine black half hose	13c
Men's fancy colored hose, value 35c a pair, our price	18c.

BIG WEEK AMONG THE MATTINGS.

Not a word of argument, simply the cold facts in the shape of description and prices—by yard or roll, it matters not which—there will be a lot of cool matting sold in this store during the next few days.

20-yd rolls of fine Jap Matting	$2.48 the roll
Extra fine linen warp matting	20c. yd
Extra heavy China Matting, worth 25c., goes for	15c
Special low prices in all-wool Art Squares.	

MEN'S OUTING SHIRTS.

Another prominent manufacturer over estimated his output or underestimated the uncertainty of the climate. Result, the consumer gets a buying benefit such as is seldom met with.

Fine Outing Shirts made of fine cheviot, full size	32c
Fine Cambric Shirts made of best percale, laundried	48c
Silk Stripe Madras Cloth Shirts, worth $1	59c
Boys' Laundried Cambric Shirts	39c

MANY LITTLE THINGS.

At a little price, but the saved pennies here and there count.

Summer corsets	39c
All linen doylies	41c. doz
Extra large Turkish towels	10c
4 button chamois gloves	67c
Best quality percaline lining	10c
Pretty figured denims	13c yd
New Japanese drapery	10c
Curtain nets for sash curtains	11c
Fine embroideries	5c
Hot water bags	49c

EDWARD WHITE.

CLOSING OUT

Baby Carriages

Discount 20 per cent.

GARRET Q. PACKER,

301-303 West Front Street.

Special Notice.

We have just received word that Messrs. Woolston & Buckle, owners of our building, that they commence to rebuild, and we must close our sale in 12 days.

Balance of Stock on Hand Must Be Sold Regardless of Price.

H. WERNER.

Willetts' Park Shoe 107 Avenue Shop

Ladies' Russet and Black Oxfords.

Ladies' Ox-blood Lace Shoes, $2.00 & $3.00.

Sarah J. Shoes,

Hand Turned Common Sense and Gents' Hanan Shoe.

P. S.—Don't forget your vacation shoes.

A. WILLETT & SON,

NO. 107 PARK AVENUE.

STRAYED—On June 2d, liver and white Pointer Dog, answers to the name of "Alex." Reward. F. C. Phoebus, City. 6 5 tf

$15,000 to loan on mortgage in sums of $100 or more. Clarence Murphy, attorney, Schwed building. 6 16 tf

PIERCE cycle academy Watchung Ave. to let; for balls and all other entertainments. For terms, apply to agent, Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung Ave. 6 21 6

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

AN EPISODE.

I.

She pours the tea and as her hand
Above the dainty china lingers
I raise my own right hand aloft
And seize upon the jeweled fingers.

II.

"You'll break the teacup, Jack!" she cries,
And on the floor I hear it clatter;
"Oh, what care I for cups," I say,
"While you have got a heart to shatter!"

III.

"Don't break it, that's a dear," she says,
"The cup I mean," and then with laughter,
I tell her it is not her cup
But heart, her humble servant's after.

IV.

"You've broken that long since," she sighs,
"I never can forgive you, never!"
And—well! she did and now she's come
To make and pour my tea forever.
—E. C. R, in What to Eat.

THE RED HAND.

"Look! It is the sign of the Red Hand." I looked up at the ceiling and saw what appeared to be the impression of a hand that had been dipped in some red fluid.

"What is it?" I asked anxiously.

"It means that you are a marked man," said Alexis Petrovitch. "Haven't you heard of the League of the Red Hand, a particular desperate inner circle of nihilists? You must have done something to earn their vengeance. They give their victims three signs before the death sentence is put into execution, and that is plainly one of them. Twice again you will see the mysterious Red Hand, and then—well, not one in a hundred escapes."

I was attached to the British embassy at St. Petersburg, and some important information had come into my possession quite accidentally respecting a nihilist plot. This intelligence I had communicated personally by word of mouth to one of the highest and most trusted officials of the Czar. I had told nobody else, not even my very faithful friend Alexis, and the circumstances were such that it was impossible to conceive how the matter could have come to the knowledge of the society.

Every attempt was made to discover by whom and by what means the "sign" had been impressed on the ceiling, but without success. The room was a lofty one, and it was difficult to understand how the ceiling was reached. The affair was very mysterious, but the nihilist loves mystery.

I was made somewhat uncomfortable by this grim warning, but I was assured by those who professed to know the peculir methods of the league that I was in no danger until I had received the third sign. So I was not greatly alarmed for the present.

I had been offered, through my chief, an appointment in England that was in many respects superior to the one I held, but I had become greatly attached to my life in St. Petersburg, where I had made many excellent friends, and I declined. It was now proposed that I should reconsider my decision.

I did not care for it to be thought that I had shown the white feather, and, to be candid, as the days went on and I did not receive any fresh sign, I began to treat the matter lightly. Perhaps it was all a hoax, and the fact that I had made the important disclosures which had frustrated the nihilist plot was not, after all, known to that body.

One night, some ten days later, I was invited by a lady of my acquaintance to share her box at the opera. As I am passionately fond of music, and the society of this lady's family was very agreeable to me, I was glad to accept.

The opera was "Carmen," and the house was very crowded and hot. Before the last act I left the private box to smoke a cigarette in the foyer, where I expected to meet Petrovitch and other friends. There was a great crush at the buffet, and as I was raising a glass of a cooling drink to my lips my elbow was accidentally jerked by a man standing beside me, and some of the liquid was spilled over my clothes. The gentleman was profuse in his apologies, and I retired to a less crowded part of the saloon to wipe my garments dry.

As I drew out my white pocket handkerchief I noticed that it bore some red stains that I was positive were not there when I left home. I shook out its folds and held it spread out in front of me.

It was the sign of the Red Hand!

"How white you look!" said Alexis, whom I met on my way back to the box. "What is the matter?"

"I have just received the second sign," I said in a low voice.

"Good heavens," he exclaimed. "Then be advised and leave St. Petersburg at once. In your native country you may possibly escape—they may not think it worth while to follow you—but to remain here means certain death."

I became convinced that Alexis was right. It was unsafe to remain longer in Russia. When I reached home that night, I wrote two letters before I went to bed. One was a resignation of my post in St. Petersburg, and the other an acceptance of the appointment in England.

I lost no time in making all necessary arrangements for a prompt departure. One thing gave me great pleasure—Alexis had agreed to accompany me. He had long promised himself a visit to England, and this was an excellent opportunity. I was to take a rather lengthy holiday before entering on my new duties, and should be very glad of his companionship.

On the day that we set off Petrovitch and I drove down to the railway station together. As we were stepping into the conveyance an elderly man in ragged garments came forward with newspapers. I thrust one into my pocket.

We secured a railway carriage to ourselves for the journey, and were soon steaming out of the station. We sat for some time chatting, and of course the conversation was largely about the danger that was hanging over myself.

"Then you have received no third sign?" said Alexis.

"No," I replied. "The secret of my departure was, I think, well kept, and if they want to carry out their murderous designs I am afraid it will be necessary for them to follow me to England. I may consider myself safe now."

"Yes, I hope so. By the way, what do the critics say about the new play last night?"

"Here is a paper," I said, taking it from my pocket.

Petrovitch unfolded it. As he opened it out in front of him he uttered a cry of surprise and alarm and dropped it on the floor between us. He was pale and speechless.

"What is it?" I cried. "Have you read some bad news?"

"Look for yourself," he said huskily.

I snatched up the paper, and at the first glance my blood seemed to freeze. The sign of the Red Hand!

There, right across one of the two center pages, was the familiar red impress of a hand, just as it had appeared on the ceiling and on my pocket handkerchief. This, then, was the third warning, and I was now a doomed man! Any moment might bring my death.

We sat for a few moments in silence. Then Alexis said:

"I assume you are armed?"

"I have my revolver here, loaded and ready," I replied.

"And so have I. Our great danger will be between here and the frontier; I am convinced of that. We must use the utmost vigilance."

"Fortunately we have a carriage to ourselves," I said, "and the doors are both locked. We shall have to be on our guard when we leave this train."

The first part of the journey was long and tiring, and as the day wore on and night began to gather in we became sleepy and silent. Alexis curled himself up in his corner, with the collar of his fur cloak pulled up over his eyes, and dozed. As I sat looking at him I noticed how very similarly we were dressed. I was wearing a cloak and a hat very closely resembling his own, and, muffled up as we were, it would have been difficult for a stranger to have distinguished one from the other.

It was a very dark night, and, wishing to see what kind of a country we were passing through, I suddenly turned my face to the window, and, screening the light with my hand, tried to peer out in the gloom. As I pressed my nose to the glass I distinctly saw a man's face on the outside looking in. It instantly disappeared.

With one hand on my revolver I dashed down the window and looked out. The train was rushing along at a great speed, and I nearly lost my cap in the wind, but there was nobody to be seen.

"How you startled me!" cried Petrovitch. "What on earth is the matter?"

"I saw a face at the window."

"Imagination, my dear fellow, or, more, probably, your own reflection."

"No; I am positive it was neither. It was a fair man, with a beard, while I am dark, with only a moustache."

Alexis suggested we should exchange seats and let him experiment. We did so, and under my direction he imitated my movements in looking out of the window.

"It is certainly suspicious," he said. "We must be on our guard."

We did not go back to our original seats, but remained as we were. Each held his revolver in readiness. We sat thus talking for about half an hour. All the time I kept my eyes fixed on one or the other of the windows. Petrovitch was not so vigilant.

He would gaze at the glass for a few minutes, and then turn and speak to me.

Suddenly I thought I saw something moving on the side where Alexis was sitting. As I bent forward I could discern a face dimly, but right against the glass was a revolver which a hand was directing at the head of my friend.

"Down! Down for your life!" I shouted to Alexis, but the same instant there was a loud report, and the bullet, cutting a clean hole through the glass, laid poor Petrovitch along the seat.

At the same moment—indeed, I believe half a second before—I had fired my own pistol. As I peered out of the window I saw a man retreating along the footboard toward the rear of the train. Again I fired, but without result.

The train stopped, and a careful search was made, but no man at all resembling the one I had seen was to be found. He must have occupied a compartment alone, for nobody in the train, if they were to be believed, had seen any person leave a carriage while it was in motion.

Meanwhile it was found that my friend Alexis was not, as I had feared, killed, though he is, unfortunately, disfigured for life. A skillful doctor was found at the next station, and he is today hale and hearty. Probably the League of the Red Hand never knew of the blunder that resulted from our exchange of seats, and also believed that its intended vengeance on myself had been carried out to the death. The actual assassin, however, had a very narrow escape, for a cap was picked up on the line with a bullet hole in the crown. I had missed my man by less than an inch.

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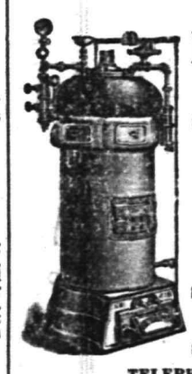
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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45,a m.(12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 3 00 3 40, 3 45,4 00,4 30,5 00,(5 15 except Saturdays)5 30,5 45 (5 00 except Saturdays) 6 10,6 50,7 00,7 30,8 00,8 30, 9 15,10 30, at 45,p.m.;12 15,1 00,night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30 4 00,5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 57, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48,9 28,10 04, 10 27, 11 10,am;12 09, 1 15, 2 07,2 29,3 12,3 51,4 48,5 32,5 54,6 40,7 03,8 30,10 17,11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28 1 45, 3 17 3 30, 5 41, 7 01 8 13 8 32 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 1b, 7 18, 7 55, 8 35, 9 03 10 05,11 35,a m;(12 15,Saturdays only)1 15,1 35,2 32 3 25, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 18, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30 11 25 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 50 Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 45,(1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11,3 32,3 35,4 36,5 03, 5 16, 5 54, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 4 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night, Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 05, 3 39 5 09, 6 36, 10 35, 7 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 7 45, 8 19 9 02, 9 48, 11 46 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 25, 4 25, 5 28,6 08 6 40,8 07,8 45, 11 05 p. m.Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53 8 05, 9 40 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46 P11, 4 56, 6 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 28, a m; 2 05, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04 7 00, p, m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 02 a m; 6 30, 10 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03,5 15 p. m.

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5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua,

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

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12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

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6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 26 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 26 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m.Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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The secret of the success of a physician is his ability to diagnose a case. If you don't know what ails you, how can you know what to do for it? The heart is the pumping station; it pumps the blood to different parts of the body. Of course it is an important matter that this blood is freed from all impurities, and the heart can't do this. Such work falls on the kidneys; hence the kidneys are called the filters. They must filter out all the uric acid that forms together with other impurities, or their delicate fibres become clogged; then comes the trouble—backache, sideache, and other aches follow; some complain of sleeplessness and lame back without fully appreciating the cause. Very often the doctors make a mistake, and say it rises from the liver or heart. This is demonstrated in Newark by a citizen, Mrs. Turnbull, who resides at No. 80 Wilsey street. She suffered with a pain in the extreme lower portion of her back, was forced to give up and lie in bed most of her time; lost all ambition from the continual pains, which seemed to exist whether in or out of bed. She could not lie on her back; the urine showed a deposite sediment, and came with a scalding sensation. She had fierce headaches. Of course Mrs. Turnbull employed a doctor. He thought her difficulty came from the heart. At any rate, right or wrong, she derived very little from his treatment. Then one day she went to Menk's drug store and got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and began taking them. This soon told the tale of her trouble, for rapid improvement followed. She was very soon cured of her complaint, and Mrs. Turnbull continues to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills, as well she may. The facts of her case, as above related, are told as she told them to our representative; 'tis easy to verify them.

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BURGLARS CONFESS.

The Assailants of Farmer Teele Acknowledge the Crime.

Boston, June 24.—Cornelius P. Hardigan, a pugilist of some repute, and William P. O'Dwyer, a compositor, both of Waltham, who are now in the Cambridge jail on the charge of robbing Charles H. Teele, a wealthy Waltham farmer, have confessed to Chief of Police McKenna of that city.

Farmer Teele was robbed at his home on the outskirts of Waltham by two men, who clubbed and gagged him, and upon his refusal to divulge the hiding place of his money, dragged him over the house and out to the barn with a rope around his neck. He was then tied securely and his clothing saturated with kerosene oil, and he was threatened with burning if he did not tell where the money was hidden. He finally directed the robbers to the hiding place, and they secured about $400.

Two days later Hardigan and another man who happened to be in Somersworth, N. H., were arrested for complicity in the murder of Cashier Stickney of the Somersworth National bank, which occurred the day they were in Somersworth.

In Hardigan's pocket at that time several articles were found which implicated him in the Teele robbery, and Mr. Teele later positively identified him as one of his assailants.

PEARY'S EXPEDITION.

Will Start For the Polar Region on July 10.

New York, June 24. — Lieutenant Peary, the arctic explorer, is in this city. The explorer intends to sail from Boston on July 10 for the north. He said:

"This present trip is simply preliminary to next year's arctic exploration, which may continue three, four or five years, with the intention of reaching the pole if possible.

"I am going now to get together an Eskimo village. It is my intention to establish a colony of ten young Eskimos, with their wives, at the farthest possible northern point.

"They will be told to have their dogs and sledges ready when I call for them next year. This will give me a start without any waiting."

In the party for the short trip this year will be Alberti Operti, the arctic artist; Professor Hitchcock of Dartmouth college, and Russell Porter of Boston, with their classes.

Lieutenant Peary said he would be away but three months this summer and would pick up the scientific parties on his return trip.

THE BIMETALLISTS.

They Have Adopted a Constitution and Claim a Name.

Cincinnati, June 24.—The bimetallic convention has adopted the constitution proposed by the committee. It provides that the name shall be the League of Ohio Valley Bimetallic clubs, to consist of clubs of Ohio, West Virginia, Kentucky and Indiana. The object shall be to encourage and assist in the formation of bimetallic clubs for organized work in advocating the principle of the free coinage of silver and gold upon equal terms.

The officers will be a president, four vice presidents, a secretary and a treasurer. Clubs joining the league are to pay an initiation fee of $1. The league pledges itself to not influence any political convention except in the matter of bimetallism and to not favor any political candidate. An invitation to hold the next meeting at Indianapolis was received and filed.

Veterans Wrongfully Dismissed.

Washington, June 24.—Assistant Secretary Vanderlip has returned from Philadelphia, where he went last Monday to investigate the claims to reinstatement of a number of old soldiers who were dismissed from the government mint in 1894 for alleged partisan reasons. The assistant secretary heard the statements of the old soldiers and came to the conclusion that many of them were wrongfully dismissed. The matter was left for the present in the hands of Superintendent Kretz, who will select about 20 of the least efficient of his present force for dismissal in order that about that number of old soldiers may be reinstated.

Fast Freight Strikes Express.

Woodbury, N. J., June 24.—The Cape May express on the West Jersey and Seashore railroad was run into by the Maurice River fast freight. The rear car of the express was telescoped, but none of the occupants was seriously injured. Four of them were slightly cut about the head and face, and a fifth, Rev. A. M. Spooner of Camden, had two fingers almost cut off. The express train had been delayed near a curve by a hot journal, and before the freight could be flagged it came around the curve and dashed into the express.

Collector Kilbreth Dead.

New York, June 24.—James T. Kilbreth, collector of the port of New York, died last night at Southampton. He had been ill for some time past with pneumonia, and his condition had been very serious on several occasions, but he seemed always to rally. Yesterday afternoon he began very perceptibly to sink. At 5:30 o'clock the attending physicians gave up hope, and an hour later Mr. Kilbreth died. His family was at his bedsire when death occurred.

Running Fight With Burglars.

Cleveland, June 24.—A running fight between villagers and burglars occurred at Falls Junction. The burglars broke into the office of the Austin Powder company and blew open the safe. The residents heard the explosion and arming themselves with shotguns opened fire upon them. Dozens of shots were exchanged, and the burglars finally escaped by taking horses from a neighboring pasture. One of the burglars was badly wounded, but escaped.

President Denies an Interview.

Washington, June 24.—The alleged interview with President McKinley, published in the London Daily Graphic and cabled back to this country, is denied on the authority of Mr. McKinley. The president had no such interview and says it is a pure fabrication.

Attachment Against a Cycle Company.

New York, June 24.—Another attachment has been received against the Worcester Cycle company in favor of J. Joseph Bennett for $21,825, balance due on a note dated April 6.

BUSHNELL IS NAMED.

The Ohio Republicans Renominate Him For Governor.

JONES IS AGAIN ON THE TICKET.

After the Fight Over Party Control Was Settled the Buckeye State Convention Was Entirely Harmonious—The Leaders Now at Peace.

Toledo, June 24. — The Republican state convention has renominated Asa S. Bushnell for governor of Ohio. The nomination was made by acclamation and was in accordance with Mr. Hanna's plans.

Asa Jones was renominated for lieutenant governor.

J. F. Burkett was renominated for justice of the supreme court and Frank S. Monett for attorney general.

The other nominations were: For state treasurer, S. B. Campbell of Steubenville; for school commissioner, L. D. Bonebrake of Mount Vernon; member of board of public works, C. A. Goddard of Portsmouth.

The Kurtz men, in the contest for the party organization, realized at last that they were overwhelmingly defeated, and they announced the withdrawal of C. L. Kurtz from the race for the state chairmanship. At the same time Governor Bushnell receded from his determination not to accept a renomination and announced that he would accept.

The result of the district meetings made this course necessary, for the Kurtz-Bushnell contingent captured only 4 of the 21 committeemen. Such an overwhelming defeat was never before received by either faction and indicates conclusively that Senator Hanna is in the saddle and has beaten down all opposition.

The Platform.

In the convention a platform was adopted expressing great sympathy for the Cubans and confidence in President McKinley's ability to handle the question. As to civil service, the platform disapproves of ex-President Cleveland's interpretation of it. In conclusion, it reaffirms belief in gold and tariff.

Senator Hanna returned to Cleveland yeterday afternoon and will soon be back in Washington. Governor Bushnell remained here until today. The two leaders had a friendly meeting before separating, and it is understood that they have reached an agreement on the organization of the state executive committee.

The feature of the convention was the speech of Senator Hanna. Governor Bushnell, Lieutenant Governor Jones, General Grosvenor and others who spoke had been frequently heard, but Senator Hanna was not known before in his own state as an orator, although he had been for years recognized as a leader in the management and organization. His delivery was eloquent and forcible, and he captured the convention by his commanding oratory.

Free Silver Republicans.

Des Moines, June 24.—The free silver Republicans had little trouble in agreeing. A resolution was adopted agreeing to use the name Democratic for the fusion ticket this year on account of the antifusion law. The conference committee on fusion was headed by Judge Spurrier, who wants a free silver Republican for governor. Each party adopts a separate platform. There was a red hot fight in the Populist convention over fusion. The middle of the road men object to being swallowed by the Democrats and will fight and bolt, they say.

Threatened Assassination.

Leavenworth, Kan., June 24.—The guards at Fort Leavenworth have been doubled as a result of the receipt of several anonymous letters by Colonel H. S. Hawkins of the Twentieth infantry, commandant of the garrison, warning him he was to be assassinated. An order was issued forbidding any soldier to leave the garrison. No trouble occurred. It is said that a dishonorably discharged soldier wrote the letters and that efforts are being made to apprehend him. The post is much worked up over the matter.

Mob Beats a Colored Preacher.

Little Rock, June 24.—It has transpired from the sworn statement made by the conductor of the negro Normal school at Lonoke, Ark., during an investigation being made by the attorney general and state superintendent of public instruction that a mob of drunken white men several days ago broke down the doors of that institution, demolished the furniture and took Professor D. T. Watson, a colored teacher, into the woods and beat him in a merciless manner.

Immigration Decreasing.

Washington, June 24.—Reports received by Commissioner General Stump of the immigration bureau show that the number of immigrants that arrived in this country during the 11 months ended May 3, was 210,271. This is a decrease as compared with the same period last year of 105,038. The commissioner general said that, in his opinion, the reduction during the whole fiscal year will reach 120,000.

Young Physician Drowned.

Clayton, N. Y., June 24.—Dr. Noble P. Joynor, a young physician of this place, was accidentally drowned while returning from a professional visit to Grindstone island, about two miles from Clayton. He was in a skiff with a sail up. A puff of wind swamped the boat, and he went down in about 10 feet of water. A young man named Burgess, who was in the boat with him, was saved.

Hat Factory Burned.

South Norwalk, Conn., June 24.—Fire broke out in the elevator shaft of the South Norwalk Hat Forming company and did damage estimated to be at least $10,000. The second floor of the factory was gutted, and seven intricate and valuable pieces of machinery were ruined. Origin unknown.

Japanese Cruiser at San Francisco.

San Francisco, June 24.—The Japanese cruiser Hiyie, now used as a training ship, has arrived here and will remain in port several weeks before sailing for Honolulu. The vessel was received with the customary salutes.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 4:29 a. m.
Sun Sets: 7:35 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 8:35 p. m.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Naegle.)

Occasional Showers Tonight and Friday; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 88 Degrees.

GOSSIP OF THE CYCLERS.

TEMS INTERESTING TO DEVOTEES OF THE STEEL STEEDS.

The Popular Exercise Provides Incidents and Expressions That are of Especial Moment When Wheeling is the Rage.

William H. Rogers, the North avenue bicycle dealer, has returned from a two days' visit at the Spalding bicycle factory, Chicopee Falls, Mass. Mr. Rogers brought home a new stock of Spalding wheels.

The roads from Plainfield to Asbury Park are now in fine condition except for a short distance through New Brunswick. Last year they were improved by the use of macadam in places and now are better than ever before. The boulevard between Long Branch and Asbury Park is as smooth as a floor and a perfect paradise for wheelmen.

AROUND THE BASES.

The crowd that turned out last week to see the Crescents play baseball was the largest that has yet come out for a game. There were a number of ladies among the number and they were well provided for on the special stand for them near third base. A big crowd is expected for Saturday.

Perth Amboy is a place famous for good baseball players, and the best team from that city has been secured to play against the Crescents Saturday. They are the Unions and have a reputation of being rattling ball players. They met the Woodbridge "Browns" some time ago and a game was played that will be remembered by those that saw it until they forget all about the game itself.

There will be two of the men who played on the Crescent team last Saturday afternoon absent in the game with the Unions, of Amboy, Saturday. Townley and Sutphen have both been released and new men will fill their places. Ed Erickson will go to right field, while the man to fill the position of short stop has not yet been decided upon definitely. It will probably be either Parrott, last season's captain of the Rutgers 'varsity team, or George Schoonmaker, who has recovered sufficiently from his recent accident as to be able to play. From the game that Townley and Sutphen played last week it was evident that both were in poor form.

TOOK HER SHOPPING BAG.

Miss Mary Demler, of Washingtonville, Met with an Unpleasant Adventure.

Miss Mary Demler, of Washingtonville, visited New York last Monday on a shopping tour. While in Ludwig, Baumann & Company's store, on 14th street, where she was making a number of different purchases, she laid down her shopping bag to look at some goods.

During the few minutes in which it lay on the chair, which was not over over five or six feet away from her during the whole time, she didn't take her attention from it more than a minute, but when she turned to look for t she found that some one had taken it.

It contained all the purchases she had made during the morning, also her pocketbook, with considerable money in it and her railroad ticket, altogether amounting to quite a neat little sum. She notified the proprietors of the store at once but, although they had their private detectives search for it, no trace could be found of the thief.

Miss Demler was compelled to borrow enough money to pay her way back to Plainfield.

Ensign Dyer and the Central Singing Brigade, of the Salvation Army, will have charge of the men's meeting in Y. M. C. A. Hall, Sunday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock.

JUNIORS' OUTWITTED.

SENIORS CAME AT NIGHT AND STOLE THEIR FLAG AWAY.

The Usual Rivalry Between the Highest Classes at the Plainfield High School Was Apparent—Both Claim the Victory.

For the last three years it has been the custom among the Juniors of the Plainfield High School to attempt to hoist their colors over the High School building or in some conspicuous place about the building, and the Seniors each year have felt it their duty to defeat such a scheme and raise the colors of the graduating class instead. The result has been a friendly rivalry between the two classes.

This year the Juniors planned to follow the example of their predecessors and put blue and gold, their colors, in a prominent position. So several of them hung around the building and under the direction of their president, Henry W. Brower, and Ray T. Snodgrass, a blue and gold flag was hung on the highest gable of the school house. Then the Juniors departed satisfied.

There are only four boys in the Senior class, but their president, Sidney R. Titsworth, is worth a dozen. He saw the flag and rallied his forces. At night they carried away the Junior flag and placed the colors of '97, blue and white, on the highest point of the building, the lightning rod on the tower. Another flag of the same colors was hoisted on the flag pole, but it was taken down this morning by Janitor Clarkson.

The young women of the Senior class had prepared a green banner, labeled "'98. Infants. Freaks." which was hung from the front window this morning. The Juniors promptly tore it down and also captured a '97 flag from Assembly Hall and proceeded to divide the flags into souvenirs. The banners were rescued by the Seniors, who retaliated by tearing up the Junior flag taken the night before. The remains of the latter were divided between Seniors and Juniors.

Of course, there were no lessons at the High School today, and all that was done was to read off the list of graduates and promotions in the class rooms. Special exercises were held in Assembly Hall in the morning which were attended by a number of the alumni and friends of the school. There was singing, and a few remarks by Superintendent Maxson and Principal Travell.

The excitement between the Seniors and Juniors was continued after school and both classes claim the victory.

UP THE HUDSON.

Dorcas Circle Enjoyed Its Annual Outing Yesterday.

One of the reasons for the great success of the Dorcas Circle of King's Daughters has been the happy way in which its social features have been combined with the regular work of the Circle. Yesterday, the members of the Circle enjoyed their annual excursion.

At an early hour, they went to New York and took the day boat up the Hudson river. Landing at West Point, they spent several hours walking and driving around that charming place. The first drill of the plebes was witnessed and they were duly sympathized with, and then the other attractions of the place were seen.

Lunch was eaten on the rocks along Flirtation Path. The party returned by the down day boat and the trip was as delightful as the other one. The preparations for the college race were watched and the U. S. S. "Maine" was also seen.

Sociability reigned and everybody had a good time. The party was chaperoned by Mrs. F. S. Green, Mrs. B. O. Bowers, Mrs. John M. Crane and Mrs. T. F. Swayze. The other members of the party were Mrs. Samuel Clark, the Misses Crane, Lowrie, Patten, Murray, Bowers, Little, Powers, Lela Powers, Green, Swayze, Brown and Maltby, of Plainfield; Miss Werner, of Newark; Miss Langdon and Miss Millie Langdon, of New York.

P. B. Matthews, of Grove street, rode back from Seabright on his wheel yesterday afternoon. Early this morning he left again on his wheel for Seabright to spend the remainder of the week.

THE KING OF GREECE.

ASCENDED THE THRONE WHEN A BOY OF SEVENTEEN YEARS.

The Greeks Have Desired Him to Abdicate and Allow Prince Constantinos to Reign Instead—The Second Son, Sailor George, a Strong Character.

Three and thirty years ago a picturesque scene was enacted in the Danish capital. A deputation of Greeks—we ought to call them Hellenes, but we do not—a deputation of Greeks demanded an audience of Frederick VII, the old King of Denmark, and asked leave to offer their country's crown to his great-nephew, George of Schleswig-Holstein. For reply the monarch turned to the handsome stripling who stood expectant by and bade him take his place beside him on the dais, saluting him as his brother sovereign. Four months passed, and the youth of seventeen was proclaimed King at Athens, England, France and Russia being his sponsors. Boy in years though he might be, the impatient Greeks asserted he was man enough for them, and before the end of the month they declared him of age, finally placing the reins of government in his hands on the last day of October, 1863. Fourteen days more were then told off, and the aged Frederick died, leaving his own throne free for King Christian, the father of the new Greek King, this forming perhaps the solitary instance of a son being an older sovereign than his parent.

Having watched him carefully through the first four years of his reign, Russia, by a clever stroke of policy, which caused some stir at the time, secured the young monarch's hand for one of her Grandduchesses, Olga Constantinovana, her family considering that the imperial bride's value was greatly increased by the fact that she was only fifteen years of age at the time of her marriage. King George, who did everything early in life, became a father when he was only twenty-two, and within eleven months his little bride had presented him with a second son, the magnificent young giant, George, hero of the present hour. The gift of a series of stalwart Princes was hailed with as much satisfaction as the Ionian Islands, that other present which the Prince from the north bestowed upon his new subjects. Their King was a Lutheran, a foreigner,, and not skilled in their native tongue; but his boys were born on the soil, and there was a promise that not only should they be Orthodox, but that the first lisping of their baby mouths should be Greek. In consideration of this, as time passed they almost, never quite, consented to forgive their sovereign for being a stranger. They have demanded that he should abdicate in favor of his son a score of times in as many years, it is true; still, when he replied that he would do so with pleasure, but that it would be to the detriment of all concerned, they have gone home in peace, consenting to put up for a little longer with the man who has increased the area of their country by one-third and won for them a leading place among the secondary Powers of Europe.

Should the King abdicate his successor would of course be the Duke of Sparta, more commonly known in Athens as Prince Constantinos. Many people, not perhaps excluding the Crown Prince himself, would prefer the Athleticos Prinkyes, George. However, even Greece, who passes her days in doing strange things, would hardly venture on such an innovation as that. Moreover, you cannot be both Nelson and a King, and sailor George means to be Nelson, find a Napoleon where he may. In alluding to a preference for the younger brother it is by no means insinuated that the Crown Prince is unpopular. He is admired, liked and respected, as he well deserves, but he is somewhat silent and retiring.

King George, a true constitutional sovereign, wants to follow rather than to lead his people, but he will not follow to their destruction. As has happened before, he will pull his team up on the edge of the precipice—if they will let him. The Crown Prince, farsighted, level-headed and wary, is one degree more cautious than his father, and will advise keeping a little, just a little, further away from the abyss. Prince George, who is neither Greek nor Russian, but an ancient Viking, pure and simple, looks impatiently at his seniors and tugs at the lace on his sleeve, yearning as did his forbears to seize on some Normandy or some Anglia or to take his Long Serpent up any and every navigable river within his reach, and what, he would say, is beyond the reach of a man with a stout heart and a strong arm? Prince Nicholas and Prince Andreas ask only to be allowed to go wherever George will take them.—Pall Mall Gazette.

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Taking No Chances.

There used to be a peculiar old justice of the peace in Vevay, Ind., down near the Ohio river, who entertained very queer notions concerning court procedure. On one occasion, after all the evidence was in and the plaintiff's attorney had made an elaborate argument, the defendant's attorney arose to begin his plea.

"Hold on there," exclaimed the Court. "I don't believe I can let you proceed, Mr. Smith. I have a very clear idea now of the guilt of the prisoner at the bar, and anything from you at this time would have a tendency to confuse the Court. I know the man is guilty now, and I don't want to take any chances."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Saving Time.

A Paris shopkeeper wrote to one of his customers as follows:

"I am able to offer you cloth like the inclosed sample at nine francs the metre. In case I do not hear from you, I shall conclude that you wish to pay only eight francs a metre. In order to lose no time, I accept the last-mentioned price."

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DANCED IN HONOR OF '97

PLAINFIELD HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI RECEPTION WAS A SUCCESS.

Although the Night Was Warm, the Three Hundred Guests Danced Away the Evening—List of the Most Prominent Ones.

The social event of the school year of the Plainfield High School is the reception to the graduating class. Last evening the Casino was the scene of the reception to the class of '97, of the Plainfield High School, tendered by the classes of '95 and '96. About three hundred of the alumni and friends of the graduates were present. The reception was held after the commencement exercises, so that it was nearly 11 o'clock when the orchestra struck up the grand march that opened the reception. Then followed two step, waltz and lanciers until 2 o'clock with an intermission for the serving of refreshments.

The reception was pronounced a complete success by all who attended, though the night was an exceedingly warm one and collars melted with unpleasant frequency. The members of the Board of Education, President Merrill E. Gates, of Amherst College, who was the speaker of the evening at the commencement, Superintendent H. M. Maxson, Principal I. W. Travell, of the High School, and several of the teachers attended and remained during the first part of the evening. Many of the preceding classes were represented.

Blue and white, the colors of '97, were used in the decoration of the balcony, while American flags were tastefully draped about the walls. Small flags were used to decorate the electric light fixtures on the walls. A rustic scene was shown on the stage, where the orchestra sat, half hidden in a bower of palms and other potted plants.

The finance committee had general charge of the reception and looked after the welfare of the guests. The committees by whom the reception was arranged were as follows: Finance, Charles B. Morse, '95, chairman; John V. Beekman, Jr., '95, Henry B. Drake, '95; Henry Eggerding, '96, Charles M. Dolliver, '96, Raymond Carroll, '96; (that committee also looked after the caterer and Casino); music order, Miss Mary Hull, '96, Miss Grace E. Overton, '96; printing, Charles B. Morse, '95, Edward O. Clark, '95; decoration, Miss Grace E. Overton, '96, chairman; Wilbur F. Cornwell, '96, John V. Beekman, Jr., '95, Geo. A. Horne, '95, Miss Clyde Burnett, '96.

NO OCCASION FOR ALARM.

Every Precaution Has Been Taken and the Epidemic is Very Light.

It seems only fair and just that something should be said concerning the present condition of the scarlet fever epidemic which has appeared in this city. The Board of Health has succeeded in getting control of the disease, and the number of cases in the city at present need not alarm anyone. The unwise and unwarranted publicity given by certain ones to the affair has in no small measure injured the trade of certain merchants who cannot well afford to lose money. This is just the season when business is apt to be quiet, and any further loss would be disastrous. It can safely be said that at present there is no danger in the city. There is not a business man in Plainfield today but what has felt the recent scare, and in justice to the merchants it is best that they be set right before the people at large. Every precaution has been taken, and people can buy from any and all merchants with perfect safety. The various hotels and boarding houses in this city and vicinity are all perfectly safe, and anyone who has contemplated coming to Plainfield for the summer should not feel alarmed in the least.

Franklin's New Officers.

At the meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., held last evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing six months:—Junior past councilor, L. D. Townley; councilor, Arthur G. Adams; vice-councilor, Theodore F. Currin; recording secretary, Horace G. Adams; assistant recording secretary, H. Holder; financial secretary, Theodore Kurzhals, Jr.; treasurer, Peter T. Bogart; conductor, George Townley; inside sentinel, Geo. White; outside sentinel, Henry Palmer; trustee, eighteen months, Thomas E. Currin; warden, Howard E. Bennett.

To Introduce Pastor's Wife.

Mrs. John L. Clapp is giving an informal tea this afternon from 4 to 6, at her home, on Mercer avenue, to introduce Mrs. R. V. K. Harris, wife of Rev. R. V. K. Harris, rector of the Church of the Redeemer, to the members of the congregation of that church.

—Trunks are selling at Doane & Edsall's cheaper than in New York.

HELD A PRIOR CLAIM.

DR. WOOD'S OTHER CREDITORS WERE THUS DISAPPOINTED.

Today, Dr. Wood's Household Goods Were Sold to Satisfy the Chattel Mortgage Held by Ludwig, Baumann and Company.

Something in the nature of a surprise was experienced by several local men last week. It will be remembered that Dr. J. D. Waod, who lived at 144 Crecent avenue, left town rather suddenly and his creditors sorrowed greatly thereat. He asked for time and promised to settle everything as soon as possible. His house still remained open, however, and the creditors contented themselves with watching the house to see that nothing was carried away.

Finally, it was alleged that the servants were carefully making away with the portable articles and were taking them to parts unknown. Then the creditors came down on the Wood mansion like wolves on the fold and five attachments were issued on the household goods, whereas the creditors felt fairly secure. A constable was placed in charge to see that nothing was taken away.

Then the creditors heard from Dr. Wood and he asked for time to settle, pleading that it was impossible for him to do so at present. A few days went by and then it was understood that the goods should be sold to satisfy the attachments.

They were not sold with that object for peculiar reasons. The interference did not come from the doctor, but from an entire new factor in the matter. Ludwig, Baumann and Company, of New York, held a chattel mortgage on all the household goods, and they instructed their lawyer, City Judge DeMeza, to serve the required notices and sell the goods. The mortgage had a prior claim on the goods and the holders of the attachments were considerably surprised to find that their action had come to naught.

This morning the last scene in this comedy was played, and the goods were sold by Constable Mattox to satisfy the mortgage. The sale took place at the house on Crescent avenue. The goods were purchased by New York parties. Dr. Wood has not appeared in Plainfield as yet, although the creditors are waiting for him.

CHILDREN'S SUMMER CAMP.

It Will Be Opened on the Mountains Tomorrow Afternoon.

Up on the mountains, on Johnston's drive, there stands a little cottage. The trees have been cut away from in front of it and a fine view of Plainfield and vicinity can be had. That cottage is the Children's Summer Camp, which is to be opened by the City Union of King's Daughters, tomorrow afternoon. Last year it was built by some of Plainfield's carpenters who donated their services for the good of the cause, and this year it has been repaired and improved and will be opened to the public tomorrow afternoon An informal reception will be held at that time to which all are invited. Special stages will connect with the Somerset street end of the trolley line for the convenience of the guests.

THESE WERE HORSE THIEVES.

Stable in Westfield Broken Open—Attempt to Steal a Trotter

Thieves broke into the barn of George W. Wrennick, on Broad street, Westfield, early yesterday morning, and carried off considerable plunder.

Among the missing articles are a whip, two blankets and two sets of harness. The value of the stolen goods is valued at about $100.

Indications are that the thieves were attempting to remove Mr. Wrennick's horse from the barn, but were frightened, and left hastily.

Wrennick is the owner of a large orange grove in Florida, and has a finely appointed stable.

Complaint Against the Dog Catcher.

Complaint has reached this office against Oscar Vaughn, the borough dog catcher. It is alleged that a few days ago he seized a small dog on Fairview avenue owned by a family residing on that avenue, and when the little dog showed an inclination to remain near his home, it is said that Vaughn grasped the canine about the throat and threw him on the ground. One or two persons saw the affair and remonstrated with the dog catcher, but it is said that he paid no attention to the remonstrance. Something more is likely to be heard concerning the affair in a short time.

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—The Queen Esther Band, of Grace M. E. church, will hold a "Rainbow Festival" this evening on the lawn adjoining the church. The members of the band have been working very hard for a long time to make the affair a success, and they should be rewarded by a large attendanee.

THE CULMINATION OF THE HIGH SCHOOL LIFE.

Commencement Exercises of the Plainfield and North Plainfield High Schools Held Last Evening.

Twenty Young Men and Women Bid Adieu to the Plainfield High School—Address by President Gates, of Amherst.

Four years of hard study have ended for the members of the class of '97 of the Plainfield High School, and the class now exists only in the memory of those who worked so earnestly and faithfully for the event that took place last evening. The twenty young people who composed that class are still here, but they have bid farewell to school days and gone forth into the world, some to continue their studies at college and university, and others to learn from experience in the greatest school of all—the school of life.

Last night the commencement exercises were held in Music Hall before a large and warm audience. The weather was of the proverbial commencement kind, warm and humid, and the many fans all over the hall kept time to the music that at intervals floated through the auditorium.

On the left of the stage were the members of the Board of Education, Superintendent H. M. Maxson, Principal I. W. Travell, and the speaker of the evening, Merrill E. Gates, LL D, president of Amherst College. The graduating class, twenty in all, of which but four were young men, marched in at the opening of the exercises and took seats in a semi-circle around the rest of the stage. The young women in front in their lovely white gowns, contrasted strongly with the sombre black of the dress suits of the young men of the class. The faces of the graduates were bright and energetic and showed in them the characteristics of the young men and young women of the coming century, who are to take the leading hand in the management of this great republic.

After the graduates were seated the scenery in the back parted and revealed the chorus of High School pupils, sitting tier above tier; a pretty sight to the audience. The first selection was by the orchestra, "Rousamunde," and then the chorus sang "March, the Men of Columbia," and "Now the Day is Over." Charles L. Lewis led them, while Miss Mabel Maxson acted as accompanist. The many voices, sixty in all, blended very harmoniously together with pleasing effect. The chorus was a new feature for the commencement, and altogether it seemed to find general favor.

The invocation was asked by Rev. W. C. O'Donnell, Ph. D. Then another selection, "The Geisha," by the orchestra followed. Dr. Probasco, president of the Board, who acted as master of ceremonies, next introduced Miss Saran Edwards Schuyler, the salutatorian, who gave her salutatory and essay in Latin. While there were many in the audience whose knowledge of the language of the ancient Romans did not admit their understanding of it, those who could pronounced it well written. "Zenda," by the orchestra, followed, after which Dr. Gates was introduced.

Dr. Gates' subject was "Patriotism in Time of Peace." After several glowing compliments to the patriotism of New Jersey and her citizens, he talked of patriotism itself. Love of one country, he said, did not mean the hatred of all the rest. He referred to the intimate connection of the history of this country to that of all the nations of Europe. The United States, he said, had passed the self-conscious age and was beginning to enjoy the delights of old age. He spoke of the thorough reunion of the country since the Civil War and illustrated his remarks with several little anecdotes.

He referred to the things that made this country so united and hence so great in the eyes of the world. It was due to a common language, the modern methods of travel and communication that so easily connected the uttermost limits of the country, and to the strong central government. Everybody is a citizen and is entitled to the same rights, but they must all perform certain obligations. Some wish that the government might run itself and leave them to make money. The ideal state of government would not be reached if an absolute monarch of perfect intelligence were to rule. Men would then become mere puppits.

One principal of the government he characterized as making men realize that everyone was his equal. By following this policy, the trouble between capital and labor could be averted. He talked of the debasement of manhood, especially by the bribery that is now used in politics to

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The Closing of the First Year of the North Plainfield High School Was an Auspicious One—Prominent Speakers.

The first graduating exercises of the North Plainfield Public High School, held last evening in the Y. M. C. A. building, were a triumph in every particular. and it can truthfully be said that never before in the history of the school has the department of education received such notable distinction, both at the hands of State Superintendent Baxter, and County Superintendent Rev. James A. Mets. The remarkable progress made by this school during the past year is the admiration and respect of all interested in educational matters, and it has surprised in no small measure those who are at the head of New Jersey's Public School system. During the year the school has received the distinction of being placed on the approved list which is a well earned honor.

The attractive Y. M. C. A. hall never looked prettier than it did last evening. The prevailing colors were red, and this color was arranged so as to produce an exceedingly pretty effect. On the platform there was a display of daisies, red bunting, pretty rugs and banquet lamps, while at one corner was arranged a door which was used for an entrance. On one side was the inscription, "Class of '97. In Limine Primo." The latter part of the above is the class motto, "At the Threshold." On the other side were the words "Closed until '98." Surrounding the door was a profusion of daisies. In the main part of the hall there was an arrangement of red bunting, while the American flag occupied a prominent position. On either side of the gallery were placed the four banners of the classes of 1898, 1899, 1900 and 1901.

The profusion of red gave the hall an appearance that was cheerful and attractive. At the proper time President S. St. John McCutchen, the members of the Board of Education, Superintendent A. D. Warde, and Miss Glass, Miss Petrie, Miss Crowther, Miss Mann, teachers of the High School, took seats on the platform. After a very earnest prayer by Rev H. J. Johnston, pastor of Grace M. E. church, the programme was opened with a piano selection, "Le Tourbillon, Op. 37," by Miss Mabel Ising and Master Bert Simpson. The rendition was pleasing and deservedly won the applause accorded.

Following, was the first essay by Miss Harriette Helen Phillips, class '97. Her subject was "A Nation's Literature, Its Life and Glory," with salutatory. There is very much that can be said in commendation of the above and all credit is due Miss Phillips for the rare talent displayed in delivering her essay. Her subject was rich in material and the clear and concise manner in which she unfolded it was currently spoken of. The ease and grace shown by Miss Phillips in her delivery was noteworthy. She complimented the Board of Education. superintendent, teachers and the people of North Plainfield for their very earnest efforts in giving the graduates such excellent advantages. Her essay treated of great writers and philosophers who had given to the world such literature full of life and glory. The composition of the essay was very good and reflected a great deal of credit on the writer.

A selection by the High School Glee Club, under the direction of William E. MacClymont, followed, and the club certainly acquitted themselves with credit. The selection was a bright and catchy air.

The next essay was given by Miss Edna Louise French, and her subject was "That Everlasting Why." The fruitfulness of the subject was an occasion for much food for thought The speaker was a talented one, and she, like her predecessor, displayed rare grace and ease in delivery. She exhibited a manner of being thoroughly acquainted with her subject, and she gave it most impressively. She claimed for the word "Why" the introduction of the telegraph, cable, steam engine and many other things that have made the present century so much up-to-date.

The next number on the programme was a soprano solo, "Letter Song," (Rip Van Winkle) Planquette, by Miss Eugenia Barker, of Brooklyn, and so well did she sing that she was obliged to respond to an encore. Her accompanist was Richard Menzell, of this city.

The last essay was delivered by Miss Bessie Thompson Day, whose subject was "At the Threshold," with valedictory. Her subject being the class

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WAITED FOR THE SUN.

COLORED ODD FELLOWS DANCED ALL NIGHT AT THEIR BALL.

Altogether it Was a Great Success, For the Colored People Turned Out and Made Merry—The Committees.

Union Lodge, No. 4,026, Grand United Order of Odd Fellows, of this city, is composed of the best colored people of the city, and, last night, they held their first reception and promenade in Central Hall, corner of Park and North avenues. It was a gala night among the colored people and they had possession of the entire building from early in the evening until early this morning. P. N. F., Wm. H. Jones, was the master of ceremonies, and right well did he carry out the plans for the evening.

The fair sex was present in great numbers and assisted their male friends in making the affair one of the grandest of the kind ever held in this city. Previous to the festivities a fine address was delivered by Grand Secretary C. H. Brooks, of Philadelphia, who gave the members a good talk concerning the order.

There were present members of the order from Elizabeth, Passaic Lodge, of Newark; Raritan Lodge, of New Brunswick; St. Mark's Lodge, of Jersey City; Pride of Essex Lodge, of Newark. The members of the home lodge wore for the first time their new regalias which cost several hundred dollars.

The grand march was started at 10 o'clock and was led by Grand Secretary C. H. Brooks and lady.

The hall was not large enough to hold all who desired to be present, and this occasioned some inconvenience on the part of the committees. However, everyone present had a jolly time and they would not have missed it for twice what it cost.

Prof. Vandevere, of Elizabeth, furnished the music, and Edward McCray served a fine supper to all. The arrangement committee was composed of the following members of the lodge: Arthur Venable, chairman; Burl Gibson, treasurer; William H. Jones, Nathaniel Pollard, John Murray, William Fisher, Thomas Johnson, J. G. Wade, Thomas Bouser Those on the reception committee were William H. Jones, chairman, Nathaniel Pollard, John Reed, Arthur Venable, Burl Gibson, Tucker Johnson. William H. Jones was in charge of the dancing, as floor manager, and he was assisted by Thomas Bouser and Cyrus Benn.

It was after 5 o'clock this morning when the affair came to an end and those who remained until that time wended their way homeward by the light of the rising sun.

HELD THE WINNING CARD

CHIEF MARSHAL WILSON'S CLEVER CAPTURE OF THREE OFFENDERS.

They Were Bathing in Hyde's Mill Pond When the Marshal Captured Their Clothes—They Were all Fined $5 Each.

"Come out of that water, every one of you," ordered Chief Marshal Wilson of the borough as he mounted guard over a heap of clothing lying on the bank of Hyde's mill-pond, yesterday afternoon. The youthful swimmers looked longingly at the clothes and reluctantly obeyed the command The other boys, who had left their clothes on the other bank, hurried away as fast as they could climb into them.

Swimming or bathing in Hyde's bond is forbidden by city and borough ordinances, and so, when Marshal Wilson spied a party of boys in swimming, yesterday, he raided them. The are a number of houses in the neighborhood and the people have complained of the obnoxious small boy that enjoys a plunge there at frequent intervals.

The three small offenders crawled up the bank and into their clothes. The officer kept a close watch on their movments and then led them to the office of Recorder Thomas.

When arraigned, they gave their names as Peter Winn, Peter Fleming and Harry Mollison.

The offenders found that their bath was a trifle expensive one. Each of them was fined $5, on payment of which they were discharged with a warning to depart to a more secluded spot the next time they wanted to enjoy fresh water swimming.

Change In Management.

Miss A. P. Newton's place in Miss Scribner and Miss Newton's school has been filled by Miss Louise K. Green, and the school will henceforth be known as Miss Scribner and Miss Green's. The intermediate department will be in charge of Miss Sophie W. Brower, who is a graduate of Oswego Normal school, and has had four years experience in teaching.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

RUSSELL GILES BACK.

HE CAME HOME BY RAILROAD AND STAGE WEDNESDAY.

Inspector Addis Says That the Boy is Still Ill With the Fever—The Stage in Which the Boy Returned Was Disinfected.

Considerable interest is still centered in the movements of the family of Nelson Giles, through whose supply of milk it was thought by the Board of Health that the scarlet fever has been spread. There has been some comment on the fact that Russell Giles, the first one in the Giles family to be taken ill, has returned to Plainfield although, it is alleged, he has not recovered yet.

Yesterday, Inspector Addis called at the Giles flat and inquired regarding the truth of the rumor that Russell had returned. He was informed, so he says, that Russell was expected yesterday or today. He called again later in the day and found Russell there.

Russell Giles said that he came from the Stelton farm, Wednesday, taking the train Metuchen and coming by stage to Plainfield. Inspector Addis states that he was still suffering from the dread disease and that the flakes of skin were pealing off his hands.

Then Inspector Addis had a short interview with the driver of the Metuchen stage and caused him to leave the vehicle in a hurry by saying that a boy ill with the scarlet fever had been in it. The stage was thoroughly disinfected by the Inspector, who declared it now perfectly free from all contagion.

Mr. and Mrs. Giles were yesterday afternoon freed from their confinement in the quarantine by being thoroughly disinfected by Inspector Addis. Their clothing was carefully disinfected also, so there will be no chance of communicating the disease. They went away this morning, leaving the two boys still in the quarantine together.

MERCHANTS ON THE TROLLEY

They Had a Pleasant Ride and a Pleasant Dinner.

About fifty merchants of this city enjoyed a trolley party and a dinner at Taylor's Hotel in Dunellen, last evening. The party started about 8 o'clock in a finely decorated car and made a trip over the entire trolley route.

During the trip fireworks were displayed from the car and at various places along the route. At 9:35 o'clock the car started for Dunellen. On reaching Taylor's Hotel a sumptuous dinner was eaten and a number of happy speeches followed.

George Thatcher acted as toastmaster, and William Emery as musical director. The dining room was hung about with American flags.

After a most enjoyable time all around, the party returned to this city about 12:30 o'clock.

INJURED AT WORK.

Splinter of Steel Broke Off the Chisel and Flew in His Eye.

Mathew Usher, a marble cutter employed by L. L. Manning, of West Front street, was using a steam stone chisel in his work, on Wednesday, when a splinter of steel was broken from the tool and lodged in one of his eyes.

Efforts to extract it were not successful until Thursday, when the offending bit of steel was taken out. Although much pain resulted, it is thought that the sight of Usher's eye was not permanently injured by the accident.

Alumni Reception Tonight.

The alumni reception of the North Plainfield High School will be held in the school building this evening. A limited number of tickets have been issued for the event. The reception will be considerably different from those of past years. The business meeting that is usually held at the commencement reception has been postponed until the midwinter reception. There will be no programme. The first part of the evening will be a formal reception, after which refreshments will be served, and then the rest of the evening will be spent in dancing.

All But Two to Remain.

All but two of the teachers in the North Plainfield Public High School will remain with the school next year. Miss Mann has accepted a position as assistant principal of the High School at Lakewood, and Miss Johansen will teach in the public school at Rutherford. The many friends of Superintendent Warde will be pleased to learn that he is likely to remain in Plainfield, although he will not be associated with the North Plainfield school.

—A stone walk is being laid in front of J. K. VanArsdale's residence on Grove street.

BESIEGED IN A HOTEL

A Trenton Contractor Pursued by a Mob.

THREATS MADE OF LYNCHING HIM.

Fears That the Men May Become Desperate and Set Fire to the Building — Militia Has Been Called to the Scene.

Trenton, June 25.—Sheriff Aaron of Bucks county has arrived at Morrisville, opposite Trenton, and swore in 50 citizens as a posse to protect lives and property in case of riot by the several hundred Italians who are clamoring for their money for the work they did on the East Traction company's line, now in course of construction.

These Italians, all armed, swarmed about Hoagland's hotel, threatening violence to the contractor, F. G. Wheeler, who was imprisoned within. It looked as if there would be trouble, so the burgess, E. B. Ettinger, on the demand of the citizens, sent for the sheriff. He made an all night drive across the country so as to be on hand early.

Over 100 Italians kept guard all night so that Wheeler could not escape. At daylight these were re-enforced by 100 more, all armed with clubs and pick handles and clamoring for Wheeler's blood.

The sheriff warned the men to disband and to preserve order and then scattered his posse in and around the hotel.

Wheeler is surrounded by some of his foremen, who are armed. The Italian guard has been constantly around the hotel. Only one demonstration that looked like trouble took place, and that was when Wheeler quickly decided that it was best for his health not to take a contemplated carriage ride.

Situation Decidedly Serious.

The situation for Wheeler is decidedly serious. One of the leaders of the Italians, who speaks English fluently, said that with only the greatest difficulty were his angry countrymen restrained from making a concerted attack on the hotel with the object of getting Wheeler.

Unless the men are paid or satisfactorily assured of their money very soon, there is every promise of the burning of the hotel if Wheeler cannot be reached in any other way. The Italians claim that they have no faith any more in his promises.

Wheeler, in an interview, said that he did not fear any attempt on his life, and that he was protected by 16 of his English speaking foremen, who were in the hotel and adequately equipped for any emergency.

The Italians are well organized under several leaders. They have their assigned places around the hotel. Not having any money, they are doing no drinking, and on the whole are very orderly.

The burgess ordered Constables David H. Wharton and Jacob Gorman to disperse the crowd. These officials attempted to do so, and, according to the Italians, they backed their demands by putting their hands in their pistol pockets. The Italians made a similar show of determination not to move, and there the matter ended.

Mr. Wheeler says that he and his partner for the last few days have been in communication with the officials of the company for the payment of the men, and, while they have had every assurance that the money would be forthcoming, yet he cannot state when the men will be paid off. The equity suit over the affairs at Yardley had interfered somewhat, he understood, with the syndicate who were to furnish the money. Mr. Wheeler said he looked to the company for their money.

Only a Small Arrearage.

Mr. Wheeler said that he did not desire to leave the hotel and intended to remain until the trouble was settled. He said that only the May pay was due to the men.

Three Italians under contract with Boody & Wheeler have had the feeding of the men. One of them is Alfred Demayo, who has secured a lien on the company's franchises for $5,320. Demayo says that the men were anxious to attack the hotel, but he persuaded them not to do so. He would not answer for the men after today, and he declared that some of them would go to extremes in having satisfaction. Not a dollar has been paid for labor, according to Demayo. Wages were due to 175 men from May 18 to June 1 and to 100 men from June 1 to last Saturday.

Mr. Wheeler said he desired to contradict the report that the men were starving. The Italians themselves said that they were not suffering for food.

Mr. Wheeler was formerly a foreman in the contracting business for former Senator L. E. Miller of Cape May county. The firm of Boody & Wheeler has been established since the first of the year. Mr. Boody was formerly of the contracting firm of Boody, Williams & Williams of Philadelphia.

There is another group of angry Italians at Yardley, at the other end of the line. They are clamoring for food as well as money. They promise to join forces with the Morrisville strikers and tear up the roadbed.

Shot to Avenge an Insult.

Corbin, Ky., June 25.—Daniel L. Curry, a prominent business man, shot and killed John Corley, a well known Louisville boot and shoe salesman. It is said that Mrs. Curry was insulted by Corley a few days ago while on a train. Mr. Curry took Corley to task for the insult, and in the fight that resulted he fired five shots at Corley, killing him instantly. Curry gave himself up shortly after the tragedy.

Sale of a Railroad.

Chattanooga, June 25.—The Tennessee Central railroad has been sold to the highest bidder by Clerk and Master Dunbar. Colonel Jere Baxter bought the property for himself and associates—St. Louis and Chicago parties—for $125,000. A considerable portion of the road has been already completed The road is to be built from Kingston, Roane county, to Nashville.

Sudden Death of a Sea Captain.

Savannah, June 25.—Captain David D. Jones of Nevin, Carnarvonshire, North Wales, master of the British bark Cambrian Queen, has died suddenly. First Mate Hugh Lewis has been appointed master by the vessel's owners, W. Thomas & Co. of Liverpool.

A PARIS FIRE RUMOR

Bazaar Disaster May Have Been the Work of Anarchists.

SAID TO HAVE FLED TO AMERICA.

Several Persons, It Is Asserted, Are Under Arrest In Paris as Knowing About the Matter—Information Is Refused at Washington.

Chicago, June 25.—The Post of this city says:

According to a story which has reached Chicago from Paris via Washington the terrible holocaust which wiped out over 100 lives at the French capital on May 4 was the work of anarchists thirsting for revenge on the upper classes of France. It is claimed that, while the official inquiry into the circumstances surrounding the catastrophe threw little light on the cause of the fire, the secret service department is working on a clew that points to an anarchistic conspiracy of stupendous magnitude.

It is said the Paris detectives not only have satisfied themselves that anarchists were at the bottom of the awful crime, but that the leaders who planned it fled to America as soon as they had seen with what frightful success it had been executed.

It is also asserted that several persons are under arrest in Paris on the suspicion of knowing more about the affair than they care to tell.

A member of the French legation at Washington is said to be authority for the story.

Information Refused at Washington.

Washington, June 25.—The officials of the French embassy here refuse to impart information concerning any connection that the anarchists may have had with the holocaust of the early part of May.

M. Lefaivre, the first secretary of the embassy, said that there had been no communication received from his government looking to the apprehension of the leaders of the outrage, who, it is said, have fled to America. This, he thinks, would have been the case had it been believed such persons were engaged in the affair and had fled to this country.

M. Lefaivre was in Paris at the time of the disaster and remained there for several days. Immediately afterward there were intimations in some of the newspapers attributing the catastrophe to anarchistic sources, but publications of that character soon ceased.

Newspapers that have since come to hand conveyed the impression that the opinion that the anarchists had been at the bottom of the affair was inconsistent with the real facts in the case which, according to investigations showed that the fire was due to an accident.

Yale's Oratorical Competition.

New Haven, June 25.—The competition for the De Forest prize medal for public speaking, which is the opening of Yale's commencement, took place in Battell chapel and was won by Alexander Wheeler of Bridgeport, Conn. His subject was "The Prometheus of Æschylus and the Prometheus of Shelley." The participants were the six men who won the Townsend premiums this spring for excellence in English composition, and included William H. H. Hewitt, New Haven; William Stone Hubbell, Jr., Buffalo; Walter Dunham Makepeace, Springfield, Mass.; Nathan Ayer Smith, New Haven, and Henry Hotchkiss Townsend, New Haven. President Dwight presided.

Cannot Hear Indian's Suit.

New York, June 25.—Supreme Court Justice Wilmot M. Smith has decided that he was disqualified to hear the suit of the Montauk Indians against the Long Island railroad. The Indians want to reclaim 6,000 acres of land at Montauk peninsula which the Long Island railroad claims to own. Twenty years ago Judge Smith was counsel for the Indians in the celebrated partition suit of Grinnell versus Baker, when the rights of the Indians were determined. This has led to his disqualification, the court says. The case will probably be tried before Supreme Court Justice Maddox.

Rubber Company Economizing.

New Haven, June 25.—It is reported that Charles L. Johnson, secretary and treasurer of L. Candee & Co., the local branch of the United States Rubber company, who was appointed general sales agent of the trust about three years ago, has resigned the last mentioned position owing to a plan of retrenchment instituted by the new board of officers. It has been generally understood that Mr. Johnson received a salary of about $30,000 a year.

Want Land Grants.

Albany, June 25.—Applications have been pending some time before the state land board for grants of land under water on Coney island, on the ocean side and Gravesend bay side, and Engineer and Surveyor Adams, a member of the board, has reported that he opposed the grants on the ocean side, but would favor them on the Gravesend bay side. The board tabled the whole matter until its meeting one month hence.

General Strike Threatened.

Montreal, June 25.—A general strike is threatened among the garment workers of this city. Thirty-three of the men of B. A. Small & Co. went out, and unless their demand is complied with all the others will be called out. The principal grievance is that young girls have been taken in to do the work of men at less wages. They also want shorter hours and larger wages all around.

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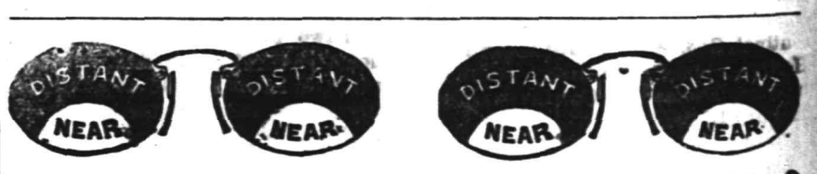

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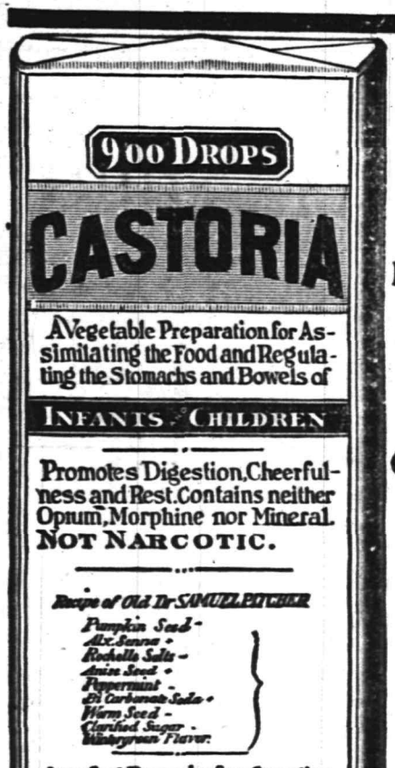

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

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NAVY YARD INQUIRY.

Naval Constructor Bowles Is Charged With Showing Favoritism.

New York, June 25.—The charges of favoritism, which have been preferred against Naval Constructor Bowles, were made the matter of an investigation, which has been begun before Commander C. H. Davis at the Brooklyn navy yard.

Philip B. Low, who represented the Fifth congressional district of New York, was present in the interests of one of the parties who had lost his place in the yard. He refused to say whom he represented, but volunteered the assertion that the ability to retain a position in the yard was too much governed by politics.

It was understood, however, that Henry R. Dean, an electrician employed in the construction department, and Charles Hankins, also an electrician, who had been discharged, were before the commissioner and had made a protest.

The hearing was conducted behind closed doors. It was said that the hearing would probably be ended by Saturday, when the commander would submit a report to Secretary of Navy Long at Washington.

The discharges, according to Constructor Bowles, were made strictly on the ground of economy.

TERRIFIC STORM IN ST. LOUIS.

Trees Blown Down, Houses Unroofed and General Devastation Caused.

St. Louis, June 25.—The terrific wind and rain storm which has prevailed here was very destructive in the southwestern section of the city, where are located several of the city institutions. The poorhouse suffered most. One of the buildings, in which were sheltered 75 inmates, all of them cripples, was partly demolished, and glass was shattered in the others.

When the roof was taken off, the bricks fell in among the patients, hitting a number of them, but none was seriously injured. The storm also struck the insane asylum. Not much damage was done there, but the patients were terror stricken.

Forest park, one of the largest in the country, suffered considerably, trees being leveled in every direction. The weather bureau officials report the downpour of rain the heaviest this season.

The storm was particularly severe in the river towns, Keokuk, Alton and Quincy suffering. Reports from Springfield, Decatur, Effingham and other Illinois towns say the rain was very heavy there.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At Brooklyn—
Brooklyn ..... 4 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 *— 7
Philadelphia .. 0 2 0 0 3 0 0 0 0— 5
Brooklyn—Hits, 12; errors, 4. Philadelphia—Hits, 11; errors, 4.
At Boston—
Boston ..... 2 1 0 2 2 0 5 0 *—12
Baltimore ..... 0 0 2 0 0 0 1 0 2— 5
Boston—Hits, 19; errors, 3. Baltimore—Hits, 10; errors, 3.
At Chicago—
Chicago ..... 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0— 2
Cleveland ..... 0 2 0 0 0 3 0 0 0— 5
Chicago—Hits, 9; errors, 1. Cleveland—Hits, 10; errors, 0.
At Pittsburg—
Pittsb'g 0 2 1 0 0 0 2 1 0 0 0 0— 6
St. Louis 0 2 0 0 0 1 1 2 0 0 0 1— 7
Pittsburg—Hits, 9; errors, 5. St. Louis—Hits, 18; errors, 5.

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	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Boston	36	13	.735
Baltimore	34	14	.708
Cincinnati	30	17	.638
New York	28	18	.609
Brooklyn	25	24	.510
Cleveland	24	25	.489
Pittsburg	23	25	.479
Philadelphia	24	28	.461
Washington	20	26	.435
Louisville	19	29	.396
Chicago	18	32	.360
St. Louis	11	41	.212

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

The British training brig Sealark, concerning whose safety great anxiety was felt, has been sighted off Spithead.

Charles A. Dana, editor of the New York Sun, is ill at his country home in Glen Cove, N. Y. He is suffering from catarrh of the stomach.

Edward Dwyer and Michael McGovern, two wheelmen, collided in Providence. Dwyer's skull was fractured, and he will die. McGovern was slightly injured.

A terrific cyclone which passed 15 miles northwest of Salina, Kan., did great damage. As far as heard from three are dead and a number dangerly injured.

A big gas transaction, by which the Standard Oil people secure absolute control of the Bay State Gas company of Delaware, has just been consummated in New York.

A woman was killed instantly, a man was probably fatally injured and another received a wound in a terrific explosion of naphtha in the French dyeing and cleaning establishment of Mrs. Julia Martin at 418 Fourth avenue, New York.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western was quiet and steady; city mills patents, $4.60@4.85; winter patents, $4.40@4.75; city mills clears, $4.60@4.75; winter straights, $4@4.10.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened dull and steadier on better cables and July covering, but eased off under realizing; June, 76⅝c.; July, 74½@75¼c.

RYE—Firmer; No. 2 western, 36½c., c. i. f., Buffalo.

CORN—No. 2 dull, but fairly steady; July, 29½c.; September, 30⅜c.

OATS—No. 2 dull and featureless; track, white, state, 24@30c.; track, white, western, 24@30c.

PORK—Quiet; mess, $8.25@8.75; family, $9.25@10.

LARD—Steady; prime western steam, $4.10 nominal.

BUTTER—Quiet; state dairy, 10@14c.; state creamery, 10@14c.

CHEESE—Quiet, state, large, 8¼@8⅝c.; small, 7½@8c.

EGGS—Quiet; state and Pennsylvania, 11½@12c.; western, 10@11c.

SUGAR—Raw steady; fair refining, 3c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c.; refined steady; crushed, 5⅜c.; powdered, 5c.

TURPENTINE—Steady at 27@27½c.

TALLOW—Quiet; city, 3 1-16@3¼c.; country, 3 3-16@3⅜c.

HAY—Easy; shipping, 50c.; good to choice, 60@70c.

THE CUBAN QUESTION

Minister Woodford Is Making a Careful Study of It.

TO URGE EVACUATION OF THE ISLAND

His First Duty Will Be to Obtain Relief For the Pacificos—A Demand For the Revocation of the Order For Their Concentration to Be Made.

Washington, June 25.—Stewart L. Woodford, the new minister to Spain, who is in the city, is making a careful study of the Cuban question with the aid of the state department documents given him by the president.

The president has given General Woodford a pretty clear idea of the preliminary policy he is expected to pursue in endeavoring to settle the Cuban question, and the minister was urged by the president to depart for Spain at the earliest moment practicable.

General Woodford would have been ready to start by this time, but upon hearing that the queen would not be in Madrid until September or October and that his credentials must be presented to her in person he delayed the date of his departure, which has now been fixed upon as July 2. He will thus have fuller opportunity to study the correspondence in his possession and to consult with Secretary Sherman and Judge Day as to the details of the administration's policy.

To Urge Evacuation of the Island.

The president is determined to urge upon Spain the evacuation of Cuba and the granting of autonomy to the island as a preliminary step to bringing about Cuban independence, either voluntarily by Spain or after the good offices of the United States have been forced upon the Spanish government by Minister Woodford.

His first duty after arriving at Madrid will be to secure relief for the pacificos in Cuba. Those persons who have not taken up arms have been compelled to concentrate in the cities and towns by order of Captain General Weyler.

A demand will be made for the revocation of the order, which is regarded as so plainly inhuman as to fully warrant such a demand from the United States.

If this concession is granted by Spain, it will afford an opening for presenting the further propositions of President McKinley's policy.

It has been learned on high authority that nothing will be done toward bringing about a change of condition in Cuba until after Minister Woodford has presented his credentials to the queen regent. The president has given no serious consideration to the rumored propositions for the purchase of Cuban freedom by an American syndicate, and the scheme is considered here as fanciful.

General Woodford intends to spend as much time as possible in Washington until he leaves for Spain.

A Princeton Superstition.

Princeton, N. J., June 25.—The death of William Nelson Thompson, a prominent business man of Princeton, who was thrown from his wagon and instantly killed while driving, completes the list of strange fatalities which have happened in connection with the old Vandeventer building, it being a tradition that every five years a tenant of the building will meet a violent death. Of the seven tenants who have occupied the building since 1867 Mr. Thompson is the last, all having died suddenly and unexpectedly at regular intervals of five years.

Will Push His Claim as Heir.

Montreal, June 25.—Roland Israel Gideon Barnett of this city has not by any means given up his idea of pushing his claims as the eldest brother of the late Barney Barnato and laughs at the attempts of others to throw cold water on them. He has instructed Mr. James Crankshaw, barrister of this city, to go to London and in conjunction with his London lawyers, Messrs. Barnard, Abrahams & Co., who defended the Cassils, investigate his claims. Mr. Crankshaw sails on the 30th.

For the Opening of Southern Waters.

Austin, Tex., June 25.—Governor Culberson has issued a call for the assembling of a convention at Rockport, Tex., on Aug. 25 for the purpose of considering the developing and opening of the chain of bays, lakes and bayous lying parallel to and along the gulf coast from the mouth of the Rio Grande to the Mississippi. A general attendance of delegates from Louisiana and other states is invited.

Bookkeeper Attempts Suicide.

Middletown, N. Y., June 25.—Robert Richards, aged 36, a bookkeeper, formerly in the employ of the Transatlantic Publishing company, attempted suicide at Midway park, this city. He first cut his throat with a small knife, but failed to open the windpipe. He then attempted drowning in the Wallkill river, but was discovered by the police and arrested. He was placed in Goshen jail.

Strike May Cause Removal.

Hudson, Mass., June 25.—A committee of citizens called on President Apsley of the Apsley Rubber works to inquire concerning a rumor that the company, on account of a strike of its employees, was about to move, a part at least, of its works from Hudson. President Apsley refused to discuss the matter. The strike of the employees is because of a reduction in wages.

Killed by a Train.

Hornellsville, N. Y., June 25.—The dead body of Matthew Wyant, an employee of the Erie shops in this city, was found beside the Erie tracks. He had evidently been struck by a train. It is believed that he was descending a steep bank to the railway tracks ahead of the train and was unable to stop himself in time to avoid being hit.

Masonic Temple Dedicated.

Hudson, N. Y., June 25.—The Masonic temple in this city has been dedicated with imposing ceremonies by Grand Master Sutherland and staff. The Hudson and visiting Masonic organizations had a parade before the dedication and were escorted by Lafayette commandery. The demonstration was brought to a close with a banquet.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Naegle.)

Showers This Afternoon; Probably Fair Saturday; Cooler.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 92 Degrees.

Subscribers to The Daily Press who are leaving town for summer vacations can have the paper sent to their temporary address without extra expense by simply notifying the business office.

WONDERFUL PROGRESS.

Thanks to Dr. Warde and the North Plainfield Board of Education, the first year of the North Plainfield High School came to a most successful termination last night. The really wonderful progress made in the school in the last year was commented on by the State and county superintendents of schools, and both had nothing but the highest praise to offer. The commencement last evening was the culminating point of it all. The exercises were of a kind that would do credit to any high school in the State. The citizens of North Plainfield should realize the fact that their public school is among the best in the State, and that it is due to Dr Warde and the members of the Board. We offer our congratulations to them for the successful accomplishment of their aims to make North Plainfield foremost in educational facilities.

THE PLAINFIELD SCHOOLS.

Twenty-seven years have passed since the Plainfield High School made its initial bow to the public. Last night twenty young men and women were added to the long list of those who have graduated from that institution. The commencement exercises were eminently successful. The Board was fortunate in securing a talented speaker, President Merrill E. Gates, of Amherst College, for the occasion. His address was well worth listening to. Plainfield can well be proud of her schools and of the men who are doing their best for the good of the city and the education of her sons and daughters.

EARLY CLOSING.

It is not pleasant to work hard these warm, sultry summer days, and it is still harder to spend part of the evening by the store counter. The movement which has been started by Edward White and George L. VanEmburgh & Son to close their stores on week nights, except Saturday, of course, at 7 o'clock, is a worthy one and deserves the sppport of every merchant in the city. It shows that they realize that their clerks are human beings and not machines, and are therefore entitled to some consideration. Now let there be a general movement among all the stores.

UNSEASONABLE WEATHER.

Yesterday we had a taste of real summer weather, something that we have not had this season. Hotel proprietors in summer resorts are all complaining about the very cool summer, which keeps the people at home instead of wandering around to seashore, country and mountains in search of cool and bracing air. This summer certainly has been one of an unusual nature, but weather prophets tell us that there is plenty of warm weather in view.

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Mrs. J. M. Brown, of Washington avenue, is at Asbury Park, where she will remain for two weeks.

Mrs. Kline, of the West End, does not improve much from her illness and her many friends are anxious concerning her.

Miss Minnie Kilburn, of Orange, has returned home after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Huff, of Coddington avenue.

—Additional local news on the third page.

—You are lucky if you get a pair of those Oxford ties for 74c. Doane & Edsall.

PLAINFIELD GRADUATES

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a considerable extent. It was the duty of every man to see to the affairs and government of his country. The quiet toleration of what we know to be immoral will undermine our moral principles and relax our moral tone, said the doctor. Then he called upon his hearers to seek the blessing of God and pledge their thoughtful, disinterested patriotic service for the welfare of a nation. Long and hearty applause followed the excellent speech.

After another song by the chorus, the rewards were presented by Leander N. Lovell, of the Board of Education. They were as follows:

English Composition—The George H. Babcock prize, given by Mrs. George H. Babcock. First prize, Hudson's Shakespeare, 12 vols., Mary Locke. Second prize, Lowell's works, 12 volumes, Edith Louise Burt. Honorable mention, William Asbury Fisher, Iola Moore, Sydney Ross Titsworth.

Mathematics—The Dr. C. H. Stillman prize, given by Mrs. C. H. Stillman. First prize, $15 in gold, Lewis Squires. Second prize, $10 in gold, Louise Egan. Honorable mention, Grace Agnes Crane, Emma Cutter.

Languages—Given by E. R. Ackerman. Greek, Bryant's Iliad and Odyssey, 4 volumes, Lewis Squires. Honorable mention, Sarah Edwards Schuyler. Latin, Longfellow's works, 2 volumes, Henry A. Pearce. Honorable mention, Elwood L. Davis, Ellen L. Osgood.

Spelling—Given by Leander N. Lovell. Prize, Webster's International Dictionary, Sadie Hecht. Honorable mention, Hollie Titus, Madeline Evans.

Penmanship—Given by Charles F. Abbott. Greatest improvement, Longfellow's poems, Archie Douglass. Honorable mention, Fannie Dodd, Mamie Conley. Best writing, Tennyson's poems, Cora E. Laire. Honorable mention, Leonard Gavett, Lida Wyman.

United States History—Given by Olin L. Jenkins, M. D. Prize, Bryant's History of the United States, 4 volumes, May E. Serrell. Honorable mention, Marie L. Kampman, Arthur F. Conant, Madeline Evans.

Melodies from "The Wizard of the Nile" were played by the orchestra. Lewis Squires then delivered an essay, entitled, "Our Obligation to England," and the valedictory. He spoke as follows:—

Just what obligations we are under to England and what our personal feelings to her ought to be, have been questions of great interest ever since we became a nation. The proposed arbitration treaty has offered a fine opportunity for debate upon this important subject. The opposers of the measure have been loud in their denunciation of any measure tending to bring us into closer and more confidential relations with England. They have declared that even though such an allowance might be of advantage to us, we ought not to trust our welfare in any way to the tender mercies of a nation that has shown so little friendship for us in the past. Such sentiment has done much to defeat the treaty. And yet, more reasons exist for kindly feelings towards England and the English people than for distrust. There are peculiar ties which ought to bind us together in mutual good will and friendship; ties which do not exist between any other two independent nations.

England is our mother country. She sent her best and bravest to our shores; those early settlers from whom the proudest families in the land are glad to trace their lineage, and to whom we owe so much that is noblest in our national and private life. If the mother forgot the love due the child and, by injustice, drove her to rebellion, even though the child has far outgrown the need of parental supervision, she ought not to forget the honor due the parent, or cease to remember the sacred tie that binds mother and child.

We must not think that our civilization was an instantaneous growth; that the American Nation and American people sprang into life and power on the Fourth of July, 1776. The vigor of character displayed during and since the Revolution is simply an instance of carefully selected seed removed from its ancient plot and planted in a new soil, well adopted to develop it most highly. Two centuries of life apart from England, in the freer and more invigorating political atmosphere of the new world have wrought many alterations. The varied soil and climate of this vast land have brought into prominence forces latent in the character of our ancestors. That there have been changes in our National character since our birth is due to new environment, but that these changes have resulted in so grand a product is due to the sterling principles of honesty, of industry and of devotion, that inspired our English forefathers. We derived from England that very spirit of freedom and love of liberty that finally brought about the separation. For American manhood of today we have to thank the English manhood of two hundred and fifty years ago.

For nearly the whole fabric of our political institutions are we indebted to the mother country. The calling of that first legislative assembly in Virginia was followed by a century and a half of training in politics and the art of government. The colonists recognized the advantages of England's time tried political systems and based their newly formed institutions upon them. Indeed they did not enter into that long and bloody conflict in the hope of gaining new and broader liberties but to protect and perfectuate the old. It was not until they had lost every hope of maintaining the former relations that they solemnly declared that, "these united colonies are and of right ought to be free and independent States."

Even when independence had been gained, they proved their sincerity by adopting as close a copy of the English political system as the changed circumstances permitted. In each State, the legislature was patterned after the English Parliament. The Governor was vested with many kingly prerogatives, among them the power of pardon. Except for a change in the tenure of office of the judges, the judiciary system of England was adopted in an unaltered form. The common law of England, that great bulwark of the nation's welfare, was transplanted bodily, surely no mean legacy from the mother country. Our national constitution, also, was derived, indirectly at least, from the English political system.

Thus we see that we owe to England our judiciary system, our common law, our state governments, and our national constitution—four systems that have contributed very largely to our present strength and glory. No original creation even of such minds as Franklin's or Hamilton's or Washington's could have equalled in efficiency that slow outgrowth of the struggles and experiences of a people whose love of freedom and whose genius for self-government have never been surpassed.

It may be asked, can we ever love a nation which, when we were weak, oppressed us, sought to take away our liberties, and, when we rose to defend our sacred rights, shed such rivers of patriotic blood? Can we ever honor a nation which tried to impede our progress and entangle our feet while yet the path of independent national action was new and strange to us? A nation so eager, on any pretext to take up arms for a war of conquest? Can we ever trust a nation which, when we were torn assunder by civil war, while our fate was trembling in the balance, cast her influence on the side of disunion and national dishonor?

Our answer to these questions will be easier and its truth more apparent if we regard the distinction that must necessarily exist between the acts of a government and the desire of its people.

Though England, at the time of the American Revolution, had long possessed a representative form of government, the actual administration was far from justly representative. Many large towns were without an exponent in Parliament, while "rotten boroughs," with a constituency of a half-a-dozen or a score, were frequent. This state of affairs naturally fostered bribery and corrupt legislation.

With a servile Parliament, bought and paid for, King George might rule absolutely as he wished. But money was necessary. To tyrannize over England he must first tyrannize over America.

While a corrupt Parliament was levying the unjust taxes, the intelligent people of England were warm in their friendship for America and loud in their denunciation of the king. In the House of Commons their sentiments were voiced in the fiery speeches of Pitt and Burke. One of the most eminent of modern historians, a man to whom Plainfielders delight to listen, has declared that the ultimate independence of the colonies was due to the efforts of the Whigs in England not less than to the patriot arms.

Viewing the question from this standpoint, one would indeed be narrow-minded to treat the English people with distrust for the acts of their foolish and ambitious king. Indeed we ought to place in them the fuller confidence and respect and honor them the more as coworkers with us for liberty and justice. Nor should the attitude of England toward us during the War of 1812 tend to neutralize this feeling. During the Civil War, when the English Government was allowing the Confederate privateers to fit out in English ports and was giving aid and comfort to our foes, the citizens of Manchester and Sheffield were holding mass-meetings to declare their sympathy for the Union and their good wishes for her success.

It is upon this good will of the English people for us that we ought to base our trust and friendship. Ever since the first settlement of our land the people of Eng and have been our firm and devoted friends.

Were England today ruled by king or aristocracy alone, we might hesitate to enter into an alliance with her out of friendship for her people. But when popular sentiment is strong enough to compel the Prime Minister to utterly reverse his policy and to pursue a course which but three months before he had flatly refused to pursue, we need have no fear.

Today the people are the rulers of England, and the people have shown us that whatever may be the sentiments of the aristocracy, they, at least, consider themselves bound to us by more than common affection. Every tie of lineage, of common progress and culture demand a like expression of good will on our part. Why should we who owe so much to England hesitate to return their affection?

Let the two great branches of the English stock come into closer national communion, they and we, who are already so closely allied in commerce and trade, customs and manners, and by the mighty bond of a common language.

Let us not love our country less nor cherish less her individuality as a nation, let us be not less ready to shed our best blood to keep her flag from insult or her name from dishonor, let us enter into no alliance that could harm her or hamper her majestic progress, but let us frankly acknowledge the mighty debt we owe to that land that has done so much to make us what we are and now stands ready to tread with us, as an example to the nations, the holy path of endless peace through international arbitration.

Classmates—Tonight for the last time as a class we meet together. In a few brief moments the class of '97 of the Plainfield High School will have passed on into the ranks of the alumni. For four years we have shared each other's studies and have come to know each other as only they can who have walked together day by day, engaging in the same occupations and inspired by a common purpose. We have enjoyed a full share of that pleasant social intercourse that makes school life sweet in passing and a fond and pleasant recollection when it is done. Our senior year especially has been brightened by friendly gatherings. We have finished our course and now comes the time of parting. We look away from the yesterday to the tomorrow. What fortune the vast and unknown future has in store for us or by how far we may become separated in after years we know not now. But, whatever befalls, let us endeavor to keep strong the ties formed in these our school days, and remain in hearts and sympathies a united band of friends. And now, class of '97, I bid you goodby.

A medley of popular airs of the day was the next selection by the orchestra. The table holding the diplomas, so precious in the eyes of the graduates, was brought in and then Dr. Probasco presented them to the graduates, one by one. The graduates were:—

General Course — Mary Estella Buckle, Edith Louise Burt, Grace Agnes Crane, Emma Cutter, Alice Jenkins, Adeline Mabel Manning, Adah Elizabeth Woolston.

Classical Course—Gertrude Louise Cathcart, Edith Louise Pruden, Sarah Edwards Schuyler, Lewis Squires, Ernest Salisbury Suffren.

English Course—Eva May Dayton, Florence May Duck, Louise Egan, Clara Emma Fellows, Lilla Clifton Livezey, Sarah Cordelia Miller, Sydney Ross Titsworth, William Becker Van Alstyne.

Honor Pupils—First Honor—Emma Cutter, Lewis Squires, Sarah Edwards Schuyler. Second Honor — Grace Agnes Crane, Adeline Mabel Manning, Lilla Clifton Livezey, Alice Jenkins, Adah Elizabeth Woolston.

"America" was sung by the chorus and then the exercises came to an end with the stirring march from "El Capitan" rendered by the orchestra. The fans were laid aside for a moment and the large audience began to disperse, some hurrying to the stage to grasp the hand of a friend in the graduating class and congratulate them on the successful ending of the affair, others departed for home or the Casino, where the reception to the graduating class was to follow the commencement exercises.

There was a profusion of flowers for the graduates and the front of the stage was lined with baskets and bouquets of choice summer flowers. Other gifts were also presented. Henry W Brower, William A. DeLong, Jr., and Henry Pierce, all members of the Junior class, had charge of the passing of the flowers.

So ended the graduation of the class of '97 of the Plainfield High School.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

J. T. A. Randall, of Glenden, Pa., is the guest of friends in this city.

Mrs. Bolton and family, of Brooklyn, are guests of Plainfield relatives.

Miss Mina Ammerman, of Summit, is a guest of the Misses Woodland, of Craig place.

E. T. Douglass and family, of Washington avenue, are visiting relatives at Rochester.

Miss Carrie Drake, of the borough, is the guest of friends at Flemington for a few days.

A young son has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Conroy, of Somerset street.

Mrs. Frank Vanderhoof and son, of West Front street, are the guests of relatives in Newark.

Miss Laura Collings, of Philadelphia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. A. Starr, of Park place.

Mrs. Case, of Rigglesville, this State, is visiting her uncle, J. H. McVey, of North avenue.

J. Vincent Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, has returned from a short sojourn at Pachogue, L. I.

Dean Clark, of Ithaca, N. Y., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Clark, Jr., of Myrtle avenue.

Mrs. Chamberlain, of Westfield, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. McIntyre, of this city.

Mrs. E. S. Emmel, of Glasborough, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Knox, of Washington avenue.

Miss Luella Trimmer, of Trenton, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Sheppard, of Prospect place.

George Roberts, of Brooklyn, is spending two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, of North avenue.

Miss Jane Morton, of Philadelphia, is being entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Saunders, of Mercer avenue.

Mrs. N. McElroy, of Somerset street, has returned home after a ten days' visit with friends in New York and Jersey City.

Mrs. J. A. Bunting, of Mercer avenue, will leave next week for Avon by the Sea, where she will occupy her cottage for the summer.

Mrs. H. J. Brooks and family, of Brooklyn, have leased George L. Howard's residence on Mercer avenue for the summer months.

Miss Ida Cook, of Rockview avenue, is visiting friends at Lawrenceville, Mercer county, this State, where she will remain two weeks.

W. R. Lathrop returned yesterday to his home at Utica, after spending two weeks with his friend, Fred Gould, of Rockview avenue.

Miss Clara A. Petrie, formerly a teacher in the North Plainfield Public School, but now of Pottsville, Pa., is visiting friends on Craig place.

George Langdon Howard and family, of Mercer avenue, have gone to Northville, Fulton county, N. Y., where they intend to remain for the summer months.

Van R. Schuyler, of LaGrande avenue, was one of those who witnessed the triangular freshmen boat race at Poughkeepsie Wednesday from the observation train.

A. W. Haviland and family, of Rockview avenue, will leave on July 1st for Garrisons-on-the-Hudson, where they will be registered at the Hill Country Club for the summer.

Mrs. H. W. Green, of Trenton, who has been a guest for the past three weeks of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Perry, of Willow avenue, leaves today for Spring Lake, where she will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McGee, of Orchard place, Washington Park, have returned from Poughkeepsie, where they went to see their son, Raymond A. McGee, pull on the freshmen crew of Yale in the boat race.

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The ladies of All Souls' church gave a successful lawn festival yesterday afternoon and evening from 4 until 10 o'clock, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kyte. The three principal rooms on the lower floor of the house were decorated in a unique manner, the trimmings of one being all of red, those of the second room all of white, and of the third room entirely blue. Each of the rooms was also decorated with cut flowers of suitable color, and throughout the house were tastefully arranged festoons of ferns. The hallway was hung with American flags. The piazza and the lawn surrounding the house were beautiful with scores of flags and lanterns. Within the house, in the red room were the fan table and the bric-a-brac table; in the white room was a tempting display of candy and cakes; and in the blue room and on the piazza and the lawn, were tables for serving the guests with ice cream, berries and other good things. From a prettily decorated booth upon the lawn root beer and lemonade were sold. A slight shower in the afternoon did not interfere seriously with the festival. The attendance was large and a comfortable sum was realized for the church repairs' fund

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The Jr. O. U. A. M. meets tonight.

The Loyal Addition held a meeting last night.

The Knights of Pythias held a meeting last evening.

Robert Johnston has recovered from his recent severe illness.

Miss Winnie Clark has returned from a visit with friends in Brooklyn.

John Macgillivray, of Newark, spent yesterday with Landlord John Blimm

John Collins, formerly of Plainfield, is visiting his sister, Mrs. John Blimm

John Whitenack has been entertaining his mother, Mrs. McCord, of Bound Brook.

Miss Squires, a theacher in the Scotch Plains Public School, will spend the summer at her home in Rahway.

Charles Adams, of Middletown, N. Y., has returned home after a visit with his sister, Miss Emma Adams, of this place.

Roger Haskard, of Boston, is visiting his mother, Mrs. John R. Haskard. He made the journey from Boston on his bicycle.

A valuable horse belonging to Fred Clark was taken sick last evening. Dr. Pocock, of Plainfield, was summoned and soon had the animal out of danger.

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

A class meeting will be held in the M. E. church this evening.

J. Conover's house at Greenbrook is being painted by J. F. Snell.

Mrs. Henry has returned from a visit with friends at White House.

Mrs. Manning is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Runyon

Mrs Adam Herlick has returned from a visit with friends at Millington.

Harry Gaskill has received the contract to build J. Emmons' new house.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Griggs moved to Newark yesterday, where they will reside.

Mr. Coles has engaged Mr. Williams to assist him in his coal yards for a few days.

Mrs. Walter Apgar, of the borough, entertained friends from out of town yesterday.

J. B. Conover, of the borough, is confined to his home with a severe sprained back.

Mr. Rittenhouse, of Plainfield, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Kennedy, of the borough.

Mrs. Henry Van Middlesworth, of Plainfield, has been the guest of relatives in the borough.

Mrs. Clarence Oakley, of New Brunswick, has returned home after visiting her parents in the borough.

Mrs. E. J. Henry, of the borough, has returned from Somerville, where she has been visiting Mrs. Van Horn.

Miss Van Middlesworth is confined

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ARCANUM ENTERTAINED.

FIRESIDE COUNCIL GAVE ITS FRIENDS A ROYAL TIME.

Council Rooms Were Thronged With Guests Last Evening—Music, Song and Story Made the Hours Speed—A Wedding.

Fireside Council, No. 714, Royal Arcanum, celebrated the 20th anniversary of the order in a most happy manner last evening. About 150 invited guests, including ladies, were present in Arcanum Hall to enjoy the entertainment. C. C. Dilts acted as master of ceremonies and introduced George W. Day, a comedian, who kept the audience in laughter with his funny anecdotes. Among Mr. Day's songs, "Poor Jim" and "Dan McCarthy's Wake," received the greatest applause. Alfred E. Pearsall sang "Thy Sentinel Am I," and "Jerusalem." Miss Marie Budworth sang "Little Boy Blue" and a number of other selections. Miss Budworth acted also as accompanist to the other soloists. Refreshments were served by J. J. Schmitt.

Miss Daisy Evelyn Koester, of this place, and George William Scribner, of Plainfield, were married in Cranford, Wednesday evening, by Rev. George F. Greene of the Presbyterian church. After the wedding the couple held a reception at the bride's home in this place. Mr. and Mrs. Scribner will make their home in Westfield.

Warren V. Woodruff, of Broad street, visited friends in Rahway yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hervey Townley, will spend Sunday visiting friends in Orange.

A party of young lady cyclists went from Westfield to Boynton Beach yesterday.

The Jr. O. U. A. M. will hold a meeting tonight and elect officers for the ensuing term.

The name of George T. Cruttinder has been proposed for membership in the Westfield Club.

John Pfieffer, Jr., and Stewart Tomms, will take a hunting trip to Stirling in search of woodcock.

Charles Wittke, of Mountainside, has been entertaining his friend, Alva A. Douglass, of West Newton, Pa.

The next regular meeting of the I. O. S., will be held at the residence of R. V. Hoffman, on Mountain avenue.

Mrs. L. Johnson, of Elizabeth, and Miss Eva Hartrom, of East Orange, are the guests of their aunt, Mrs. W. M. Stamets.

E. J Townsend has erected a handsome granite monument over the grave of Mrs. J. M. Lewis, in Fairview cemetery.

The Westfield Literary and Debating Society held a meeting in the Methodist church last evening, and decided to hold a meeting in July for the election of officers, and then to

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and fever, whis is so prevalent in the borough at present.

Charles Dunham and sister, of the borough, who are visiting friends at Clinton, Hunterdon county, are expected home today.

Mrs. Charles Conover, Ernest Conover and Mrs. Elvain Van Name, of Plainfield, spent yesterday with relatives in the borough.

Mrs. D. F. Tynan and daughters, the Misses Frances and Blanche Tynan, of Cincinnati, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Logan, of the borough, left for Elizabeth yesterday, where they will visit friends for awhile.

A number of young women cyclists were caught in the rain at Dunellen yesterday, and one woman fell from her wheel while hurrying home and a part of the machine was broken. She was obliged to walk the most of the way home.

A hay carter from Pluckamin met with an accident yesterday while passing through town on his way to Newark with a load of hay. One of his horses was taken ill and he was obliged to secure another horse from Samuel Merrill before he could continue his journey. The sick animal was left at Dunellen and Dr. Schenck, of Somerville, was sent for. He gave the horse the proper treatment, and when the owner passed through on his way home today he was able to take his horse with him.

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a ljourn until September.

Anson McDede, who was overcome by heat at last Saturday's baseball game, is now much improved and expects to appear on the diamond tomorrow.

The Westfield Stars will play a game of baseball with the Battin High School Juniors, of Elizabeth, on the North Broad street grounds tomorrow morning.

The Westfield Township Committee will meet this evening to arrange for the repairing of Broad street in the business portion of the town. The street has been in very bad condition for some time and the Township Committee has been waiting for property owners to repair their sidewalks and establish a uniform curb line before the repairs are made. Some of the property owners have been dilatory in complying with the committee's request, and tonight's meeting is called to hasten action.

LINCOLN.

Within the past few days contracts have been filed for the erection of four new houses at Lincoln. Two of the above were started yestesday on Voorhies avenue.

A grand time is being arranged for July 4th at Lincoln, when a large family picnic will be held. The matter is under the care of the Misses Egles who are experts in arranging such affairs. The affair will be held at Lincoln Villa, a beautiful spot, and there will be everything on the programme to attract all lovers of the National holiday.

The Franklin Company, of Bound Brook, has broken ground at Lincoln for a large factory which is to be erected as soon as possible. The structure will be 35 feet wide and 125 feet long and three stories high. The company manufactures paint and certain products for the cycle trade. The reason for building the new factory is that the very large increase in the business has made it necessary that larger quarters be secured. The advantages offered at Lincoln are so favorable that the company were induced to locate at that place.

A good story is related about a Plainfield young man, who prides himself on the fact that he always dresses in the height of fashion and that he never does anything but what is proper. Last Sunday he made use of the telephone in calling, as he thought, his best girl who resides near Lincoln. He obtained assurances that she would meet him that afternoon at the Lincoln station and soon afterwards he took a train for the above-named place. On his arrival he met the genial and hustling Silas Drake, and from him he attempted to secure the information necessary to find his girl. Mr. Drake told the young man that he would have to walk toward Plainfield about one mile and then toward the mountains one mile. He would then find his lady friend. The visitor did as directed, and it is supposed that he is walking yet, for he did not find his friend. The fact was that the Plainfield young man was talking to some other party over the telephone and he was misinformed as to what his girl would do. He now declares that he will never visit Lincoln again, unless it is to enjoy the pleasures on July 4th, when the grand picnic is to be held at Lincoln Villa.

"TAXPAYER" REPLIES.

He Criticises "A Republican" For Looking Backwards.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—In this progressive age it is refreshing to take a paper up and read articles from "oldest citizens" in regard to the present as compared with the past. Generally the past is away ahead of the present.

In your issue last night one of your elderly readers seems to think that the present Common Council is away off in these hard and troublous times. His article calls up days less than a quarter of a century ago when Plainfield was in her infancy; when three hacks at the railroad station looked after the incoming stranger.

In those days the yearly expenditures of the city were less than they are now for one month. Our city officials were men who kept down expenses by keeping no books. Memorandum slips were good enough, and even if they got lost or mislaid why it didn't hurt the city much and it made a friend of the taxpayers.

Money has been thrown away on our streets! In those days in the winter and spring months wagons got stuck in the mud. It was only for a few months each year that people suffered, but that was better than taxing the people for street improvement.

Why find fault with the Common Council for doing what any business man of sense would do. To run this city books have got to be kept; competent officials to look after affairs, and no "looking backward!"

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Ladies' fine lisle hose, drop stitch	15c	pair; value	22c
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Children's ribbed bicycle hose	10c	"	15c
Children's plain hose, extra fine	15c	"	25c
Men's extra fine fast black hose	13c	"	25c
Men's tan hose, very fine	15c	"	25c
Men's fancy ½-hose	18c	"	35c

SALE OF SUMMER

Underwear for ladies and children. The weather is to blame for it this time. A month ago they would have brought double—now they go at half.

Ladies' ribbed vests were 10c, now 4c	Ladies' ribbed vests were 12c, now 7c
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A FAMOUS EXCURSION RECALLED.

Given to Interest Capitalists in Northern Pacific Stock.

A Northwestern Congressman, who was on the famous excursion which Henry Villard gave to witness the driving of the golden spike of the Northern Pacific road, recalled some of its interesting features recently:

"It was the greatest junketing trip in the history of the United States, bar none," said he. "Villard had completed the road, putting an enormous amount of money in it, and he decided that he could interest English and German capital in the enterprise by taking the capitalists themselves out over the road. So he made up his party, including a large number of distinguished Americans—General Grant among them, I remember—and four trains of Pullman cars, each train hauled by two locomotives, started for the Northwest. You never saw such entertainment as was lavished on the party. Champagne flowed like water, and no one was allowed to pay for anything—not even for a shave or a newspaper. The trip altogether must have cost at least $400,000, for there were 400 persons in the party, and $1,000 per head is a low estimate.

"Well, the tragic part of it was yet to come. The sword of Damocles was hanging over Villard's head all the time, and he did not know it. He had invited the English and German capitalists to go out over the road. They had never seen anything except railroads between cities closely situated, and they could not appreciate transcontinental lines. They could not understand how a road could pay that ran through stretches of unsettled country, and while they were dining off Villard's terrapin and champagne, they were wiring back to New York and London to sell the Northern Pacific stock. The stock, which was worth 78 or thereabout when he left the East, kept dropping until it was down to 50. Villard could not account for the decline. Finally he was telegraphed to hasten to New York to bolster up his property. Hiring a special engine, he hurried East as fast as steam could carry him, leaving his guests to follow behind him, which they did, but marking every mile of the way with a drunken orgie. Champagne bottles were flung around the cars and out of the windows, and costly cigars were trampled under foot, just for the fun of crunching them.

"The sequel of that famous trip always reminded me of Napoleon's trip to and from Moscow. He went out in glory and hurried home on a sled to save his head and crown, while his army followed in a rout behind him. Villard traveling on a special engine to save himself from ruin, was history repeating itself."—Washington Post.

NOBLEMAN A POLICEMAN.

Must Serve Ten Years On the Force to Inherit a Fortune.

The strangest of all the many requests that have been made of Mr. Hanna since he took up his leadership in politics came to him when Baron von Muegge, a young German, solicited his influence to obtain an appointment as Deputy United States Marshal, at any place where the surroundings are agreeable, at any salary, or any amount of fees that might be offered.

The applicant, who is well vouched for and is undoubtedly all that he pretends to be, told a strange story of the will of his mother, a wealthy, but eccentric, German, who stipulated that he should serve ten years as a policeman before he should come into his fortune, her idea being to teach him self-control, develop his character and convince him of the dignity of labor.

As he did not wish to serve in such an humble capacity among his former and future associates, Von Muegge came to the United States to serve his time. He has been on the force in several cities, and is now employed as a watchman by a railroad company in Cleveland.

The man is personally known to Mr. Hanna.

His term of servitude expires in November next, and the baron is anxious to spend the remainder of the period in surroundings which will be more agreeable than those in which he has been situated for the last nine years. He would like to be deputy to the United States Marshal of the District of Columbia for the next six months, and has asked Mr. Hanna's influence to secure that position.—Chicago Record.

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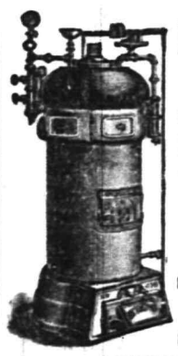

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 28, 7 30, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 38, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28, p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16, a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 9 23, 10 17, p m.

Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m, (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 3 40, 4 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 30, 8 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 10, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p. m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, a m; 12 03, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 9 23, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 1b, 7 18, 7 55, 8 35, 9 03, 10 05, 11 35, a m, (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 6 42, 6 19, 7 05, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30, 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 50. Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m, 12 45, (1 40, Saturdays only) 3 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 Lv, 7 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night, Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 39, 5 09, 6 30, 10 15, 1 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 38, 7 48, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 06, 3 55, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 30, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 3 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 38, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a m; 6 30, 10 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

3 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 15 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 2b a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m. 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 8 13 a. m.; 3 20 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 03, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 20 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 32 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 4 36, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 17night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a.m., 3 25, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m., 2 17, 5 34* 6 45 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 10 44 a. m., 5 09*, 6 45, p. m., 1 17 night.

For Buffalo, Chicago and all points West, week-days at 9 54 a. m., 8 21 p. m. Sunday 6 35 p. m.

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11 54 a. m. Daily except Sunday. Local for Mauch Chunk.

12 52 p. m. daily except Sunday. "BLACK DIAMOND EXPRESS" for Rochester and Buffalo.

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For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 6 48, 7 50, 10 05 a. m. 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. m Sunday 8 00, 9 00 local a. m. 2 20 and 7 10 p. m.

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Men's all-wool royal blue serge suits, worth $12, at selling out price, $4.50; men's best all wool blue serge suit, worth $16, at selling out price, $5.90; men's fine gray clay serge, all-wool suit, worth $13.50, at selling out price, $5; fine men's gray or dark brown clay diagonal suit, worth $16, selling out price $6.25. No other store in Plainfield will sell the same suit for less than $18. A very fine business suit in all-wool worsted or cassimeres, worth $10, at $4.25; fine men's working suit, worth $8, at $2.50. This suit is all wool and warranted not to fade. Extra fine all-wool silk or satin lined clay diagonal all-wool suit in frocks, worth $20, at $8.25; a very fine English silk-mixed suit, worth not less than $22, at $6.90; over 500 suits in fancy cheviots and overplaids, dark or light colors, that we are selling at $2, $3, $3.50 and $4.50. Every one of them are worth from $8 to $15 of any man's money. Don't wait one minute, but come at once, as you never will have the chance again. Youths' suits in all-wool clay diagonal sacks, worth $10, at $4.50: young men's plaid suits, all wool, worth $8, at $2.90; boy's long pants suit at $2; children's suits, latest style plaids in brown and light colors at $1, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75, worth from $2 to $5; men's fine summer underwear at 15c; men's bicycle suits, $1.75, $2, $2.50 and $3.50, worth from $4 to $10; men's bicycle pants from 35c up. Be on hand early and avoid the rush. Over 2,000 suits to choose from. Durable men's pants at 75c; fine Sunday pants at 95c, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75; every pair of them all wool and they are worth from $2.50 to $6. This closing out sale commences Saturday, June 12, at 7:30 a. m.

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HEATH AS REFEREE.

Court of Claims Appoints Him to Fix Government Telegraph Tolls.

Washington, June 25.—The United States court of claims, on the recommendation of the department of justice, has appointed First Assistant Postmaster General Perry S. Heath sole referee in the case of the Western Union Telegraph company versus the United States, growing out of Postmaster General Wanamaker's order providing an arbitrary telegraph tariff for the government. He succeeds the former referees, Charles O. Shepard and William H. Browne.

The postmaster general is charged with the duty of fixing the tolls to be paid on all government messages. During the Harrison administration Mr Wanamaker fixed the rate at 1 mill a word, which rate was in operation for a long period, but was finally raised to about 40 per cent of the rate charged individuals. In the settlement of the bills covering the mill rate period a dispute arose, and the case was taken to the courts, where it has been pending since, but will be decided shortly.

Mr. Heath, as referee, will ascertain the exact figures in the dispute, which amounts to nearly $1,000,000, and on his report the court of claims will proceed to determine the question whether the postmaster general may arbitrarily fix telegraph rates for public business. The case probably will be taken before congress in the end.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT VERDICT.

Long Island Road Charged With Being Criminally Negligent.

Brooklyn, June 25.—After having been out for nearly two hours in the Long Island railroad case the jury returned a verdict holding that the railroad was criminally negligent in not having kept the signal at the Merrick road in proper order.

Five separate verdicts were rendered, one for each person killed. Each verdict, after stating the cause of death as a collision between the coach and a train of cars, concludes as follows:

"We further say that the said Long Island railroad was criminally negligent in not keeping in order the electric bell at said crossing."

Coroner Coombs said, after the jurors had departed, that the next step would be for the grand jury of Queens county to meet and take action on the verdicts.

District Attorney Youngs has issued subpœnas for all the witnesses who testified before the coroner to appear before the grand jury.

PRINCE OF WALES' RECEPTION.

An Occasion of Unprecedented Brilliancy In the Queen's Honor.

London, June 25.—On behalf of her majesty the Prince and Princess of Wales gave a state reception last evening at Buckingham palace. The occasion was one of unprecedented brilliancy, the guests numbering over 1,600 and including all the special jubilee visitors and the admirals, captains and officers from Spithead.

An enormous crowd watched the arrivals at the palace, while the streets converging there were filled with carriages.

The ballroom scene was one of dazzling splendor. The guests promenaded through the gorgeous saloons of the palace, while the bands played dance music. Among those present were the Duke and Duchess of York, the Duke and Duchess of Coburg, the Duke and Duchess of Fife and the Duke and Duchess of Teck.

CABOT'S ANNIVERSARY.

Celebrated by the Laying of a Cornerstone at Bristol, England.

Bristol, England, June 25.—The four hundredth anniversary of the discovery by John Cabot of the North American mainland was celebrated here yesterday by the laying of the foundation stone for the Cabot Memorial tower on the summit of Brandon hill in the heart of the city. The memorial will cost about $5,000. The stone was laid by the Marquis of Dufferin and Ava.

Prior to the ceremony he was entertained at lunch by the corporation of Bristol, and subsequently he received the freedom of the city. The luncheon company included Sir William Whiteway, the premier of Newfoundland, and Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, the chancellor of the exchequer. No Americans were present.

The date of the discovery of Newfoundland by John Cabot was June 24, 1497.

CHARGED WITH WIFE BEATING.

Edward J. Ratcliffe, an Actor, Held For Trial For That Offense.

Chicago, June 25.—Edward J. Ratcliffe, the actor who was arrested as a fugitive from justice from New York, where he is wanted to answer a charge of assaulting his wife with a deadly weapon, was brought before the court for his preliminary examination. The prisoner appeared greatly depressed.

Ratcliffe maintained his statement that he was innocent and that the charge was made out of malice by his father-in-law, Peter Delacey, the rich New York horseman.

Ratcliffe's attorney was not able to be present, owing to the pressure of other business, and at the suggestion of the police the case was continued until June 30. The court also reduced the amount of Ratcliffe's bond from $10,000 to $5,000.

Ladies' Aid Society Elects Officers.

Auburn, N. Y., June 25.—The Ladies' Aid society, an auxiliary to the Sons of Veterans, resumed its business meeting. Mrs. Cameron of Owego, who was elected as installing and mustering officer, resigned, and Mrs. Sarah C. Nichols of Auburn was elected in her stead. Mrs. Lydia E. Tomer of Rochester, president of the society, was chosen as delegate to the next annual encampment at Indianapolis and Mrs. Julia Monghan of Rochester as delegate at large. Mrs. Lizzie W. Cameron of Owego was appointed editor in chief.

Japan May Defeat Her Own Ends.

London, June 25.—The Daily Graphic says editorially Japan is likely to defeat her own ends by addressing a bellicose remonstrance to the United States on the subject of Hawaii. The policy of annexation is not very popular in America, but any attempt at dictation will only be resented and will strengthen the case for the annexationists by

FOR A TAX ON HIDES.

Republican Senators In Caucus Sustain Finance Committee.

SENATOR PETTIGREW'S AMENDMENT.

Wants to Tax All Articles That Are Made by Trusts—Senator Caffery Speaks Against Protective System. Resolution of Regret.

Washington, June 25.—The Republican senators have decided in caucus by a vote of 22 to 11 to sustain the action of the finance committee in placing a duty upon hides, but did not pass upon the question of the amount of the duty to be imposed. The committee was also sustained in the rate fixed upon imported wrapper tobacco. The only other disputed questions considered were watches and watch jewels, and upon these the finance committee was reversed, the house rates being accepted on watches and watch jewels being made free. The caucus was held in the marble room of the senate and was well attended. While the discussion was spirited at times, the meeting was without especial incident.

The greater part of the time was given to the proposition to fix a duty on hides. Senator Lodge led the contest against the action of the finance committee in taking hides from the free list and was seconded by Senators Hoar, Platt, Spooner and others, while Senators Nelson, Allison, Warren and Gear spoke for the duty.

Mr. Lodge contended that the duty, if imposed, would not be of any consequence as a revenue item and that it would add nothing to the farmer's returns on his cattle, while it would have the effect of greatly injuring the industry of leather manufacture, which had grown to immense proportions under the system of free hides. He said that the exports of leather goods amounted to $20,000,000 per annum and asserted that if a stiff duty should be imposed the industry would be greatly checked.

For the Benefit of the Farmers.

In reply, the western senators claimed a direct benefit to the farmer from the duty and asserted that he was as much entitled to the protection it would give as were the manufacturers to the assistance they would receive from other duties. The vote was on the general proposition to impose a duty without regard to rates. The fixing of these, it was understood, should be left to the finance committee, but the expressions were so general in favor of the ad valorem rather than the specific system that the committee probably will feel itself instructed to substitute this system for the 1½ cents a pound rate originally agreed upon. There was also a general expression against any increase upon India tanned goat and sheep skins, which the manufacturers regard as a substantial victory.

The debate on the tobacco schedule was confined to brief speeches by Senators Hawley and Fairbanks. The finance committee had originally fixed the rate on unstemmed wrapper tobacco at $1.50 per pound, in opposition to the house rate of $2 per pound.

The representatives of the leaf growers immediately began a contention for the restoration of the house rate, which was resisted by the smaller manufacturers, particularly of the western states. The finance committee yielded to the growers to the extent of advancing the rate to $1.75. Senator Hawley represented the growers in their efforts to secure a $2 rate, and Senator Fairbanks the manufacturers in their attempt to hold the original finance committee figures. The caucus decided without division to stand by the compromise rate of $1.75.

There was only one vote raised in opposition to the proposition to return to the house schedule on watches and in addition to admit watch jewels free of duty. The finance committee fixed a uniform rate of 40 per cent on watches, while the house provided a compound duty. It is to this compound system that the senate returns.

The questions of reciprocity, trusts, Hawaii, sugar, beer, tea and internal revenue were not discussed.

Senate Still on Wool Schedule.

Washington, June 25.—A stubborn contest over the duties on manufactured woolen goods occupied the attention of the senate. It was a time of constant roll calls and of cross fire debate on the effect of the duties in advancing rates. Many amendments were proposed to reduce the rates, but these were rejected by decisive majorities. Less than five pages were disposed of, carrying the senate through paragraph 370, the first of the paragraphs relating to carpets.

Mr. Caffery of Louisiana spoke at length against the protective system and severely arraigned those Democratic senators who had voted for duties on wool and other raw materials.

Resolutions of deep regret were passed on the death of Representative Cooke of Illinois, and a committee of five senators were named as an escort.

Senator Pettigrew gave notice of an amendment he will offer to the tariff bill providing for a tax of 10 per cent of the value upon all articles manufactured by a trust.

At the instance of Senator Chandler the senate has ordered reports of the proceedings of the recent meetings of the English and French bimetallic leagues printed as a public document for distribution.

New Fraud Order Policy.

Washington, June 25.—Assistant Attorney General Tyner of the postoffice department has adopted a new policy in the issuance of fraud orders, so that, as a general rule, parties against whom complaint has been made may be given a hearing or opportunity to answer charges before orders are issued against them. The action is the result of allegations that many cases of injustice have developed as the result of the representation of one aggrieved person as only one side of the case. An immense number of these orders were made by the last administration.

Best Bicycle Time of the Year.

Albany, June 25.—Eddie Bald had the proud distinction at the state circuit meet, held under the auspices of the Albany County wheelmen of this city, of winning the mile open professional race in the fastest time that such a race has been run on the state circuit this year

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Special, ladies' Oxford ties to close at 74c. Doane & Edsall.

—L. L. Manning went to New Brunswick yesterday to erect a monument.

—Meats for your Sunday dinner should be ordered at Blatz and Mundy's market.

—Van Arsdale will have on his bargain table tomorrow some good values in Oxford ties.

—It is a pleasure to buy laces and embroideries at Peck's, where there is no limit to assortments.

—Business of importance will be transacted this evening at the meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps.

—A rainbow festival will be held on the lawn of Grace M. E. church this afternoon and evening. A good time is assured to all that attend.

—Honeyman's first - of - September tour this year is to the Land of Acadia and to Newport. It is an admirable opportunity for teachers and others.

—The Daily Press is in receipt of a very handsome book entitled "Sabine Pass in the Texas Coast Country", with the compliments of Charles D. Stillman.

—Miss Lincoln, the Park avenue florist, feels grateful to her many friends and customers for the very liberal patronage given her yesterday. It was her red-letter day for business.

—It is quite likely that Plainfield will send a large gathering to the G. A. R. National encampment to be held at Buffalo this summer, and the encampment promises to be the most successful ever held. The fare will be about $8 return.

—An adjunct to the success of the commencement exercises held in this city last evening was the distribution of fans by the popular druggist, L. W. Randolph. His famous soda was eagerly sought after by hundreds after the exercises in Music Hall.

—It is a well known fact that Van Sickle, the North avenue butcher, sells the very best meats to be found, and his prices are all right. He charges no more for his meats than other butchers and a person is always sure of getting the best. Recently Mr. Van Sickle has had his windows attractively lettered by Vroom, the artist, and he desires the public to know that he is out for business.

IGNORANCE WAS BLISS.

The Parents Were Much Worried, However, Abont the Child.

Little Anna Kathrina Markey, the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Markey, of 127 Park avenue, caused a commotion by disappearing mysteriously yesterday morning and leaving no trace behind her.

The child was first missed about 10 o'clock, and the parents, after searching for over an hour, called a policeman and asked his assistance.

After another hour's anxious search by Mr. and Mrs. Markey and the policeman, Anna Kathrina was found at the house of a playmate on Park avenue. She was amusing herself in blissful ignorance of the commotion she had caused.

Mrs. Hatchett Died Suddenly.

The death of Mrs. Hatchett, colored, of Race street, occurred this morning at 3 o'clock after a long illness, during which time she was not always confined to the house. Her death was a sudden one for her friends did not suppose that she was ill. Her husband died about one year ago and left her with several children. Notice of funeral will be given later.

Practice Economy in buying medicines as in other matters. It is economy to get Hood's Sarsaparilla because it contains more medicinal value than any other—100 doses one dollar.

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Cure all liver ills.

George Keating has resigned his position in Clawson's barber shop on Liberty street.

The ushers at the North Plainfield Commencement last evening were: Messers. Charles M. Dolliver, Aubery Hull, Douglass Drake, Fred Williams, Harry Curtis and John Hull.

BOROUGH GRADUATES.

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motto, much interest was awakened. As she appeared on the stage through the improvised entrance, she closed the door, and there was displayed the words, "Closed Until '98." In addressing the officials of the school and associates she said: "We say goodbye. We have spent a most pleasant and profitable year together under the guidance of competent teachers. I can truthfully say that I learned more this year than during the entire balance of my High School life. To the Juniors, your days are coming. It must be said that you want our crowns if not our scalps. To the freshman class we owe much for the beautiful decorations, and to our kind friends for the support.

"Classmates, we must part. We have been together a long time and it must bring sadness as we separate. It is not possible to have the past and future at once. We are now at the threshold and it is necessary that we accept every opportunity as we see it.

"In conclusion, we thank all for the kind and faithful treatment and support given to the graduating class."

The essay and valedictory was a most admirable one and too much praise cannot be given to Miss Day for the masterly manner in which she presented her part. She displayed talent equal with her sister graduates, and the efforts on the part of each graduate gave undeniable evidence that three graduates never left the North Plainfield Public School better fitted to enter upon life's duties.

Following the above was a piano solo, "The Last Muster," by Master Bert Simpson. The rendition was a creditable one and won hearty commendation from all present. The next number was an address by State Superintendent, Hon. Charles J. Baxter. Mr. Baxter is a pleasing speaker and he certainly won many friends last evening by his able address. He spoke in the highest terms of the North Plainfield School and its management, and congratulated all who have had anything to do with the direction of the school. He urged the scholars to push forward in their work and strive for better things. He expressed some surprise that his sex was not represented in the graduating class and said that he had noticed in this State that the proportion of male graduates to female was about one to four. This he thought showed that the gentler sex was becoming wiser and by next September would be able to cast their votes for school commissioners. He thought that the mother was nearer the child than any other person and should be entitled to have a say in school matters. The next speaker was County Superintendent, Rev. James A. Mets, who made a most admirable speech in which he congratulated the North Plainfield Public High School on its fine showing. He also congratulated the Board of Education, the superintendent and teachers for the very excellent work accomplished.

The next part on the programme was an interesting and somewhat novel one. It was the presentation of the Class of '97 to the audience by Miss Susie E. Glass, Principal of the High School. Miss Glass in presenting the class made a short address which was full of wisdom and meaning. She paid a compliment to the officials of the school and stated that the past year had been a very pleasant one to her as well as the scholars. She congratulated the graduates on the fine records they had made and she wished them all the success as they step out into the world.

The presentation of the diplomas to the graduating class by President St. John McCutchen, of the Board of Education, was an interesting portion of the exercises. He spoke in a congratulatory manner and remarked that a new volume had been opened and a new page had been turned over in the history of the school. He hoped that the graduates would not accept their diplomas and think that their work was now finished, but that it gave him great pleasure to do so and he extended his best wishes to the class.

After the rendition of the "Spanish Dance" on the piano by W. E. MacClymont, the benediction was offered by Rev. J. A. Mets.

A large horseshoe, made of red roses, was suspended over the platform.

STREET REPAIRS CRITICIZED.

Citizen Thinks That The Work Has Not Been Done As It Ought.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—Will The Press not ask its reporter to interview Street Commission Gavett, and if his answer is unsatisfactory, then the chairman of the street committee, and if his reply is not to the point, then Mayor Fisk, how it is that laborer or laborers are permitted to dump on the streets loose stones as if they were filling up a ditch in some back field or some farm on the mountains? It seems to me that somebody needs to be brought up with a round turn right away on this subject of "repairing" the streets.

The sample of work done yesterday by Armstrong's drug store corner, within 50 yards of The Press office, and which has been done in various places around the city, cannot get attention from some proper authority too quickly. If your reporter will take his wheel and ride up Front street to Clinton avenue, and then go under the railroad bridge, he will see there a beautiful specimen of a street for riding over with wheels and carriages; then, if he will go on and make a circuit, getting back to The Press office by any street he chooses, he will find that in places our macadamized streets have been treated exactly as if they were mountain roads over which to drive ox-teams.

This question answered, will he then further inquire why it is that in a city supposed to be civilized, no one, who cares for the streets, ever cares enough for them not simply to refrain from throwing loose stones on them, but once in a while to go around with, say a mule and a cart and one or two boys, and pick up the loose stone, stick, tin cans and other foreign substances and make the roadways look a little respectable.

The wheelmen are at the mercy of these stones, and every day or two some young lady or a beginner at cycling gets thrown and has an ankle sprained because there is nobody who seems to be responsible to make a smooth highway.

If such interviews are without avail, let The Press start a subscription and secure a fund, so as to accomplish these ends, and I will begin it with $10.

A Citizen.

Poison Ivy.

Look out for poison ivy at this time of the year; it is now the most dangerous. Many cases of severe poisoning have been reported. The best remedy which has come to our notice is a new preparation called Hirax, made by the Hirax Company, 351 West Twenty-sixth street, New York city, and sold by all druggists. See advertisement.

Mr. and Mrs. P. VanFleet, of West Front street, are spending a few days with friends at Finderne.

Miss Hattie Owens and Mr. Morgan, of New York city, are spending a few days with Mrs. George Needham, of West Eighth street.

Miss Minnie Kilburn, of Orange, returned home yesterday after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Huff, of Coddington avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Williams, of Newark, are spending a portion of their honeymoon at the home of Mr. Williams' aunt, Mrs. S. Sanders, of West Second street.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—Spring lamb and broilers a specialty at Blatz & Mundy's market.

—Work was started this morning to macadamize Harmony street. When completed it will be the most desirable avenue from the west side of the borough to Watchung avenue. Street Commissioner Conover is supervising the work.

Mr. Bigdough (severely)—James, don't you know if I was to slip on those banana skins I'd make a somersault?

James—"Indade, sir, and I don't doubt it; it's very clever yez always was.

"How fast you are growing, Tommie."

"Yes. Too fast, I think. They water me too much. Why, I have to take a bath every morning."

Chef—We have a nice, tender Philadelphia missionary.

Cannibal—Ah, they are famous! Cook him over a slow fire.—New York Journal.

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Misses' and Children's Tan Shoes, Chocolate, button and lace:
5 to 8, .75 to .98.
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11 to 2, $1.25 to $1.50.
Men's Bicycle Shoes, black or tan, L. A. W., $1 50 a pair.
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Kings Who Carry Pistols.

The different members of the royal families of Europe are not so much at the mercy of fanatics as is generally supposed. Many of them carry concealed weapons, and know how to use them.

The Czar of Russia carries a small revolver, given him by his mother. When out driving in his carriage this weapon is concealed in a pocket within easy reach of the monarch's right hand. A loaded pistol is also carried by the Emperor of Germany, who is firmly convinced that he is doomed to die by the bullet of an Anarchist.

The Shah of Persia has a narrow slit in his handsome robe, in which reposes a long jewelled dagger. He is very accomplished in the use of this weapon, and could kill a man at one blow. The Sultan of Turkey and the King of Greece both carry revolvers. The Emperor of China carries no less than three knives concealed about his person.

A Long Time in Service.

A woman has been the keeper of the Santa Barbara, Cal., lighthouse for 31 years. During that period she has climbed the tower and attended to the light herself every night, with the exception of three weeks twenty years ago.

Bess—Tom tells all he knows.
Maud—The silence must be oppressive.—Yale Record.

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Greatest Day Sale ON THE Calendar.
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Saturday, June 19.		Monday, June 21.		Tuesday, June 22.	
Fancy mixed cakes,	8c. lb	Best lard,	4c. lb	White beans,	3c. qt
Best smoked hams,	11c. lb	Sweet Corn,	5c. can	Best pepper,	12c. lb
Worcester sauce,	7c. bot	Corn starch,	3c. pkg	Vanilla extracts,	7c. bot
Im. Marmalade,	12c bot	Satin Gloss Soap,	3c. cake	Morgan's Sapolio,	6c. cake
Spratts dog cake,	5c. lb	Imported Macaroni,	9c.	Imp. Sardines,	10c. box
Fresh Salmon,	9c. can	Salad oil,	16c. qt	Gold Dust,	16c pkg
Jersey tomatoes,	5c. can	Best soda crackers,	4c. lb	Franco-Amer soups,	2½c

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For Six Days Only.		For Six Days Only.		For Six Days Only.	
Best honey c'd hams	11c.	Armour's Ham,	4c. ½ lb	1 lb. 50c. tea, any flavor,	35c
Salt Pork,	7c. lb	Roast beef, 2 lbs.	16c	3½ Granulated sugar,	17c
Best cheese,	12c. lb	Corned beef, 2 lbs.	16c	1 can milk,	7c
California prunes,	6c. lb	Boneless chicken,	21c. ½ lb	Regular price,	74c
Best root beer,	7c. bot	Roast turkey,	25c lb	**All for 50c**	
Im. marmalade,	12c, bot	Fresh Salmon,	11c. lb		
Good soap,	2c, cake	CANNED MEATS.			

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Cooper's Gelatine,	5c.	Best ammonia,	4c. bot	Club soda,	90c. doz
Shrewsbury Catsup,	20c	Scheuer's cocoa,	½ lb. 17c.	Phila. cream cheese,	17c.
Good rice,	5c lb	Leader milk,	6c. can.	Heinz' B. B beans,	7c.
Sweet chocolate,	4c. cake	Good brooms,	12c. each	Rolled oats,	2c. lb
Baking powder, 1 lb.,	25c.	Brushed peaches,	10c. lb	Lima beans,	5c. qt.
Fine succotash,	6c. can	Knapps root beer.	10c.	New York coffee,	12c. lb

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THE RAINBOW FESTIVAL

GIVEN ON THE LAWN OF GRACE M E CHURCH.

The Queen Esther Band Arranged it and Carried it Out Very Successfully—Novel Methods of Decoration.

The reputation established by the members of the Queen Esther Band, of Grace M. E. church, is an enviable one and whenever they attempt to raise money for the many objects which claim their attention, they always seem to reach the hearts and pocketbooks of their friends and supporters. For a long time past they planned to hold a "Rainbow Festival," and the active members at once began to make all neccessary arrangements for the affair, which was held yesterday afternoon and evening on the beautiful lawn adjoining the church. Early in the day the members gathered and made ready for the festival. Pretty booths were placed here and there on the spacious lawn, while the many colors of the rainbow were displayed to good advantage about the booths, tables and trees.

The centre of attraction seemed to be the candy booth, which was erected by Miss Marguerite Schuck and John H. Carney. The top was made entirely of grasses arranged in pyramid style, while about the lower part were displayed various colors. At this place all sorts of the finest homemade candies were on sale and they were disposed of very quickly. Tiny Voehl, Addie Carney and Nellie Valiant were in charge and they made excellent clerks. It was impossible for anyone to escape them and all stopped to spend a little money in the good cause

Another attractive point was the old-fashioned lemonade well with the sweep pole, attached to which was an old-fashioned bucket. The thirsty attendants were continually stopping at the well, and it kept Ada Van Horn, Florence Leighton and Jennie DeCamp busy in attending to the wants of their many customers. The decorations at the well were greatly admired and they consisted of many pretty colors.

The grocery table furnished an interesting place for those present. Here was to be found all kinds of groceries at reasonable prices, and a large number availed themselves of the opportunity of buying from such efficient clerks as Mabel Stevens, Carrie Pangborn and Sadie Winckler.

As one entered the grounds they could not help seeing the pretty fancy table in charge of Edith Loomis, Mary Hoagland, Helen Harned and Addie Marsh. There was a choice display of fancy articles, and at this table a goodly sum was received from the large number of sales.

The cake table was in charge of Nellie Vermeule and Kizie DeMott, and the waitresses who served the cake and ice cream were Belle Smith, Hattie Voehl, Grace Gaddis, Carrie Leighton, Eva Titus, Stella Vermeule and Belle DeMott.

In the afternoon there was a large attendance and the sales were most gratifying, but in the evening the attendance surprised the most sanguine. Everything was disposed of and a nice sum of money was received as a result.

The Band is in charge of Miss Marguerite Schuck and Miss Della Voehl, and to them is due much credit for the successful affair. Credit is also due John H. Carney for his efforts in assisting the members of the Band.

The display of lanterns in the evening, together with the many colors of the rainbow, made an exceedingly attractive scene, and many were led to the place out of curiosity and then induced to buy.

The profits of the festival will be used for missionary purposes and the members feel much encouraged by the substantial manner in which they were helped to carry on their work.

A feature of the festival was the music rendered by Samuel Frazee and Mr. Creger. They were stationed in the church and the music attracted a great number of people. This morning it was stated by the officers of the Band that they had made about $75.

Elected to the Stock Exchange.

Another Plainfielder was honored by being elected a member of the New York Stock Exchange. E. H. Ladd, Jr., of the firm of Wood, Hustis & Co., is the fortunate one. Mr. Ladd lives on Franklin place, and he is a shrewd business man of recognized ability. His many friends will congratulate him on his success.

Music Hall Opens August 2d.

Music Hall will open on August 2d, under the charge of Manager Willey, with Kennedy's Players for a week. Last year they made a great hit and this year will appear with a larger company strengthened by several new players of strong reputation.

TO PROTECT CYCLISTS.

MORE WATCHMEN AT LEHIGH VALLEY CROSSING ON PARK AVENUE.

Letter From a Plainfielder Results in Better Protection for Pedestrians, Vehicles and Wheels at the Crossing.

Accidents at the grade crossing of the Lehigh Valley Railroad on Park avenue have been very infrequent, in fact, it has been many years since anything serious occurred there. Nevertheless, it seems rather remarkable that there has not been more accidents there considering how hard it is to see the approach of the train until the observer is almost on the tracks. There was a flagman there between the hours of 7 in the morning and 7 at night, but the rest of the time the passersby were compelled to look out for themselves.

The day after the terrible Valley Stream disaster when a coach crowded with young people was run into by a train, F. R. Stevens, of East Fifth street, happened to cross the Lehigh Valley at the point mentioned and noticed the similarity with the crossing where the accident occurred the day before. He wrote a letter to J. B. Hunt, soliciting freight agent of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, with whom he is in frequent communication in a business way, calling his attention to the crossing and to the fact that a watchman was stationed there from 7 to 7 o'clock. He asked that the matter be referred to the proper official and suggested that the time of the flagman be extended or else the engineers be notified to double or threble the usual warning of four short blows of the whistle.

Mr. Stevens has just received a letter from Mr. Hunt, inclosing a letter from Superintendent John Donnelly, of that division, to whom Mr. Hunt had referred the matter. Superintendent Donnelly wrote that he had arranged to have a watchman go on duty at 6:45 o'clock in the morning and remain there until 10 o'clock that morning, and then have another watchman stay on duty from 10 in the morning until 10 at night. He said that a census had been taken for six days and it was found that forty-five foot passengers, ninety-two teams and 251 bicyclists, out of a total of 1,014, had passed there between the hours of 10 o'clock at night and 6 o'clock in the morning. He said that the question had come up at one time of putting an overhead crossing at that point, but the difficulty in the way was from the objections of the adjoining property owners whose land fronts on the approaches, and would raise objections at once.

GILES MAY SUE THE CITY.

HE WANTS REPARATION FOR THE LOSS OF HIS BUSINESS.

He Has Secured Counsel and Has Strong Financial Backing to Aid Him in His Suit—He Is Stopping in New Market Now.

Nelson Giles, the local milkman, whose large stock of milk was seized and destroyed by the health authorities in the late scarlet fever scare in this city, is bound that his rights shall be secured and some recompense given him for what he terms the harsh action of the board in practically destroying his business.

Bernard Meyers, a well-to-do milk dealer, of Finderne, of whom he bought milk, is giving Giles financial assistance and advice, and as a preliminary step in the proceedings against the city, Giles yesterday engaged the services of Reed & Coddington.

When seen by a Press reporter today, ex Judge Coddington stated that no suit has as yet been commenced, and that the course which shall be taken in Giles' behalf will depend largely upon the attitude of the city officials in the matter.

Nelson Giles was in New Market today, and his two sons are still quarantined in the house on Park avenue.

WOMAN DRAGGED TWENTY FEET.

Mrs J. C Benner Injured in a Runaway in Westfield.

A horse attached to a light buckboard and driven by Mrs. J. C. Benner, took fright on Broad street, Westfield, on 8:45 o'clock this morning and ran away.

Mrs. Benner was thrown from the wagon near the Methodist church. She clung to the reins and was dragged 20 feet before loosing her hold.

The horse then ran into the fountain at the intersection of North avenue, smashing a back wheel and axle of the vehicle. The animal ran along North avenue to the railway station where it was captured.

Mrs. Benner received bruises and her clothing was torn. She was taken home and a physician attended to her injuries. It is thought that the horse took fright at a passing train.

GRADUATES RECEIVED.

NORTH PLAINFIELD ALUMNI ENTERTAINED IN THEIR HONOR.

The Reception Was a Great Success and Was Well Attended—School Hall Beautifully Decorated for the Occasion.

The success of the alumni reception of the North Plainfield High School, last evening, was assured even before it was held, for an energetic committee was in charge and everything was carefully planned and arranged. It is but fair to say that the reception was the most successful one that has yet been held. A delightful change from last year was in the omission of the business meeting at the first part of the reception and the change of the affair into a regular reception and dance.

The reception was held in the hall in the school building, which was charmingly decorated for the occasion. Red prevailed and was to be found in the shape of bunting and flowers. The banners of the different classes were hung about the walls, and altogether the general effect was delightful.

The first part of the evening was an informal reception, in which the guests were presented to the fair graduates and to each other. Dr. Warde, the superintendent, was present as were a number of the teachers. Then the music began and dancing followed for the rest of the evening, with an interruption for the serving of refreshments. Everybody did not dance, and seats were arranged for their benefit in the side of the rooms where they could watch the others or chat with their friends.

About a hundred were present. Rogers furnished the music.

LOCAL MERCHANTS LEFT.

All the Household Goods Are Covered By Mortgages.

While all the household property of Dr. J. D. Wood, of Crescent avenue, was not sold at the chattel mortgage sale yesterday, the local creditors of the absent doctor are likely to come out the little end of the horn, for two other chattel mortgages, amounting to $1,300 altogether, are held by Mrs. Annie Wood and E C. Mulford. The attorneys for the latter parties, Swackhamer & Williams, are preparing to take action in the matter and the goods will be placed in storage in security for the debt.

The local merchants still hold bills for the amount of $500, but at present it looks as if they will get left, as there is nothing else on which to make an attachment.

An Incorporated Body Now.

The Town Improvement Association of Plainfield has become an incorporated body. Articles of incorporation have been filed at Elizabeth in accordance with the decision of the association at a meeting some time ago, as was told in The Press at the time. The object of the association as given out is to arouse deeper interest in that city's welfare, and suggest to women how they should discharge their municipal obligations. Besides this, the association will appoint committees to see that the laws and city ordinances are not violated. The officers are:—Francis J. Mali, president; Mary H. Patterson and Emily C. F. Randolph, vice presidents; Francesca B. Krom, recording secretary; Elizabeth Stewart, corresponding secretary, and Louise B. Gilbert, treasurer. The list of membership includes women of the highest social standing.

Fell From His Horse.

Harvey Fisk, son of Mayor C. J. Fisk, of West Seventh street, met with what came very near being a serious accident. He was riding horseback and had just reached the corner of Park avenue and West Seventh street, when his horse slipped and fell on its side. By a quick movement Fisk threw himself clear of the stirrups and just escaped falling under the horse. Some passersby assisted him to get his horse on its feet again.

Will Meet Evenings, Too.

The Commissioners appointed under the Martin Act are desirous that all interested should be made aware that they will meet in the evening of July 8th, from 7:30 to 9 o'clock, as well as in the afternoon of that day, thus endeavoring to give all an opportunity of meeting with them either in the afternoon or evening of the date fixed, July 8th, as convenience may offer.

Politics at an Outing.

The Democratic City Executive Committee of Elizabeth is planning for an outing on August 19th to Whitestone, L. I. The steamer Isabel will be chartered for the trip. The committee intend this to be a big gathering of Union county Democrats.

Delinquent Tax Payers.

The list of delinquent tax-payers will be published in The Daily Press on Monday. It is the regular list, however, and has nothing to do with the Martin Act.

WOMEN IN CITY COURT.

JUDGE DEMEZA FINED TWO OF THEM WHO PLEADED GUILTY.

The Story of the Trouble Between the Two Young Women of Color Was Rehearsed—Other Offenders Tried.

It was "Ladies' Day" at the city court this morning, and City Judge DeMeza fined two of them $5 apiece for different offences.

The two dusky maids came before the Judge for trial. Miss Josephine Davis was the prisoner and Miss Carrie Bundy the complainant. The prisoner's story was that she had been standing on North avenue talking with a young man of color, when Miss Bundy made a remark to the young man that reflected on the character of Josephine. The latter brought her hand down upon the speaker's jaw and there was war. Josephine pleaded guilty and was fined $5.

Harry Fosberry was soliloquising to himself on Liberty street. The trouble was "Jersey lightning." He pleaded guilty.

James Day said that Bridget Neumann, of West Third street, called him bad names and he made a complaint against her some time ago. She pleaded guilty and was fined $5.

The complainant against William Blunt did not show up and the Judge discharged him. The trial of John Keeley was adjourned a week. Patrick Keeley was ill and could not appear to be sentenced. The trial of Howard Doty was also laid over for a week.

FOUND A CORPSE.

It Proved to Be a Dog Although They Thought It a Baby.

Yesterday afternoon while Mr. Gunther, of the borough, was mowing grass on West End avenue, near Grant avenue and the small stream which passes close by, he detected a terrible stench coming from the stream. On investigation he discovered a large mysterious looking bag lying in the water near the bank.

His first thought was that the bag contained a dead baby and his suspicion seemed to be well grounded, for the bag was so large. At the time he did not investigate any further but waited until this morning, when he notified Chief Marshal Wilson, of his discovery. The latter went to the spot at once and found the mysterious looking bag. At first he was of the opinion that the bag concealed an infant.

He secured a long pole with a hook on the end and pulled the bag closer to the bank for investigation. As soon as he turned the bag over he discovered the feet of a dead dog. The animal was a large one and anyone might suppose that a child was hidden away in the bushes. The spot was a secluded one and unless a person was attracted by the terrible stench they would not be likely to find the bag.

Chief Wilson at once informed the Board of Health of the affair, and the dog will be removed and buried immediately.

RELIEF ASSOCIATION ELECTS.

Hereafter the Affairs Will be Conducted in a Business-Like Manner.

A meeting of the North Plainfield Firemen's Relief Association was held last evening in the rooms of Warren Engine Company, when officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, L. B. Woolston; vice president, David Bodine; secretary, Herman Hansen; treasurer, J F. Buckle; trustees, G. F. Fairchild, Gus Feiring and David Bodine.

The members decided that in the future they would conduct the business of the association in a more business-like manner. Heretofore the members have not taken the interest in the association that they should. An adjournment was made to the third Friday in June when other important business will be considered. The treasurer was put under $3.000 bonds and a salary of $15 was given him.

May Build a Theatre.

The site of the Allen Theatre, at New Brunswick, which was destroyed by fire in December, has been bought by William Sutton, of New York. The deed was filed Thursday. The building was formerly owned by the Newark Home Builders' Association, of which Edward Ward is president. The consideration is not set forth. It is understood Sutton will build a theatre.

A Strange Combination.

B. R. Waldron, of Coddington avenue, has quite a curiosity on his front lawn. It is a beautiful Magna Charta rose bush, in full bloom, on a small dog wood tree, he having grafted the rose bush into the top of the dog wood tree. The effect is quite pretty as it resembles a large bouquet of roses on a cane stuck into the lawn.

—Additional locals on page 3.

STITES TELLS HIS SIDE.

HE CLAIMS THAT HIS WIFE DESERTED HIM.

Said That She Refused to Live With Him and Married Another Beau—Other Points of His Version.

Theodore Stites called at The Daily Press office recently and stated that he desired to have his side of the story published as regards his being married to two women as he was accused of by his former wife, who is now Mrs. Benson. Mr. Stites says that he married Miss Kate Sprigg on October 21st, 1889, and that she was not faithful to him. He being a Protestant and she a Catholic was the cause of their family relations not being what they should be. At the time he was employed by P. M. French, of Somerset street, and the $7.50 he received a week he gave to her every Saturday night, and that if she did not have enough in the house to eat it was not his fault. Furthermore, Mr. Stites says that he has a number of witnesses who can testify that she would mix flour for bread and then go off with another man and remain away so long that the bread would be sour when she returned.

"During this time," Mr. Stites continued, "I went to Pennsylvania where I secured work, and while I was there my wife accused me of going with other women. This is false, absolutely. I returned to Plainfield in a few weeks and I then learned that all my furniture had been removed from my house to the place where her parents lived. When I met her I inquired the reason for her actions, and she said that she would not live with me. On a number of occasions I remained at home and watched the baby while she went walking with Benson, the man she afterward married. I have a number of witnesses to show that I did support her and was doing my share toward keeping the home together.

"Last fall I brought action against her for bigamy but for some reason the court never paid any attention to the matter. About two weeks ago I was married to Miss Clara Giddis, of Greenbrook road. As regards taking her out riding, I can say that that is false. I never went riding with Miss Giddis. I felt as though I had a perfect right to get married again after my first wife left me and refused to live with me, and when she says that I would not support her, she says what is not true. All I desire is that fair treatment be given on both sides."

Mr. Stites was very frank in his manner. The reason he gives for going to Pennsylvania was that he could not stand the trouble which was then brewing.

HE WANTS RETRIBUTION

MILNE SAYS THAT SCANDALOUS STORIES WERE CIRCULATED.

Their Object, He Claims, Was to Break His Engagement With Miss Connors—Now He Sues For Damages.

A suit for $5,000 damages has been commenced in the Supreme Court by John C. Milne, of Plainfield, through his attorneys, Reed & Coddington, against George Voehl, the West Front street baker, and Mrs. Voehl, his wife.

The case is one of alleged defamation of character. Milne, who is a carpenter, employed by John Abbott, in this city, alleges that Mr. and Mrs. Voehl have attempted to break off his engagement with Miss Kate Connors, by telling her tales about him which were not true.

A sister of Miss Connors stated today that she once overheard Mrs. Voehl telling her sister that Milne was an excessive drinker.

When a Press reporter called to see Miss Connor at her home, 29 Harrison street, today, she was not there. An attempt to find Milne was also unsuccessful.

The Voehls and the Connors have been friends for many years, and the latter are unwilling to discuss the suit. It is alleged that some of the stories circulated by the Voehls about Milne would be unfit for newspaper publication.

May Open a School.

The many friends of Dr. Warde, who has been superintendent of the North Plainfield Public School this year, are urging him to take the school, which has heretofore been conducted by Rev. Joselyn Johnston, and continue it. Dr. Warde has the plan under consideration for some time. If he decides to take the school, he will make it a military school.

Peck Is All Right.

In referring to the recent agitation among some of the merchants of the city relative to early closing, the Press forgot to state that Peck closes at 7 o'clock, the year around, and asks no questions of anyone.

—Additional locals on page 3.

ST. MARY'S SCHOLARS

ENTERTAIN A LARGE AUDIENCE IN THEIR SCHOOL HALL.

It Was the Occasion of the Closing Exercises of the Parochial School—Delightful Features of the Programme.

The closing exercises of St. Mary's school, which took place in the school's assembly hall, last evening, were something of an innovation, and judging by the enthusiastic applause given by the large audience, the whole affair was a success. The walls of the assembly room were tastefully decorated with pale blue and white bunting, the class colors; and large clusters of exquisite roses were placed on the piano and the front of the platform. Not a seat was vacant in the room, and many were standing in the aisles and at the rear.

The programme commenced at 8 o'clock by a "Welcome" chorus, sung by boys and girls of the school. Next came a solo and chorus, "The Little Old Woman," by Little Miss May Murray and a number of primary girls. Although it was difficult to distinguish the words of this song the sight of the pretty little girls in white completely won the audience, and much applause was given. About forty primary boys next appeared and scored a hit with their action song, "Hear Me Say My A. B. C." In some respects this song was the hit of the evening. The next chorus, by fifty grammar girls, was entitled "School," and was well rendered; eighteen boys of the grammar school department gave a character song, "The Dashing Soldier Boy," in uniform. The piece included some difficult marching evolutions, which were well carried out. The leader of the march was John Traynor.

The second part of the programme began with a drama, "My Uncle, the Captain," which was enacted by six grammar boys. The story of the play was that of an innocent young man who was mistaken for a thief and was identified and rescued at the critical moment by his uncle. The part of "Landlord Hauscomb," who was on the lookout for suspicious characters in his hotel, was well taken by Charles McCann; "Sam Skillings, of Dismaltown," who came to the hotel and was taken for "John Smith," a filcher of silver spoons, was impersonated in litelike fashion by Albert Traynor; the part "Captain Nat Skillings" Sam's uncle, a briny sea captain of a week's experience, was played by John Madden; John Carty and John Berry as "Pete" and "Steve," two waiters who had their eye on Sam Skillings, were good in their parts, as was also Thomas Mack in the part of "Bobby Small," an enterprising bootblack. As a whole the cast of the play showed exceptional talent for an amateur performance.

Tennyson's "Come Into the Garden, Maud," was sung with fine expression by Miss A. Daley. The song gave evidence of fine vocal powers well trained. 'God Bless You, My Boy," was sung by Master T. Carty, as a soloist, and a chorus of twelve boys.

The most lengthy and pretentious part of the programme was a fantasie, entitled "The Nations Greeting Liberty." Miss A. Daley, costumed as "Liberty," stood upon the stage and received the representatives of the different nations as they were brought forward with their flags in hand. After the introduction, a dancer, costumed to represent the nation just introduced, came upon the stage and executed a dance characteristic of the country in question. The dancing was excellent and of interest as it was designed to show the prevailing custom of dancing in each country. The costumes were in good taste and presumably correct. Those who represented the different nations were: England, Miss E Barrell; Ireland, Miss G. Corrigan; Scotland, Miss E. Shea; France, Miss J. Lutz; Germany, Miss M. Doll; Italy, Miss M. Burke; Spain, Miss A. Ryan; Russia, Miss M. Shannon; Switzerland, the Misses R. Roche and F. Hillman; Japan, Miss W. Kane; China, Charles McCann; American Indian, T. O'Keefe; Cuba, Miss E. Johnson.

The representative of China was somewhat embarrassed during his dance, when his Chinese shoes came off. He finished without them, however, and was loudly applauded. T. O'Keefe, as the American Indian, looked like a genuine savage, and caused much merriment. Cuba, represented by a small colored girl, was greeted cordially. Liberty came forward and took her into her arms. A fine tableau, in which all the nations figured, was given as the curtain went down.

Thomas Mack next gave a vocal solo, "The Old Fashioned Mother," succeeding well in his efforts. The

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NEARING THE FINISH

The Wool, the Silk and the Tobacco Schedules Completed.

CHELTON ON INTERSTATE COMMERCE

He Advocates Its Prohibition In Articles Manufactured by Trusts and Advises Making Its Enforcement Punishable by Imprisonment.

Washington, June 26.—The senate has completed the wool schedule, the silk schedule and the tobacco schedule of the tariff bill, and with this accomplished the tariff leaders had the satisfaction of knowing that all the schedules of the bill and the free list had been gone over once. There now remains only to go through the bill a second time, passing on the items passed over. These are very numerous and important, including hides, gloves, coal, tea and beer.

After that the internal revenue features of the bill will be all that remains Progress has been rapid, although every paragraph relating to carpets was stubbornly contested. The consideration of the silk schedule led to a strong contest against the proposed duties on silk fabrics, Senators Teller and Mantle joining with the Democrats in opposition.

The paragraph was passed by the slender majority of 2. The tobacco schedule went through with little friction after the committee had advanced the duty slightly on wrapper and leaf tobacco.

Senator Chelton gave notice of an amendment he will offer to the tariff bill prohibiting interstate commerce in articles manufactured by trusts, making the offense punishable by three years' imprisonment.

The senate in executive session confirmed the following nominations:

Albert C. Thompson of Ohio, Alexander C. Botkin of Montana and David B. Culberson of Texas to be the commissioners to revise and codify the criminal and penal laws of the states, as provided for by the act of congress approved June 4.

To be consuls: William Jarvis of New Hampshire, at Milan; Horace W. Metcalf of Maine, at Newcastle-on-Tyne, England; Edward H. Thompson of Massachusetts, at Progresso, Mexico.

To be United States marshals: Charles P. Hitch for the southern district of Illinois, Walter H. Johnson for the northern district of Georgia, Addison Davis James for the district of Kentucky.

For a New Immigrant Station.

Washington, June 26.—Commissioner General Stump of the immigration bureau in a letter to the secretary of the treasury gives his views as to the rebuilding of the immigrant station on Ellis island. Mr. Stump recommends that the work of reclaiming the island be continued until about three acres more are added, making the total area about 17 acres.

He further recommends the construction of a main building for the use of immigrants, a hospital, with quarters for the medical corps, and a restaurant and kitchen.

These three buildings, he says, should be of steel and brick construction, fireproof and with all modern improvements. The total improvements, he estimated, would cost about $600,000.

National Banks to Organize.

Washington, June 26.—Authority has been granted for the organization of the First National bank of Edensburg, Pa.; capital $50,000. The Nazareth National bank of Nazareth, Pa., has been authorized to begin business; capital $50,000. Authority has been given the Exchange bank of Springfield, Mo., to convert to a national bank, under the name of the Exchange National bank.

Some Liquor Tax Statistics.

Albany, June 26.—There are 26,718 liquor tax certificates in force in the state at this date. Since May 1 to date 26,849 certificates have been issued, but 131 of them have been surrendered. The total number issued are divided into five classes, as follows: Liquor to be drunk on premises, 23,078; liquor not to be drunk on premises, 2,532; pharmacists, 1,084; common carriers, 117; trafficking in alcohol for mechanical and scientific purposes, 38. The total receipts from these certificates, as previously published, amount to $12,509,765.

Gun Factory to Shut Down.

Troy, N. Y., June 26.—The big gun factory at the Watervliet arsenal is to be shut down during the month of July. Notice to that effect has been posted. The reason given is that owing to the lack of forgings and the desire of some of the men to have a vacation it will be best to put all on equal terms and close the entire establishment. There are 475 men in the gunshop, and about 40 will be retained to make repairs, while the machinery is not being used. The lower shops will not be closed, as smaller work is done there.

Actor Hoey Insane.

Detroit, June 26.—William Hoey, the actor, widely known in theatrical circles as Old Hoss Hoey, who has been taking the baths at Mount Clemens, has lately developed signs of mental unsoundness, and a party of friends have started with him for New York city, where he will probably enter Bellevue hospital for treatment. Within the last few days his mental vagaries have assumed a violent form, and it is feared by his physicians he will never recover.

Boy's Arm Torn Off.

Batavia, N. Y., June 26.—George E. Shappell, 17 years old, has been frightfully injured. His left arm was torn completely off at the elbow by machinery at the Chapin factory. He was working on a cutting machine, and by a slipping belt was caught and dragged into the machinery. He was lifted several feet from the floor before the arm gave way.

Farm Machinery Makers Assign.

Sandwich, Ills., June 26.—The Sandwich Enterprise company, manufacturers of windmills, cotton planters and farm machinery, has made an assignment to D. K. Crawfoot of this city. The liabilities are placed at $200,000.

Death of the "Astor Tramp."

Newburg, N. Y., June 26.—John Garvey, the famous Astor tramp, died in the hospital at Matteawan yesterday.

IN THE HANDS OF A MOB

Key West Overrun by Colored Men, Who Threaten the Town.

SERIOUS TROUBLE MAY YET ARISE.

Begun at a Trial Held In the Courthouse When a Threat Was Made to Lynch the Prisoner Murder of a White Man.

Key West, June 26.—This city has been virtually in the hands of a negro mob, and a white citizen was killed by them. Silvanus Johnson, charged with assault on a white woman, Mrs. Margaret Atwell, was conducted to the courthouse for a hearing. The courtroom was crowded, and C. B. Pendleton, a well known citizen, arose and asked, "Are there enough white men present to hang the negro." There was a chorus of "Yes," and the crowd closed in on the prisoner. The sheriff and his deputies drew their revolvers and held the crowd at bay while Johnson was at once hurried back to jail. A big mob gathered in front of the building, and one of the negroes cried out to lynch Pendleton, and a rush was made for him. Through the efforts of himself and his friends Pendleton made his escape in a carriage.

The negro mob then gathered again about the jail building to prevent the lynching of Johnson, and open threats were made by them to kill any white man that might come to the jail. About 11 o'clock at night William Gardner, a white man, was sitting in front of the courthouse, when several of the negro mob approached him and ordered him to move on. He arose to obey, and as soon as his back was turned there rang out the crack of a number of rifles, and Gardner received a mortal wound, from which he died two hours later.

The whites are inclined to avenge Gardner's death, and another attempt to lynch Johnson is expected to be made. A serious conflict between the whites and blacks is feared.

The militia is in readiness for any disturbance, having been ordered out by the governor, and the United States troops are at the orders of the sheriff.

Ask Aid From Washington.

Washington, June 26.—The governor of Florida telegraphed President McKinley that a riot is threatened at Key West and asked him that, in view of the distance of Key West from the mainland and the difficulty of getting state troops to the scene of trouble in time to be of any avail, to instruct the commander of the federal troops there to act. The president replied to the governor citing the law in the case and asking for particulars. Secretary Alger has telegraphed to the commandant of the post at Key West asking for telegraphic advices giving the exact situation. The action to be taken will depend upon the response to these inquiries.

A Baker Mysteriously Disappears.

Oneonta, N. Y., June 26.—Frank Parrish, who conducted a bakery in the Niles building on Broad street, disappeared and has not been seen since Tuesday. His wife notified the police that night of his absence, and she don't know his whereabouts now. Numerous creditors were demanding pay at the house. Several firms have issued attachments, closed the store and will sell the stock of goods. The liabilities are not known. On the night that Parrish left an attempt was made to burn the building in which the bakery was located. The fire was quickly discovered by a woman residing in a flat above and promptly extinguished. A quantity of kerosene was thrown over the landing at the foot of the back stairs.

Russian Ironclad Sunk.

St. Petersburg, June 26.—The Russian turret ironclad Gangoot, one of the best vessels in the imperial navy, ran upon a reef near Transund during a storm and sank almost immediately. The crew is reported saved. The Gangoot belonged to the Black sea fleet. She was of 6,592 tons displacement, 278 feet long, 62 feet in the beam and had a maximum draft of 21 feet, with two propellers, and 8,300 horsepower. She was built at St. Petersburg in 1890 and had a speed of 14.7 knots. Her complement was 528 men. She had one 12-inch gun, four 9-inch guns, four 6-inch guns and ten quick firing guns, with five torpedo tubes.

Fatal Boiler Explosion.

Brockwayville, Pa., June 26.—Adam Leck, aged 62, and his son William, aged 25, were instantly killed by the explosion of the boiler in a small machine shop at Brockport, Elk county. The building was owned by Leck and was demolished by the force of the explosion. Both bodies were blown a distance of about 100 feet and were terribly mangled. Frank Leck, another son, was working but a few feet from his father and escaped without a scratch. The explosion is thought to have been caused by carrying too much steam.

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—J. O. Campbell has erected a new iron awning in front of his store on West Front street.

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William Wilson, of East Fourth street, will go to Elberon, July 14th, to spend six weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Drew, of West Front street, will spend Independence Day at New London, Conn.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

The marriage of Miss Waldron, of Harrison street, and Mr. Drake, also of the borough, will be solemenized next Wednesday evening at the home of the bride.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman fo the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—Stryker Bros., of West Front street, have nearly completed their new house.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Miss Marguerite Loughlin, of East Third street, who fell from a cherry tree recently and nearly lost her life, is improving nicely at the hospital where she is now confined.

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In Spite of English Innovations In Training, the Other Crews Are Left Behind—The Question of Weight In Races Is Settled.

Poughkeepsie, June 26.—American grit, American methods and American training have won, as against American grit coupled with English methods and English training. A crew of American college youths, trained under an American coach, won from two other American college crews in an eight oared contest, the two other crews, Yale and Harvard, having studied, the one under an American coach with a mixture of English and American methods and the other discarding all American teachings and methods and importing an English coach in an endeavor to prove a superiority for Henley methods. No such contest ever occurred in this country before.

Yesterday the leading crews of three leading colleges of this college strewed country started down the four mile stretch together. Yale finished second, and 3¼ boat lengths separated her from Cornell. Harvard, with her newly acquired English methods, finished third, and she was over 8½ lengths behind the Cornellians. Her eight were thoroughly exhausted, while the exponents of American theory as applied to the propulsion of eight oared shells, finished at a hot pace without any distress being apparent.

The tide was slack, the wind favored no particular crew, absolutely no favor of any kind was shown by nature toward the result. The race was rowed entirely on its merits.

The race also set a conclusion upon the long mooted question concerning weights. Yale stripped in their boat today at an average of 171 pounds, and Cornell, 158. Yale used every pound of its "beef" on the leverage of its oar, at times with a nervousness which made the boat fairly lift from the water. Cornell employed her trained down muscle without "beef" in a leisurely, confident manner that pulled her at every stroke toward victory. It was a singular coincidence that the English trained crew, Harvard, pursued exactly the same method as to the number of strokes per minute as did the winning crew, and although they weighed in on an average 10 pounds heavier than Cornell's men, that extra weight told for nothing, and either from too much fineness in training or lack of ability to pull the stroke set for them, they were practically dead after the second mile.

Used Her Usual Stroke.

It is also curious to note that Cornell pulled exactly the same kind of a stroke and the same number of strokes to the minute that she pulled last year when she won in record breaking time, and that Harvard, while advertising that she had entirely new methods, was defeated in exactly the same manner that defeat met her last year.

Briefly the result of the race is that Cornell asserts her superiority in rowing, method of training and capability over the two older universities, and she still holds the record for intercollegiate eights of 19m. 29s., which she made last year.

The race was one of the most brilliant in the history of aquatics in this country. The crews started with a stroke of 32 for Cornell and 36 for Harvard and Yale. Harvard gained a slight advantage over the others at the start, and the usual note of jubilation went up from the Harvard adherents. It was apparent within the first quarter mile that the Cornell crew was using the same method that took them on to victory last year, that of a slow and telling stroke that would wear out their opponents. The boats traveled swiftly, although it was easily noticeable that the tide was at a slack and that the conditions did not favor record breaking. Yale, with a quick stroke, hung in the rear until after the first quarter of a mile, while Harvard and Cornell fought it out. Cornell forged to the front before the end of the first mile was reached, and then began a struggle for the place between Yale and Harvard, old enemies.

Harvard struggled valiantly, but before the end of the mile and a half was in the rear of Yale. Cornell, never varying the stroke, went on with that easy, swinging movement, little Colson in the coxswain's box cautioning them not to turn away with it. Harvard, acting under the instruction of their training master, used at many points the same stroke as to numbers, but it seemed to have little effect, the boat of Cornell running away from Harvard. At the two mile point Yale's crew were going away from Harvard, and the latter seemed unable to prevent it, although they were rowing away at the long 32 stroke that had been predicted as a winning one.

Yale's Desperate Spurt.

After Yale got away from Harvard she turned her attention to Cornell, and just beyond the second mile made a desperate spurt to catch the slim youngsters. Never for a moment did the young white shirted lads from Cornell get rattled. Backward and forward went the sweeps with a rhythmical movement and a powerful swing that was surprising to watch. The weighty youngsters from Yale used every pound of leverage on the end of the oar, but they could not bring their boat alongside of the swiftly moving boat of the Cornell boys. The Harvard men were rowing in very weak fashion during this next mile, and it was evident that they were thoroughly used up.

At the bridge the coxswain of the Harvard crew had to give the Harvard stroke a little water in his face, and for a moment, under the reviving influence, the boat swung along at a goodly pace. But only for a moment, and just as they passed under the big bridge the stroke began to give way. Cornell was rowing at 32, and Yale was working away at 33 and 34 and evidently tired.

The last mile of the race was probably one of the most sensational in the history of college aquatics. Sensational not so much from the fact that it recorded the defeat of the crews of the two leading colleges of the United States, but it demonstrated to the satisfaction of the majority of those who have watched the work of the crews and the different methods pursued in their training that the Lehmann or the Cook stroke must bow to the superiority of the Courtney modification of the two and that while weight and brawn are factors they must be combined with skill, and the skill is that which Mr. Courtney teaches.

As they approached the finish line it was seen that the Harvard eight were nearly to a man in difficulties, while several of the Yale men were showing signs of distress. Then the Cornell crew, as if in mockery at the discomfiture of their rivals, increased their stroke to 34 and shot past the judges' boat, every man as fresh apparently as when he started, and as if not satisfied with their wonderful exhibition, rowed for a quarter of a mile down the river, first giving three rousing cheers to the man who had coached them to victory, Charles E. Courtney.

Ten seconds after Cornell, Yale crossed the line and immeditely stopped rowing, with No. 2, Whitney, and No. 3, Campbell, in a state of collapse.

Then came Harvard, 16 seconds behind, her entire crew used up and three of the men utterly helpless. Hardly had the nose of her shell reached the finish when Boardman, stroke, fell back off his seat. Wrightington, at No. 3, and J. F. Perkins, at No. 5, also lost their oars, and their companions commenced to splash water over them. In the meantime Goodrich, captain, was trying to raise Boardman, but was too weak, and the coxswain was throwing water over the two. After a long wait for their launch, which could not get through the crowd of various craft that seemed to come from everywhere at once, the men were reached and carefully taken to their quarters.

GUILTY OF MURDER.

An Italian Convicted In the First Degree For the Murder of a Woman.

Bridgeport, Conn., June 26.—Nicodemo Imposino, charged with complicity in the murder of the wife of Giuseppe Fuda at East Norwalk Feb. 17 last, has been found guilty of murder in the first degree. The jury was out nearly two hours. The closing argument was made this morning by State Attorney Samuel Fessenden, who spoke for over an hour.

Judge Ralph Wheeler immediately charged the jury, and it took him nearly three-quarters of an hour to finish his charge. After the jury reported, Attorney Chamberlain, counsel for Imposino, made a motion for arrest of judgment, alleging that some of the jurors visited the scene of the murder without the consent of the court. The motion will be argued before Judge Wheeler next Monday, and sentence was deferred.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At Washington—

Washington	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	1	1	—6
New York	5	2	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	—11

Washington—Hits, 13; errors, 6. New York—Hits, 11; errors, 2.

Second game.

Washington	2	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	*	—6
New York	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	—4

Washington—Hits, 10; errors, 3. New York—Hits, 12; errors, 2.

At Brooklyn—

Brooklyn	0	0	4	3	1	0	3	0	0	—11
Philadelphia	0	0	5	5	1	2	0	0	0	—13

Brooklyn—Hits, 11; errors, 0. Philadelphia—Hits, 19; errors, 2.

At Boston—

Boston	0	5	0	0	1	0	0	1	3	—10
Baltimore	3	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	—9

Boston—Hits, 10; errors, 3. Baltimore—Hits, 11; errors, 3.

At Pittsburg—

Pittsburg	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	*	—6
St. Louis	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	—4

Pittsburg—Hits, 10; errors, 1. St. Louis—Hits, 10; errors, 2.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Boston	37	13	.740
Baltimore	34	14	.703
Cincinnati	30	17	.638
New York	29	19	.604
Brooklyn	25	25	.500
Cleveland	24	25	.490
Pittsburg	24	25	.490
Philadelphia	25	28	.472
Washington	21	27	.437
Louisville	19	29	.396
Chicago	18	32	.360
St. Louis	11	42	.208

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

John and Herman Riegelman have been arrested in New York for forging L railroad tickets.

Guy Roche of New York, racing tout, was sent to Sing Sing for nine years for shooting George Levy.

A mob overpowered the jailers at Crystal Springs, Miss., and lynched John Moses, who murdered a farmer.

Samuel Finks, alleged to be demented from the use of cigarettes, is said to have jumped off the Brooklyn bridge.

By the invitation of Sir Henry Irving, 700 of the colonial troops now in London witnessed a special performance at the Lyceum theater.

James Pollard, colored, was hanged in the jailyard in St. Louis for the murder of Joseph Irwin. The murder was committed in July, 1895.

Fire did great damage to the storehouse of the New York Central railroad at Eleventh avenue and Fifty-ninth street, New York.

Weather Predictions.

Fair; cooler; northwesterly winds.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western firmly held; city mills patents, $4.60@4.85; winter patents, $4.40@4.70; city mills clears, $4.60@4.75; winter straights, $3.95@4.10.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened steady and advanced sharply on firmer cables, damage by rain and the unsettled condition of July options; July, 75⅛@76c.; September, 70¼@70 9-16c.

RYE—Steady; No. 2 western, 36¾c., c. i. f., Buffalo.

CORN—No. 2 quiet, but steadier on better cables and in sympathy with wheat; July, 29⅝@29¾c.; September, 31⅛@31¼c.

OATS—No. 2 quiet and steady with the other markets; July, 22⅝c.; track, white, state, 25@30c.

PORK—Dull; mess, $8.25@8.75; family, $9.25@10.

LARD—Dull; prime western steam, $4.05 nominal.

BUTTER—Quiet; state dairy, 10@14c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Quiet; state, large, 8¼c.; small, 7½@8c.

EGGS—Easy; state and Pennsylvania, 11½c.; western, 10@10½c.

TURPENTINE—Quiet at 27@27½c.

HAY—Dull; shipping, 50c.; good to choice, 60@70c.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Naegle.)

For Tonight and Sunday Generally Fair; Cooler Sunday Morning

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 83 Degrees.

Subscribers to The Daily Press who are leaving town for summer vacations can have the paper sent to their temporary address without extra expense by simply notifying the business office

COLLEGIATE ATHLETES.

Nowadays the collegiate boat race seem to attract universal interest. Everybody wanted to hear the result of the triangular race between Cornell, Yale and Harvard, at Poughkeepsie, yesterday, and when the announcement came, hundreds of dollars changed hands. All the collegiate athletic contests have risen to a prominent place during the last few years Now all of the small boys know everyone of the prominent athletes by name and discuss their abilities and defects with the air of experts. A few years ago scarcely anyone outside of the circle of the friends of the college boys knew about the games that were played and the races that were rowed. The college boy has increased in numbers with great rapidity and so has the interest in his achievements.

The New York and New Jersey Bridge Company must now begin anew in preparing and filing general preliminary plans for the approval of the Secretary of War, and this will require two or three months' work. If these delays continue the present generation will have little chance of seeing the bridge in practical operation, New Jersey is in sore need of some change by which trains can be run direct to and from New York without the delays and inconvenience incident to the use of ferryboats.—New York Tribune.

The City Improvement League of Perth Amboy is a flourishing organization. Like our own Improvement Association, they wanted a fountain for their city and, better, it has now been completed. There must be something in the air of New Jersey that makes her women so much more energetic than those of other States, for even in the smaller cities of this State, the women are banding together to improve and beautify their homes.

Now that the commencement season is over, the cool summer weather has returned. There is no need to worry, however, for there is plenty of warm weather coming even if the commencements will not come again until next year.

BIG FISH IN RAHWAY RIVER.

School of Sharks May Have Chased Them Up Stream.

Men stood on the Monroe and Bridge streets bridges in Rahway yesterday morning and watched the fish. Some were very large and looked like bluefish.

When a move was made to capture them with a net they disappeared, but soon returned.

The Rahway fishermen think a school of sharks is in Staten Island Sound and has chased bluefish into the tributaries. The Rahway river is one.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Gordon Burton, of Philadelphia, is the guest of his father, C. W. Burton, of Watchung avenue.

Waldron Miller, of La Grande avenue, has returned from Greenwich Academy, Greenwich, R. I., on his summer vacation.

J. P. Emmons, the contractor, of Prospect place, is rejoicing in the fact that he is free from the chills, with which he has been suffering for some time.

Mrs. Julia Philpott has sold her house and lot on Mountain avenue, to Robert Carson, the carpenter, and he will repair the damages to the property by the recent fire.

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

John C. Whiting, of New York, has been visiting at his mother's home on East Sixth street.

Mrs. W. C. Ayres, of West Second street, has returned after visiting her son in East Orange.

Miss Angie S. Kuhl, of Somerville, has been visiting her friend, Miss Elsie Jobs, of Third place.

Mrs. Bolton and family, who have been visiting relatives in Plainfield, have returned home.

George Voorhees, of New Brunswick, has been the guest of Volney F. Green, of Mercer avenue.

Clarence Minturn Smith, formerly of this city and now of Brooklyn, has been visiting in Plainfield.

Willard Sneckner, of New York has been the guest of Benjamin O. Bowers, Jr., of Franklin place.

A baby boy has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. VanNorden, corner of Lyman and Astor place.

Miss Mary K. Jobs, of Third place, sprained her ankle in a fall from her wheel, yesterday morning.

Miss May Woodruff, of New York, is the guest of her friend, Miss Nora Williams, of Somerset street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira W. Travell, of West Sixth street, have gone to the Adirondacks for the summer.

Thomas H. Kellar, of East Front street, has returned from an extensive business trip through the west.

Miss Marion Hartley, of New York, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Sarah Schuyler, of LaGrande avenue.

Miss Cleveland and Benjamin Eddy, of Bayonne, were the guests of Plainfield friends Thursday evening.

William Roe, of Princeton University, has been the guest of Miss Louise Snediker, of Grove street.

E. E. Anthony, of West Front street, has about recovered from a recent accident and is once more able to go to business.

Mrs. L. M. Atkinson, of New York, has returned home after a visit at the home of Mrs. S. R. Robinson, of West Second street.

Raymond V. Carpenter, of Manning avenue, graduated from Rutgers College this summer and will become a civil engineer.

Miss Alys Chandor, of East Fifth street, sails today on the steamer, Gascoyne, for Europe, where she will spend the summer.

Frank Bushnell and family, of Madison avenue, left today for Point Pleasant to spend the summer. They will be registered at the Leighton.

Miss Sydenham, a teacher in the North Plainfield Public School, left the city this morning for Washington, this State, to spend her vacation.

Wilbur F. Cornwell, of New York, who has been visiting Plainfield friends, is now the guest of George Proctor Smith, of Crescent avenue.

Miss Alys Chandor, of East Fifth street, was one of the witnesses of the college boat race from the observation train yesterday at Poughkeepsie.

Miss Emma L. Adams, librarian of the Plainfield Public Library, is expected back today from Philadelphia, where she has been attending a library conference.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Clifton and Miss J. Louise Jenkins, of West Second street, started yesterday to drive to Patchogue, L. I., where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. Charles Lister and family, of East Fifth street, left today for Philadelphia to visit relatives. Miss Lister, of the latter place, who has been visiting in this city, accompanied them.

Prof. H. M. Maxson, superintendent of schools, has gone to attend the reunion of the class of '77 at Amherst College. After that he will join his family at Long Lake, in the Adirondacks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kreitling and family, of East Front street, have gone to the mountains in Somerset county where Mrs. Kreitling and the children will spend the summer months.

Maxwell Honeyman, of the borough, has returned from Lafayette College, where he has been taking his entrance examinations. He will know very soon whether he has succeeded in passing.

Charles Denice, who has been acting as assistant to Dr. Johnston at his school on Prospect place, left for his home at Allentown, N. J., yesterday afternoon. He will not return to Plainfield in the fall but will go to Lehigh University to take a post graduate course.

Miss Mary V. Whitney, of Park avenue, is in New York for a few days attending the Music Teachers' Convention. She is a member of Mrs A. K. Virgil's committee on "Mechanical Aids to the Study of Music." Miss Whitney has accepted the position of musical director at Drew Ladies'

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News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional local news on the third page.

—Engine Company, No. 2, will go out for a wash on Tuesday evening.

—Blue fish are selling at 6 cents a pound today at Rogers' seafood market.

—The Sunday-school of All Souls' church has been closed until September.

—Special missionary services will be held in the Congregational church Sunday-school, tomorrow morning.

—Crane & Clark, hatters, 120 West Front street, are cutting the price on all summer goods for balance of this month.

—The members of the Primary Teachers' Union are now planning for another picnic to be held in the near future.

—Rev. George C. Needham will speak on "Christian Work," in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, Monday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

—A meeting of Somerset Council, J. O. U. A. M., was held last evening and important business of a secret nature was transacted.

—The recent showers have packed the fine crushed stone on Franklin place and it is rapidly getting in good condition for wheelmen and vehicles.

—There will be Danish services held at the German Lutheren church, Grove street, Monday evening at 8 o'clock. O. Mengers, the pastor, will preach.

—Powlison & Jones are making a specialty of porch furniture and baby carriages this week. A good chance for those who want a fine porch rocker at a low price.

—The Metropolitan Life Insurance Company has assumed the risks of the United States Industrial Insurance Company, as the latter company has gone out of business.

—One of the questions being asked frequently is "Are there going to be any band concerts this summer?" Perhaps some philanthropic person can answer the question.

—Dr. Needham will teach his Bible class as usual next Monday evening at Y. M. C. A. Hall at 7:45. All Christian workers, members of Christian Endeavor societies, leagues, Y. M. C. A., etc., are cordially invited.

—At the meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps, held last evening. Mrs Brokaw, Mrs. Morse and Mrs. McVoy, were appointed a committee to ascertain how many of the members expect to go to Buffalo on the occasion of the G. A. R. Encampment. The delegates to the State convention recently held at Atlantic City, made reports which proved to be very satisfactory.

—The Glorious Fourth is close at hand and everybody is going to celebrate the occasion as they see fit. There will be many who will follow their own example of past years and celebrate with sounding fire-cracker and rocket. Rand has a stock of fireworks that are right up to the mark. They are the kind that go off without trouble and let you know that they are there. Give him a visit before the crowd gets too great.

FOUND DEAD BY THE ROAD SIDE.

The Aged Man Had Been Stricken Down by a Sunstroke.

The first death from the heat reported from Middlesex county is that of Timothy Burns, seventy-two years old, who was found dead near his home at Wyckoff Mills, near New Brunswick, Thursday. After a day's work near the mills he started for home and was seen late in the afternoon by Mr. Johnson sitting on a stone by the side of the road. He then complained of feeling ill, and Mr. Johnson offered to take him home, but he said he was in no need of assistance.

Another man passing half an hour later found Burns dead. Justice John M. Lucas, of Monroe township, the acting coroner, decided that Burns had died of sunstroke or of apoplexy and that an inquest was not necessary. The sunstroke theory was confirmed by a medical examination.

Miss Grace Langdon, of New York, is the guest of Miss Delphine Bowers, of Franklin place.

Rev. W. E. Honeyman, of Lincoln place, secretary of the North Plainfield Board of Health, has just returned from Dover. He only heard of the scarlet fever epidemic a short time ago and has returned to look after North Plainfield's interest in the matter.

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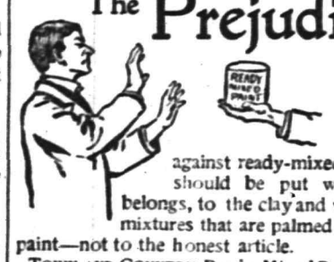

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

The Board of Education will hold a meeting next Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Adam Dealaman has been visiting friends in New York city.

Miss Bertha Giles, of Plainfield, is the guest of relatives in the borough.

Mr. and Mrs. Milliken, of Washington avenue, are entertaining relatives from Bridgeton

Mrs. Harvey Giles, of Bound Brook, has been visiting Mrs. Howard Giles, of Church street.

Miss Florence Howard, of Plainfield, has been visiting Mrs. Walter Apgar, of Washington avenue.

Miss Ethel Gray, of Irvington, spent Thursday with her cousin, Miss Sally Gray, of Washington avenue.

Miss Lillian Van Middlesworth, of Church street, is somewhat improved from an attack of the chills and fever.

John Fenner, of the borough, has returned home from a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Fenner, of Pluckamin.

Miss Evelyn Lewis, of Plainfield, accompanied by two friends, spent a pleasant afternoon yesterday with friends in the borough.

Charles Dunham and his sister, of the borough, have returned from a visit with relatives at Clinton, Hunterdon county. Mr. Dunham has recovered from his recent illness and was able to resume work last evening as operator on the Central Railroad.

An attempt was made yesterday morning by some unknown persons to effect an entrance in the Sanford Staples house near Dunellen. The thieves cut a hole in the screen door in the front of the house and then made an effort to open the next door. On the latter door there is a peculiar latch and the robbers were unable to open the door after the most persistent effort as was shown by the condition of the door. Being foiled in their efforts at this place, they went to the home of A. S. Coriell where they succeeded in getting in the cellar. They found a large batch of eggs and they did not leave one as a memento. That was all they took and as far as can be learned they did not bother any other place. Every bit of evidence leads those acquainted with the facts to believe that the thieves are the same ones who have been making life so miserable for Plainfielders.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Mrs. Stites M. Pearse is visiting friends in Springfield.

Miss Minerva Squire is entertaining Miss George, of Rahway.

Miss Emma Adams has returned to her home in New York State.

Miss Rose Bliss will return Monday to her home in Cortlandt, N. Y.

Richard Hunt, of Brooklyn, is spending a few days with John Stillger.

The Rev. J. W. Richardson, of Plainfield, will preach in the Baptist church tomorrow.

William Emery has two tame raccoons which were presented to him by Edward Campbell.

Goodwill Lodge, No. 15, Knights of Pythias, will hold its installation of officers on July 7th.

Thomas M. Paff, Sr., and John Wright went fishing for bass in the Passaic river yesterday.

Miss May Johnson, a teacher in the public school, has returned to her home in Cortlandt, N. Y.

Miss Lulu Robinson, who has been teaching school in Ridgefield Park, will spend the summer vacation at her home here.

Miss Reignette Marsh and Miss Doretta Clark were each presented with a diamond ring on the night of their graduation from the public school.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hallin, of Newark, who have been spending a few weeks at Emery's hotel, were summoned home in haste yesterday morning by a telegram announcing that Mr. Hallin's hotel in that city had been destroyed by fire.

WESTFIELD

TO DISCUSS STREETS.

WESTFIELD TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE MET LAST EVENING.

Case of George W. Tice Bobs Up Again—Jr. O. U. A. M. Elects Officers—The Conger-Garrison Wedding.

The meeting of the Westfield Township Committee last evening was called to consider the establishment of a uniform curb line on Broad street. It has been the intention of the committee for some time to repair Broad street in the business portion of the town, but the committee has been waiting for the property owners to repair their sidewalks and establish a uniform curb line before commencing the work. Property owners were invited to be present at last night's meeting and state their views on the matter. The invitation was accepted by a number. H. C. VanEmburgh appeared and stated that there was a difference of two feet in the width of sidewalks on the west side of the street. This, however, would make no difference in the road center. The property owners present agreed not to increase the irregularity in the width of the sidewalks concerned, but to remedy it when repairs became necessary. On Mr. Van Emburgh's suggestion a motion was passed that an agreement be drawn up for the property owners to sign to the effect that they will co-operate with the Committee in the effort to straighten the curb line. George W. Tice was present, and asked the Committee what reparation it intended to make for the tearing up of the pipes connecting his property with the sewer. It will be remembered that some time ago Tice laid a lateral which ran surface water from his premises into the sewer. The action was taken in defiance of the Township Committee's warning that the sewer could not be used to carry off surface water. Acting under orders from the Committee, E. W. Chamberlain, superintendent of sewers, ripped up the pipes as soon as they were laid. A communication was read from Mr. Tice's counsel, stating that unless the Committee took some action in the matter a suit for damages would be brought against the township. The communication was referred to the Committee's counsel, Frank Bergen, with a request that he consult with Mr. Tice's lawyer. Bills to the amount of $25 were ordered paid and the Committee adjourned until next Friday evening when the bids for the issue of sewer bonds will be received and opened.

Miss Anna Sertor, of Garwood, is ill with measles.

W. H. Morse is suffering from an attack of measles.

Miss Tessie Scudder has recovered from an attack of measles.

Edward Boyd, of Brooklyn, is the guest of George Miller, of Mountainside.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Cruttenden will take up their residence in this place on Monday.

J. D. Gluck, who holds Westfield's one-mile record, will enter the bicycle races on July 5th.

The Westfield Club base ball team plays a game with the Aetnas, of Brooklyn, on the North Broad street grounds this afternoon.

Alfred Coger, of this place, and Miss Garrison, of New York City, were married at the home of the bride's parents on Thusday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Coger will make their home in New York.

A successful strawberry and ice cream festival was held in the New York Avenue Baptist church last evening. The attendance was large and a comfortable sum was added to the church treasury.

Dr. J. B. Harrison has been appointed by Chancellor McGill, upon a commission to inquire into the sanity of Count Bondino Pouceatechi, who is said to be an Italian political refugee and who owns a farm of 200 acres near Aldene.

At a meeting of Central Council, No. 131, Jr. O. U. A. M., held last evening, the following officers were elected: Jr. P. C., W. J. Kelley; C. W., F. Howarth; V. C., J. Dingee: R. S., W. M. Stamets; A. R. S., G. A. Clark; F. S., John C. Hall; treasurer, W. C. Ward; Cond., Ross Edwards; warden, F. Packer; I. S., F. T. Young; O. S., S. W. Knapp; trustee, E. W. Afflecke. After the election a number of addresses were made.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

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St. Joseph's (R. C.) Church—Rev. William. H. Miller, pastor. Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30; evening devotions, 8.

St. Mary's (R. C.) Church—Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor. Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; evening devotions at 8. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

Monroe Avenue M. E. Church, Rev. William C. O'Donnell, pastor—Services at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. Epworth League, 7:15 p. m. Morning subject, "The Fruits of Faith;" evening, "Choosing a Church Home."

Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. H. J. Johnston, pastor—Services, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday-school at 9:45 a. m. Epworth League service at 7 p. m. Morning subject, "Danger of Self-Examination;" evening, "Past Feeling."

Church of the Redeemer, Rev. Robert V. K. Harris, minister in charge—Morning prayer, ante-communion and sermon at 11:15, subject, "Obedience to the Heavenly Vision;" evening prayer and sermon at 4:30, subject, "The Secret of Progress in the Christian Life."

St. Stephen's Church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon, 11; Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:45 p. m. Trolley cars run past the church every twelve minutes.

All Souls' Church, Park avenue, (Unitarian,) Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—Preaching service at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "The Light of Seven Days." The Sunday-school is closed until September.

Park Avenue Baptist Church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor—Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Evening subject, "Judas and Caiaphas, or the bad side of a bad bargain." In the morning Rev. Mr. Breaker, of the Scotch Plains Baptist church, will occupy the pulpit. All sittings free.

First M. E. Church, Rev. Winfield C. Snodgrass, pastor—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:54 p. m. Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Epworth League vesper service at 7 p. m. In the morning the pastor will preach a sermon to children.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, William Winans Moore, lay reader—Morning service at 11 o'clock. Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m. Evening prayer at 4 o'clock with an address by Francis G. Moore.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. Evening subject, "Stone for wood, and gold for silver." In the morning Rev. Frank Fletcher, of New Market, will preach in exchange with the pastor.

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. Chas. E. Herring, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Evening subject, "The Queen's Jubilee."

Congregational Church, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor. Morning service at 10:45; Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. with special exercises and an address by Rev. M. E. Dwight. Morning subject, "Small Hinges of Destiny." In the evening at 7:30 there will be a review of the Sunday-school lessons of the past six months with stereopticon views conducted by the pastor and superintendent.

Grace Church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector—Early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon at 10:30; Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m.; evening service at 7:45.

W. C. T. U. Rooms, 4 p. m.—This service will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Fitch. Subject, "Seven months' experience among the lumber men of Canada." Miss Bessie Blair will sing.

Y. M. C. A., 4:15 p. m.—Young men's rally will be in charge of Ensign Dyer and the Central Singing Brigade of the Salvation Army.

East End A. M. E. Zion Church, Fillmore avenue, Rev. C. Jackson, pastor.—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Evening subject, "Rest."

Mr. and Mrs. VanDorn, of New Brunswick, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. John Goodwin, of Jackson avenue.

of Pythias held Thursday evening. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Chancellor commander, Charles Frentz; vice chancellor, Elmer Johnson; prelate, John Haskard; trustee for three years, Edward L. Hand. The installation ceremonies will take place next Thursday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Winckler, of Park place, will spend today and tomorrow with their son in Asbury Park.

Mrs. H. W. Brower and daughter, Miss Sophie W. Brower, of East Sixth street, are visiting friends in Fishkill, N. Y.

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WANTS AND OFFERS.

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Believed to be the Son of an Armenian Slave Girl, and not a Turk—His Household, Consisting of 12,000 Persons, Costs and Endless Sum to Maintain.

As the central figure of an unique political situation, which has long been threatening to plunge all Europe into war, Abdul-Hamid, the present ruler of Turkey, is just now the object of more attention than any other man in the world; more anxiety and animosity, more criticism, and more inquiry and speculation.

Abdul-Hamid is all that eminent authorities have painted him. He has caused old hulks to be filled with obnoxious Christians and sent them to be scuttled into the depths of the Black Sea. He has decorated and otherwise honored the most notorious miscreants and assassins responsible for the outrages upon his Christian subjects. During the massacres following the raid on the Ottoman Bank of Constantinople last September, when the 6,000 victims met their doom, the Sultan could have stopped these assassinations at any moment, but allowed them to go on for three days as a concession to the rage of his people against the Armenians.

The household of the Sultan is a nightmare in flesh and blood—a monstrosity perfectly in keeping with the other monstrosities which go to make up that thing of horror called the Turkish Empire. It consists, writes a Turkish authority, who is evidently familiar wth the palace, in a recent number of the Contemporary Review, of 12,000 persons. Endless sums are squandered in the support of the imperial household and it can be imagined by what exactions and robberies, by what tortures and rapacities this vast amount is extorted from the victims of the Turkish authorities.

Like the Pope at Rome, the Sultan is a self-constituted prisoner in his palace. Like the Pope, too, he eats alone. Habitually he drinks only water, brought to the palace in cases, under special precautions. His food is extremely plain, served in silver saucepans, presented to him at table, sealed.

ABDUL-HAMID.

Curiously enough, this hideous political monster and nondescript is fond of music, and a fair musician, frequently placing himself at the piano. In speech he is a purist, speaking well, in a slow, monotonous voice, but occasionally he lets loose a flood of expression which rises at times to the dignity of eloquence.

In addition to these general and outward aspects of his everyday life, there is a dark and sinister side which is not so apparent. In his harem, in his palace at Yildiz, and in the kiosks which occupy the park around it, the Sultan has more than fifty different rooms and desks where he attends to business. No one knows where to find him at any hour of the day or evening. Uneasy as a specter and as suspicious as a wolf, he flits from room to room, often passing out of a building by a rear door and leaving the sentry at the front entrance to suppose that he is still within. But wherever he is, and whatever may be the hour of the day or evening, he is watched over and guarded by groups of human bloodhounds he has trained for that purpose. Between the principal entrance of the Yildiz Kiosk and the rooms which serve as his habitation, there are four or five doors, before which stand Albanian sentries, and through which no one can pass unless he is accompanied by a chamberlain or orderly of the bodyguard, and none of these dare introduce a visitor of any kind into the presence of their master without special permission. Where the Sultan will sleep on any given night is known only to himself. He has more than fifty beds at his disposal, many of them in the imperial gyneceum or private abodes of his legitimate wives, and others in the palace itself, not to speak of the bolted and barred retreats into which he vanishes when he has especial reasons for taking extra precautions.

These sleeping apartments are invariably seperated from all other rooms by iron doors, the keys of which are masterpieces in all that pertains to the niceties of the locksmith's art. It is even said that the walls and ceilings of these apartments possess dissimulated hiding places which have been elaborated by builders from Western Europe. To crown all his precautions, the Sultan has two large St. Bernard dogs lying before the door of the room in which he sleeps, knowing that the power of money, as used in universal corruptions around him, will have no charm for these four-footed guardians, and that he can depend upon them to arouse him at the slightest noise or footstep that may menace him.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

NARROW SILK FRINGE REVIVED.

Miles of Ribbon and Yards Upon Yards of Lace Used for Trimmings.

(By Special Arrangement with the N.Y. Sun.)

It is evident that foulard is one of the most popular materials of the season, and the use of green on a blue and white silk seems to be a favorite contrast. Black with blue and white is another, and the black satin belt is admissible on any gown, without regard to the mixture of colors. One blue and white model has a yoke of perpendicular rows of black and white lace insertion, a black satin belt, and a full bodice of silk with fine cordings an inch apart running around below the yoke. The skirt is plainly hemmed and made loose from the lining, as all the new skirts are, and eight fine cords are set in around the hips twelve inches below the waist, beginning at the front breadth. Cording and tucking are special features of fashion, particularly in the thin gowns, and the finer the tucks the more up to date they are. Tiny tucks drawn up in shirrings close together in groups are one of the favorite effects for muslin gowns, and they are arranged around the hips on the skirts and for the yokes on the waist.

Fortunately, there are no infallible rules of fashion this season, and almost any form of decoration that can be devised will pass muster. The secret of distinction in dress lies, nevertheless, in pretty harmonies and telling contrasts of color, or in adopting neutral tints for the gowns to make them stand out amid the gorgeous colors that characterize the most generally worn style of costume.

Next in order of popularity after the foulards and transparent canvas materials is muslin of all kinds, and organdies especially. It would seem from the quaint old-time patterns that the simplicity in modes of "ye olden days" must come back to us; but the fashionable muslin gown is anything but simple in price or manner of trimming. Yards and yards of lace and insertion are used in its construction, and the only redeeming feature in the expense is the use of colored dimity for the lining. But the truly elegant muslin has the silk lining. A fashionable model in white organdie is made over

mauve silk and trimmed with rows of lace and insertion set crosswise and up and down on the skirt, up and down on the waist, and around the sleeves, and a ruffle of lace finishes the full bodice where it opens in the side, and at the bottom of the skirt. Mauve satin ribbon forms the sash, and loops of the ribbon catch up the drapery at the top of the sleeves. Another example of the dressy muslin gown is of cornflower blue and white organdie over a mauve silk lining. It is trimmed with rows of narrow blue satin ribbon sewed on.

A STRADIVARIUS IN ALASKA.

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At the Cornet mine, on Berner's Bay, eighty-five miles northeast of Juneau, Alaska, in probably as bleak and wild a spot as can be found on this continent, can be heard on the long winter nights strains of harmony that have been lauded through the civilized world.

A traveller who has just returned says:

"One evening, as I was approaching the Cornet mine, I heard some one playing a violin, and though I had heard what have been termed the greatest masters of both hemispheres, I must say that such sounds as came from the unseen player I had never heard equalled.

"When I reached the camp I was welcomed by the superintendent, Willis E. Nowell, and after a hearty supper I asked him who was performing so beautifully on the violin as I approached the camp. Mr. Nowell said: 'I was the player, though your praise of my playing rather embarrasses me.' When I questioned the gentleman regarding his instruments he said the one he was playing was a Stradivarius, named 'Eliza,' for which he paid $10,000, but he also had the 'Nero,' which cost him $5,000.

"I discovered in a further conversation with the gentleman that he was an ex-professor of the Boston Conservatory of Music, and that previous to his coming to Alaska he had performed on the same instrument that nightly gave forth its melodious tones in that bleak region, in nearly every place in Europe.

"Mr. Nowell has been at the mine about three years, and says the solitude often inspires him to themes that all the grandeur of civilization could not bring forth. Mr. Nowell told me that from a child he had a love for the violin that gradually grew on him so that by the time he was twelve years old he had sufficiently mastered that instrument to make his professional debut.

"Mr. Nowell will probably stay at the mine a couple of years more, as he has an interest in the mine, and as it is very rich, as high as $27,000 having been taken out of pockets in three days. When asked if he would sell either of his instruments, he said: 'This mine is rich, but not rich enough to make me part with one of my loves, nor are all the mines in the world rich enough to make me part with either.'" —Portland Oregonian.

AN IMMENSE FARM.

It Consists of 1,500,000 Acres. The Fencing Said to Have Cost $50,000.

The largest farm in this country, and probably in the world, is situated in the southwestern part of Louisiana. It extends 100 miles north and west. It was purchased in 1883 by a syndicate of Northern capitalists, by whom it is still operated. At the time of its purchase its 1,500,000 acres was a vast pasture for cattle belonging to a few dealers in that country. Now it is divided into pasture stations for ranches, existing every six miles. The fencing is said to have cost about $50,000. The land is best adapted for rice, sugar, corn and cotton. A tract, say half a mile wide, is taken, and an engine is placed on each side. The engines are portable, and operate a cable attached to four plows. By this arrangement 30 acres are gone over in a day, with the labor of only three men.

There is not a single draught horse on the entire place, if we except those used by the herders of cattle, of which there are 16,000 head on the place. The Southern Pacific railway runs for 36 miles through the farm. The company have three steamboats operating on the estate, of which 300 miles are navigable. It has also an icehouse, bank, shipyard and rice mills.

Dissemination of Seed.

In a recent number of the bulletin of the Torrey Botanical Club, Prof. Byron D. Halsted points out that the pods of the well known Chinese wistaria are most effective catapults, expelling their seeds with a pistol-like explosion and scattering them far and wide. Everyone knows that our common witch-hazel acts similarly. Each cell of the woody capsule contains one large, bony, and shining seed, wedged into a cell too narrow to contain it. The seed is finally ejected with tremendous force and considerable noise. If one carries home a fruiting branch of witch-hazel and forgets about it he is alarmed some night by a violent bombardment. Even more surprising is the propulsive action of the sandbox of the West Indies. On one occasion an English traveler, carrying some of these fruits home in a steamer, had them explode in his trunk, and with difficulty proved that he was not a dynamiter. The squirting cucumber ejects its seeds in a fountain-like jet of muscilaginous water. One of the commonest devices resorted to for dispersion of seeds is the use of hooks, grapnels, or adhesive hairs. In some cases, as in Collomia, the hairs are not released until the seed reaches the proper moist locality, when they project and anchor it down.—Cosmopolitan.

He was Running the Theatre.

The late John Stetson, the shrewd but illiterate American theatrical manager of whom so many stories are told, once had a business manager under him whose name was Sharp. One day Stetson came to the theatre and saw a big sign above the door that said: "Matinee to-day at 2 o'clock sharp!" "Hallo," said Stetson, "seems to me that fellow's putting on airs! Take in that sign and put out one, 'Matinee today at 2 o'clock. Stetson.' I am running this theatre."

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 3 30, 3 30, 5 45, 6 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45 (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p. m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

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Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01 8 13 8 32 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 35, 9 03, 10 05, 11 35, a m; (12 15, Saturdays only) 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 6 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30, 11 35 a m; 1 15, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 30, 9 20, 10 50 Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 05, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 15, 6 38, 7 12, 7 24, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night, Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 39 5 09, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 45, 8 19 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 2 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 30, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 9 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 12 46 PM, 4 54, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 11 15, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 05, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a m; 6 30, 9 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 08, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

8 18 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

5 56 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 58 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 28 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m 1 15, 3 51, 5 22, 5 54, 7 03, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 20 p. m.

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For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 22 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 4 36, 5 34*, 6 35*, 8 21, 9 27* p.m., 1 17night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a.m., 2 25, 4 51, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m., 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 10 44 a. m., 5 09*, 6 45, p. m., 1 17 night.

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A BRIGHT OUTLOOK.

Improvement Continuing In Nearly All Branches of Business.

New York, June 26.—Dun's Review says:

There is no step backward in business, although the season of midsummer quiet is near. Improvement continues, gradual and prudently cautious as before, although in many branches evident where no signs of it appeared a few weeks ago. Business men of the highest standing in all parts of the country, having gradually perceived that the tide has begun to rise, are regulating their contracts and investments and their plans for the future with a confidence quite unknown to them a short time ago. Great changes before the adjournment of congress are hardly to be expected, but removal of uncertainty is with reason expected to bring into operation buying forces which have been restricted for months. Meanwhile it is encouraging that crop prospects still grow brighter, that the industries meet a gradually increasing demand for products, that labor questions which had a threatening aspect have been adjusted, and that the treasury maintains its ample strength notwithstanding some exports of gold brought about by premiums paid on behalf of foreign governments.

The stock market has not been the barometer of anything for some years, unless Wall street apprehension. But its sustained advance appears to mean something, because it is now supported, for the first time in several years, by a genuine public demand.

The main factor at this time is the steadily brightening prospect for crops. Harvesting of wheat has already begun in some winter wheat states, with surprisingly good results in the central region and California, so that 800,000 tons is now called the minimum from the latter state, and statisticians of repute calculate on 60,000,000 bushels winter wheat beyond the government estimate. Spring wheat is doing remarkably well with a practically unknown increase of acreage.

Iron and steel products average a small fraction lower in published quotations, but only because private concessions which are now refused were by various authorities complacently concealed two weeks ago.

There is encouraging increase in the demand for all textile goods, even for cottons, which have so long been slow, and though it is but moderate there is nothing of a speculative character in transactions, and prices are firmly held.

A most encouraging feature is the large demand for commercial loans, of nine large banks one having loaned only on such paper, five others from 55 to 80 per cent of their loans and the rest at least half. Some report the best demand of that character for many years, much of it from eastern textile mills. Exchange is strengthened for the time by interest payments, more concerns being able to pay than in recent years. The southern demand for small notes to move crops has now begun. Failures in three weeks, ending June 17, showed liabilities of $7,718,214, against $8,658,614 last year, $16,509,022 in 1895, including the Cordage company, and $9,683,465 in 1894. Manufacturing were $3,625,861, against $3,848,495 last year and trading $3,567,743, against $3,762,387 last year. Failures for the week have been 216 in the United States, against 217 last year, and 24 in Canada, against 24 last year.

THE ITALIAN STRIKERS.

One Hundred of Them Arrested and Imprisoned—Contractor Released.

Trenton, June 25.—One hundred of the striking Italians at Morrisville have been arrested and placed in the local lockup, and 19 of them were afterward taken to Doylestown to the county jail in charge of a detail of deputy sheriffs.

The arrests were made for the purpose of dispersing the crowd and to permit Contractor Wheeler to leave without danger. Wheeler left the Hoagland House. Before going he said that there was no disposition on the part of his firm to cheat the men, but that some days would be required to enable them to get the necessary funds.

Those of the Italians who have not been arrested are still hanging around the hotel, but they are making no display of hostility.

An effort was made to get some Trenton Italians to raise funds in order to enable the strikers to go to their homes, and this led to rumors that the Trenton Italians would re-enforce the strikers and make trouble. There is a large colony of Italians in Trenton. The chief of police of Trenton was solicited to place officers at the approach of the bridge crossing the Delaware river to Morrisville, and a small detail of police was sent there. The anticipated arrival of Trenton Italians did not take place.

Suicide at Niagara Falls.

Niagara Falls, June 26.—A man apparently about 50 years of age, shabbily dressed in a brown suit and wearing a soft brown hat, walked into a saloon near Reservation park and asked for a piece of paper on which to write a note. After writing the note the man walked directly to Prospect point, overlooking the falls. He handed the note to a lady. She refused to take it and threw it on the ground. The man then mounted the stonework at the brink of the falls and jumped over. The note read as follows: "God bless all on earth and have mercy on my soul." There is no clew as to the identity of the suicide.

Will of a Suicide.

Lockport, N. Y., June 26.—The will of Roger W. Keep, who committed suicide two weeks ago by shooting, has been filed in the surrogate's office. The value of the estate is placed at $135,000. The Lockport Home For the Friendless receives a bequest of $10,000. The same amount is also given in trust to the Lockport Free library. The balance of the estate goes to relatives.

A Leak In the Canal.

Utica, N. Y., June 26.—In a culvert under the canal on the Frankfort level was discovered an extensive leak. The water was drawn from the level, which is but one mile long, and a force of men and teams are engaged in the repairs. Boats will probably soon be running again.

Died From His Injuries.

Buffalo, June 26.—James Martin, who was so frightfully injured in the explosion at the Broezel House on Wednesday, has died from his wounds. He was employed at the hotel as fireman. He was 40 years old and married.

THE NEGRO TROUBLE

The Washington Authorities Appealed to For Assistance.

REFUSED TO PAY THEIR CREDITORS.

When the Officers Tried to Serve Processes Upon the Men, Recourse Was Had to Firearms — Troops on Hand to Prevent Disorder.

Washington, June 26.—Trouble has broken out afresh at Fort Gibson, I. T., where the Cherokee freedman payment has just been resumed, and the Washington authorities have been appealed to for assistance in averting further disorders. News of the disturbance came officially in telegrams which were received by Secretary Bliss, supplemented by similar advices received by the attorney general and the secretary of war. General Frank C. Armstrong of the Dawes commission, which was just leaving Fort Gibson when the trouble occurred, joined with Indian Inspector McLaughlin, who is supervising the payment, in wiring the following to Secretary Bliss:

"Considerable excitement exists among the negroes on account of arrests made by the United States marshals. Negroes are armed and are threatening to attack the marshals. The troops here are able to cope with the situation and preserve peace. If the commander has not authority to patrol the town and to exercise control over the excited negroes, serious trouble may occur.

"The presence and action of the military alone prevented bloodshed. The payment had progressed quietly, but those disturbances are outside the lines and are between the negroes and deputy marshals. Prompt and decisive action is recommended, with authority to remove disorderly persons and disarm all except United States officials. The United States district attorney and United States marshal have wired the attorney general."

Trouble on Pay Day.

The folowing telegram, dated at Fort Gibson, was received from Inspector McLaughlin:

"Agent Wisdom has disbursed $14,211 of the fourth installment of the Cherokee freedmens' fund. The payment progressed regularly. Some trouble occurred outside of the payground limits between the freedmen and deputy marshals through the latter executing processes of the United States district court against certain beneficiaries requiring them to pay the indebtedness to certain creditors after receiving check and leaving the payground.

"Two shots were fired by some persons in the crowd, thought to have been directed at deputy marshals. No person injured except one freedman, who was struck in the jaw with a rifle by a deputy marshal. Considerable excitement prevailed for a time, but soon subsided, and no further trouble is apprehended."

Secretary Bliss forwarded the advices to the secretary of war for his action and wired the inspector that he had done so and reminding him that the troops were on the ground, stated that order must be maintained at all hazards. The individual beneficiaries of the payment are making positive protests, and a telegram has been received here from a woman at Fort Scott, Kan., as follows:

"Am Cherokee freedman, guardian for my children. Money deposited in bank at Fort Scott. B. F. Ware attached it through fraud. How can I get possession? BETTIE CASH."

She is only one of a number in similar straits. The department is endeavoring to see that the negroes' rights are not invaded.

Railroad Sold at Auction.

Leavenworth, Kan., June 26.—Judge Hiram P. Dillon of Topeka, master in chancery, has sold at auction the Kansas Central railroad and rolling stock to Walter B. Horn and Thomas Joyce of Brooklyn for $200,000, which was the lowest bid which could be accepted under the order of sale. The purchasers were represented by P. C. Anderson of New York, son of E. Ellery Anderson, receiver of the Union Pacific, and he deposited a certified check for $20,000 before bidding. His bid was the only one. The Kansas Central company was organized in 1871, and the road was completed from Leavenworth to Holton the following year. A few years later it was extended to Onaga and thence to Miltonvale, the present terminus. It is 206 miles long.

Brutal Murderer Hanged.

Houston, June 26.—Jim Williamson, who was convicted of complicity in the murder of the Crocker family in 1895, has been hanged at Wharton. The murders were the result of a feud over some land in which Mrs. Crocker first killed a member of the Williamson faction named Day. Crocker and his son, a small boy, were then murdered by a mob led by Williamson, who afterward hunted down Mrs. Crocker and shot and beat her to death.

Editors' Summer Outing.

Niagara Falls, June 26.—Three hundred members of the State Editorial association of western Pennsylvania have arrived here from Bradford. A trip to the falls is the final event of the twenty-fifth annual summer outing of the association, which began on Tuesday. The party viewed the sights until noon, lunched at the International, made a trip over the gorge and left at 4:30 o'clock.

A Lawyer Arrested.

New York, June 26.—Frederick O. Czaki, a lawyer, with offices in the Temple Court building, has been arrested by Detective Sergeant McNaught of the district attorney's office and held in $1,000 bail on a charge of procuring the signature of Miss Lily Alys Godfrey to an indemnity bond by false pretenses.

To Consult About Naval Maneuvers.

Washington, June 26.—Rear Admiral Sicard and Captain Goodrich of the Naval War college have been ordered to Washington next Monday to consult with Assistant Secretary Roosevelt in regard to the August maneuvers of the North Atlantic squadron.

Good Price For Books.

London, June 26.—A set of the works of Aristotle, the Greek philosopher, printed on vellum and of the date 1483, brought £300 at the Ashburnham sale

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 4:30 a. m.
Sun Sets: 7:35 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 8:35 p. m.

GOSSIP OF THE CYCLERS.

TEMS INTERESTING TO DEVOTEES OF THE STEEL STEEDS.

The Popular Exercise Provides Incidents and Expressions That are of Especial Moment When Wheeling is the Rage.

Miss Anna Johnson, of Arlington avenue, has received a Clevelard wheel as a birthday gift from her brother in California.

When you pass the store of the Plainfield Cycle and Sporting Goods Company take a look at the man sleeping in the hammock.

Manager Charles W. Runyon, of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, rode his wheel to North Branch yesterday on business for the company. He reports the roads as being in fair condition.

The second Christian Endeavor cycle run will take place next Thursday evening, when the members will go to Marconnier. The members of the Christian Endeavor Society at the latter place changed the date of their meeting to accommodate the Plainfield Endeavorers. It is hoped that there will be a large gathering on the above occasion.

TENNIS.

An open tennis tournament, men's singles, will be held on the courts of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club on Monday, July 5th. Play to commence at 10 o'clock. Entrance fee (which must accompany each entry) will be 50 cents. Entries close on Saturday, July 3d, with any member of the tennis committee. The committee is composed of Leonidas Dennis, H. V. Ryder, Willard Wadsworth, Horace E Moore and Carl Pfeiffer.

AROUND THE BASES.

The Crescents will play baseball this afternoon against the Unions, of Perth Amboy, on the Crescent's grounds at the corner of LaGrande avenue and Richmond street. The Crescents will be made up of the following: E. Eriksen, right field; W. Symons, left field; C. Mumford, centre field; R. Corbin, first base; A. Lederer, second base; J. Cooney, third base; G. Bolsterli, short stop; J. McLarty, pitcher; Vroom, catcher.

AMONG THE STEPPERS.

There will be some fast trotting at the Gentlemen's Driving Park this afternoon. A special match has been arranged between the fast horses of J. W. Johnson, Douglass Darby and Mr. Brock.

WITH ROD AND GUN.

E. E. Marshall, of Fairview avenue, is spending the afternoon fishing at Boynton Beach.

LAST GATHERING THIS SUMMER.

Progressive Whist Was Played on the Cool Piazza.

The last meeting for the summer of the whist club was held at the home of Miss Arline Crane, of West Eighth street, Thursday afternoon. There were five tables arranged on the piazza around which the twenty guests gathered and spent most of the afternoon at progressive whist. The first prizes were won by Miss Lulu Patten and Miss Delphine Bowers. The winners of the second prizes were Miss Mary Brown and Miss Genevieve Daniel. The third prizes went to Miss Lulu French and Mrs. Miller Bauchelle. There was a consolation prize to be contested for by those who had not won a prize during the season, and it was taken by Miss Grace Nevius. Refreshments were served on the piazza.

A Handsome Monument.

L. L. Manning & Son, corner of Front street and Central avenue, have just received a contract to erect a very handsome spire monument in Hillside cemetery for the estate of J. Hervey Ackerman. The monument is to be of Vermont Barre granite, and will be one of the most attractive and pretty that has been placed in Plainfield.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

ST. MARY'S SCHOLARS

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only recitation of the evening was extremely well done by Miss M. Barrell. The title was "My Funny Uncle Phil."

A cantata, "A Quarrel Among the Flowers," was next given by thirty-two little girls. The dispute for supremacy was finally decided in favor of the rose and it was crowned queen by the other flowers. The difficult dances in this piece were executed with much skill and formed an ever changing picture of great beauty. The evening's exercises closed with a good night chorus.

Mrs. Abner Bartlett trained the students for their parts, and the result reflects much credit upon her ability as a teacher. Miss May Smith presided at the piano and accompanied all the pieces with excellent judgment.

There is no graduating class at the school this year.

TO IMPROVE THE MOUNTAINSIDE.

The Company is Composed of Some of the Leading Business Men of Bound Brook.

The Middlebrook Heights Association, which has been incorporated has purchased several large and valuable tracts of land back of Bound Brook, extending from Mapel avenue to the summit of the mountain.

The President of the Company is Geo. LaMonte, president of the First National Bank of Bound Brook. Charles Howell Cook, the vice president, is widely known as the owner of the "Cook Potteries," of Trenton, a prominent banker and capitalist. The secretary of the company is Frank A. Wright, of the firm of Rossiter & Wright, prominent architects in New York city. Mr. Wright acts also as supervising architect of the association and has already prepared plans for several private residences and association buildings, which are eliciting universal commendation. George LaMonte, who is associated with his father in the paper manufacturing business, is the treasurer of the company.

Work has already been begun on the mountainside.

PLAYED CROQUET.

Miss Tier Made a Charming Hostess and Everybody Enjoyed Themselves.

A pleasant croquet party was given yesterday afternoon by Miss Gertrude Tier, of Bank place, to a few of her friends The grounds were in fine condition and everyone present enjoyed themselves immensely. Miss Tier made a charming hostess, and entertained her guests in a delightful manner. Miss Nettie Young secured the prize for being the best player. After the games a boat ride on the lake was indulged in by all present. This finished a good time for all and the serving of refreshments, which followed, was an enjoyable feature. Those present included:

The Misses Grace Ten Eyck, Bessie Ten Eyck, May Mulford, Louise Corell, Martie Anthony, Marion Sherwin, May Schimer, Bessie Martin, Nettie Young, Lula Vail, Violet Van Winkle, Beulah Waters, Florence Williams and Maude Van Dyke.

Junior Sociable.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church, held their last social of the season in the church yesterday. The feature of the programme was an address by the pastor, Rev. J. W. Richardson. Refreshments were served by the officers of the society.

An Excursion.

The members and friends of Watchung Lodge, International Order of Machinists, left the North avenue station this morning to spend the day at Highland Beach. It required eight cars to convey the happy excursionists to their destination.

Lamp Exploded.

The lamp on a bicycle exploded in front of Randolph's pharmacy on West Front street Thursday evening. The wheel belonged to a young man from New Brunswick.

Practice Economy in buying medicines as in other matters. It is economy to get Hood's Sarsaparilla because it contains more medicinal value than any other—100 doses one dollar.

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Cure all liver ills.

—There will be no services held in St. Peter's church tomorrow evening.

IAN MACLAREN LIKES AMERICANS.

He Thinks Their Hospitality Exceeds that of the Britishers.

Hospitality is also the essence of courtesy, and every visitor to the States agrees with his neighbor—however he may differ about other things—that the American has revived the ancient Eastern idea and acclimatized it in the West. After a journey in the New World, one returns home convinced that we do not know how hospitality spells in Europe, and smitten to the heart with repentance. When a stranger comes to us with a letter, we receive him with calm civility, hope that he has had a good passage, inquire what he wishes to see in our country, map out his route for him, ask him to a meal, and let him go with a modest disclaimer that he has given us any trouble. If one of us goes over to America, not knowing half a dozen people on the whole continent, letters of hospitality arrive before we start; they are brought on board your steamer with the pilot; they are delivered on the landing stage; they are lying on the table at your rooms, and they all come to the same thing—that you will stay in a hotel at your peril, and that you and your belongings—it is hoped two boys may be with you as well as your wife—must come at once to the writer's house.

If you have an iron will and a profound conviction that your arrangements prevent you being a proper guest—for a guest has his duties as well as a host—you may deny yourself the pleaseure of private hospitality, but you will have to fight your way, so to say, to the hotel. And if you are a guest you will be received at the station—we allow visitors to make their own way to our houses—and welcomed by the whole family as if you were of the same blood, or at least friends of twenty years' standing; and you will be driven over the whole district or city, and your host will be at your disposal as if he had nothing to do—yet judges, university men, merchants and editors have some engagements—and you will depart laden with roses and goodwill.

One is not quite sure whether to admire most of all the grace or tact or spontaneity or completeness of hospitality among our kinsfolk; but that for which one is most grateful, and which counts dearest, is the genuine kindness. The Americans are a kind people, and they are not ashamed to allow it to be seen.

What lends a peculiar character to American manners is their genuine and attractive simplicity; and the traveler does feel that his ideal of democratic citizenship has been in one particular, at least, realized. In one way it strikes the foreigner that the States lose by not having a leisured ruling class, with traditions of public service, of incorruptible honor, of trained statesmanship. In another way, the States gain by counting all their citizens eligible for public duty, because the rulers are not a caste, do not give themselves airs, are affable and accessible.—The Outlook

THEY GOT THERE.

Carried Out Their Purpose to Become Congressmen.

About fifteen years ago there was in attendance at the Columbia Law School at New York two young students, one from Ohio, J. J. Lentz, and the other from Pennsylvania, E. E. Robbins. The fellow-students were room-mates at college and cultivated each other's acquaintance to the point of fast friendship. In discussing their plans at school one day young Robbins asked Lentz: "What do you propose doing when you graduate?"

"I am going back to Ohio and run for Congress," was the reply. "What are your plans?"

"I propose returning to Pennsylvania and trying the same idea," responded Robbins. "We will meet some day in the House."

The other day, for the first time during the session, Robbins, a Representative from Greensburg, Pa., met Lentz, a Representative from Columbus, Ohio.

Clasping hands, they simply remarked, but in the same breath. "Well, here we are."—Washington Post.

Gave Him a Proper Name.

"Yessuh," said the proud Vine-st. father, "it weighs ten and a haf pounds, and it's as fine, healthy a boy as evah yah see, an' it was bo'n on the very day Gen'l Grant was buried over again, an' Ah'm goin' to give 'im a name that'll be appropriate."

"You'll call him Ulysses S. Grant Johnson, I suppose," said the friend who was hearing the news.

"No, sah; nothin' so common as that for my boy. Ah'm goin' to name 'im Mausoleum, sah."—Buffalo Express.

Resident—"Think of commencing business, eh? Seems to me you are rather young for a family physician."

Young Doctor—"Yes, but—er—I shall only doctor children at first."

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CAMP WOOLFE TO OPEN.

FRESH AIR WORK TO BE CONTINUED AT WESTFIELD.

The Camp Will Open on July 2d and the Plainfield Endeavor Societies Will Assist in Its Support and Continuance.

The time for the resumption of the Summer work of the Union Fresh Air Mission Association is at hand. To many, the character of the work is well known. The Union Fresh Air Mission Association is a charitable organization, whose membership consists of Christian people, chiefly resident in Union County, whose purpose is, during the heated term of each year, to take worthy mothers and their smaller and sickly children from their crowded tenement homes in New York, to the Fresh Air Camp, at Westfield, for a short rest from their poor conditions at home, where they are given wholesome food, afforded instruction in practical cooking and housekeeping, visited during the day by ladies who give them practical talks, and in the evening by Young Peoples Societies, who hold gospel services for them.

In the spring of 1895, five or six earnest city mission workers seeing the need of this line of fresh air work, which is provided for by no other association, determined to start such an institution in a small way. Accordingly on July 5th, some fifty mothers and children left their East Side tenement homes for one week's vacation at Camp Woolfe, as the camp in Westfield is called.

The camp attracted the attention of well disposed people who heard of it, and it was kept open until September 16th. As a result, 325 mothers and children were given a week's outing. Gospel services were held each evening and Sabbath afternoon and much spiritual interest was manifested. The Young People of Westfield, Plainfield and vicinity had by this time become so greatly interested that they united with the founders for the continuance of the work, and in March, 1896, delegates from many of the Christian Endeavor and Epworth League Societies of Union county met and formed the Union Fresh Air Mission Association. Officers were elected and committees were appointed who conducted the camp of that year with still more gratifying success. Permanent buildings and sanitary arrangements were established, gospel services and educational work were continued, greater numbers were accommodated and more effective results were obtained.

A feature of the work at the camp is a day nursery for the infant and sickly children of the mothers who come to the camp. By this means sick children have been restored to health, and the relief from care afforded to the mothers has given greater opportunity for rest. The nursery was continued throughout last winter, at 204 Avenue C, New York city. It is the purpose of the association to increase its capacity this year. A cot can be furnished and maintained throughout the season for $10.

The camp will open this year on July 2nd, and continue open for two months, each party staying about ten days. The work is a growing one and in order to be carried on successfully this year will require money, workers and contributions of food. It will be necessary to enlarge some of the buildings and replace the tent formerly used by a wooden building.

The most efficient way to help is by a cash contribution, as those in charge are able to purchase provision at first cost, and thus utilize all money to greatest advantage. The treasurer is Miss Edith Morehouse, Westfield who will gratefully receive all contributions of money. Donations of food should be sent direct to the camp, which is situated in Westfield in a beautiful grove about one half-mile south of the railroad station. The matron will be pleased to welcome visitors and show them around the camp daily from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

RED MEN'S ELECTION.

Miantonomo Tribe Chooses Officers, and Enjoys a Spread.

Miantonomo Tribe No. 118, Improved Order Red Men, met Friday evening and elected the following officers: — Prophet, David Morning; Sachem, Robert Schlorer; Senior Sachem, Bro. Johnston; Junior Sagamore, Edward Hanglighter. After the meeting the braves adjourned to the Crescent Hotel and then partook of a feast prepared for them by the new officers. A social time was enjoyed, and the warriors at a late hour adjourned to their own private wigwams.

Runaway on Somerset Street.

Charles H. Angleman, of West Front street, and Miss May Woodruff, of New York, were runaway with on Somerset street yesterday afternoon, Both were thrown out, and the buggy smashed. Neither was seriously injured.

MODERN METHODS HERE.

STREET COMMITTEE IS TRYING SOME OF COL. WARING'S IDEAS.

The Latest is to Have The Streets in the Business Section Swept at Midnight—It Was First Tried Saturday.

Plainfield has no Col. Waring, but she has men who are just as much up-to-date as the man who runs the street department of New York city. The introduction of Col. Waring's methods of street cleaning is a new departure for Plainfield and it was tried last Saturday night for the first. Employes of the city could be seen at midnight on Front street sweeping and cleaning the streets. Three men were in the party and the aid of a horse and cart was employed to carry away the scrapings, etc. The only difference from the New York methods was that the men are not attired in a regulation garb such as are used in New York.

The chairman of the street committee, Mr. Frost, is the originator of this plan for Plainfield.

There is no doubt but what the present street committee has accomplished more this year in a systematic way than previous street committees. They have profited by the mistakes of the former members and today Plainfield is in a fair way to have the best roads in the State, if the good work is continued.

If the merchants about the city will only assist in keeping the streets clean much can be accomplished. Heretofore, Mr. McFadden and his assistant, who keep the streets clean, have had a tendency to do all of their work in the heart of the city, and it is only of late that the street committee has been able to impress on their minds the fact that other streets are to be looked after as much as the above. Orders have been given that papers, etc., are to be removed from the heart of the city once a week. If the merchants persist in allowing their clerks to sweep papers and dirt from their stores into the streets the committee will take the matter in hand and see that someone is punished for the offense. This is the decision of the street committee.

The object in having the streets cleaned at night is that the men are not bothered in their work and more effective work can be done.

FAINTED, THEN PUT OUT

SUCH IS THE STORY OF MRS. BERTHA R. GUINAUD.

Galbraith, Whom She Charges With Assault and Battery, Says She Was Intoxicated and Could Not Even Talk Straight

Mrs Bertha R. Guinaud appeared before Justice E. D. Moffett this morning, and preferred a charge of assault and battery against Edward Galbraith.

Mr. and Mrs. Guinaud operate a truck farm near this city, and as her husband is in rather poor health, Mrs. Guinaud herself sells the produce from a wagon. One of the places where she frequently sold goods was the saloon of William Willis, on West Third street, where Galbraith is employed. She called there on Friday morning, and sold some of her wares.

At about 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon Mrs. Guinaud returned to the saloon and asked for a glass of brandy and soda, saying that she was feeling ill. She then left her wagon and entered the saloon and being in a very weak condition took a seat upon a chair in a room adjoining the barroom. The woman claims that she then fainted from weakness, and that while in an unconscious state she was roughly ejected from the place by Galbraith. In support of her statement she exhibited an ugly bruise on each arm where a violent grasp had been taken up n her. Galbraith appeared before Justice Moffett this morning and gave a $200 bond to appear for trial tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Galbraith's version of the affair is that Mrs. Guinaud returned to the saloon Friday afternoon in a state of intoxication. She entered the place, called loudly three times for brandy and soda, and every time she received the stimulant she indulged in the luxury of a fall from her chair. She then, Galbraith alleges, made her way to the rooms at the rear of the building and quarreled with the family of Mr. Day. Remonstrances were of no avail, and he consequently ejected the woman. Galbraith feels confident that he can prove by a number of witnesses that Mrs. Guinaud acted in a disorderly manner.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—Those who have business with Assessor Hubbard can meet him by appointment at his office on any evening before July 10th. His office is at 109 Park avenue.

ENDEAVORERS AWHEEL.

THEY COMBINED THE DELIGHT OF A PICNIC WITH BICYCLING.

The Inovation of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational Church Proves a Success—Various Adventures.

The Congregational church may be small, but it is certainly progressive, especially where bicycling is concerned. The first church run ever heard of was arranged by Rev. C. L. Goodrich, last summer and this year another new departure had its source in the fertile brains of the social committee of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor. Sociables in the church, even with delightful programmes, are not things of joy in hot weather, when no one likes to be shut up in a hot, crowded room, and ice cream is the most enjoyable feature of the evening; even bicycle runs are no longer a novelty. So the social committee planned for something entirely new; namely a bicycle picnic; and Saturday afternoon the affair took place, the picnic being a thoroughly enjoyable one, and a perfect success.

The start was made from A. C. LaBoyteaux's pleasant home on Fairview avenue, at 3 o'clock, Rev. C. L. Goodrich leading. A generous supply of luncheon was carried by the party. The afternoon was perfect, not too warm for riding, and not wind enough to change pleasure to work. The party in their pretty and becoming cycling costumes, made a pleasant picture for passersby as they took their way up Front street to Scotch Plains, and then through the gap, past the old mill to the pretty "deserted village," seldom deserted in these days, Glenside Park. Luncheon parties are not allowed within the park limits, however, and a watchman cast disapproving eyes at the parcels carried by the picnicers, until the chairman of the social committee took pity on him, and called out gaily, "No, we won't eat our lunch here!" No watchman, or any one else, could object to the party "doing" the sights of the Park, and a circuit was made, everyone enjoying to the utmost the charm of the beautiful spot, unusually lovely in the clear afternoon air, with the brilliant June sunshine falling over it and making every shadow more distinct, and the glorious summer sky over all.

The wanderings about the Park ended, the company took their departure and went into camp a short distance outside, near a large farmhouse. Supper was prepared, and some of the men of the party were sent to the house after water. They were dreadfully alarmed by the barking of a number of dogs, and bade their friends a solemn farewell as they started on their dangerous errand, John Burnett calling to A. C. La Boyteaux to explain matters at his office in case he did not return alive! No loss of life was sustained by the adventurers, however, and they returned safely, bearing the water for the feast, which was exceptionally good, or else the cyclists had procured an amazing appetite somewhere in their travels. Supper over, the party mounted their wheels once more, and rode homeward through the golden June evening, arriving about 7 o'clock, having found the afternoon all too short. Glorious weather, a lively and congenial party, and very few accidents, made up a thoroughly successful excursion; only one wheelman, John Messersmith, was unfortunate enough to meet with a puncture.

Funeral of Mrs. Hatchett.

The funeral services of the late Mrs. Henry Hatchett were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Mt. Olive Baptist church, Rev. P. S. Gibson, pastor, officiating. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends. The remarks by the pastor were comforting and impressive. He drew many helpful lessons from the exemplary life of the departed. Interment was in Plainfield avenue cemetery.

Women to Be Cared For.

A meeting of the Plainfield Camera Club will be held this evening at which a full attendance of members is requested. An important amendment to the by-laws will come up to be voted upon. It relates to the admission of women to the club without the payment of the initiation fee.

Graduates Dined.

The members of the graduating class of the North Plainfield High School and a few of their friends enjoyed a dinner at the Mountain Park Inn, Saturday evening. It was an informal affair but a very pleasant one.

A Pleasant Invitation.

The members of Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. T., have received an invitation from Clinton Commandery, of Brooklyn, to join them Saturday, July 10th, in an outing to Patchogue, L. I. It is expected that a large number of the members will enjoy the trip.

REVIEW ILLUSTRATED.

TWO SPECIAL SERVICES OF THE CONGREGATIONAL SUNDAY-SCHOOL.

Missionary Day Was Observed in the Morning Session While a Novel and Interesting Review Was Held in the Evening.

The next generation of men and women in the Plainfield Congregational church will certainly be a generation trained to interest in missions, for the children of the Sunday school contribute regularly to home and foreign missions, and have periodical missionary days, when they hear reports from the mission stations to which they send contributions and listen to missionary addresses. Such a missionary day was observed yesterday morning, the quarterly review of the school being postponed until evening, in order that it might be conducted by means of stereopticon views.

After the opening exercises, the report of the missionary committee was read by the superintendent, J. A. Robinson, showing that during the year the school had appropriated for missionary work, $107, partly for home and partly for foreign missions. Letters from two workers in the home field were then read, one from Mrs. Anna Wade Richardson, the principal of a mission school for colored children in Marshallville, Georgia, and one from R. A. Rowley, telling of work in the great west.

A brief but very bright and entertaining address by Rev. M. E. Dwight, followed, telling in a few words the fascinating story of William Cory, the first missionary to India, and teaching lessons of zeal and devotion in extending Christ's kingdom in the world today. The attendance at the service was large, and the exercises were much enjoyed by all.

The review lesson which was held in the evening covered the Sunday-school lessons of the past six months. The pupils of the Sunday school, with their parents and friends, attended in large numbers, and thoroughly enjoyed the novel way in which the review was conducted. A large screen was placed in the front of the church, and after the opening exercises the lights were extinguished and a number of fine stereopticon views, illustrative of the lessons of the past half-year, were thrown upon the screen.

The titles and golden texts of the lessons were read by J. A. Robinson, superintendent of the school, with occasionally a portion of the lesson text, while Rev. C. L. Goodrich explained each picture in an informal talk, carrying the thread of the history straight down from the ascension of Christ to the close of the council at Jerusalem. A map of the Roman Empire, ahead of the Emperor Claudius, various painters' conceptions of the appearance of the apostles most prominent in the Acts and many fine colored photographs of the cities and buildings referred to, were included in the views, as well as the best-known pictures of the occurrences described in the apostalic history.

DEATH OF AN OLD RESIDENT.

Miss Kiely Passed Away After a Long Illness.

Miss Bessie Kiely, who has been a resident of Plainfield since its early days, died at her home on the corner of Spooner avenue and West Fourth street, early Sunday morning. She was ill for two months before her death and has been gradually failing until death came. The end was a painless and peaceful one. Miss Kiely was in her sixty-second year, and has been a resident of Plainfield for forty-six years. She had many friends in this city and was greatly beloved by all who knew her. She was an aunt to Sergeant Kiely, of the Plainfield police force.

The funeral will be held tomorrow morning from the house at 9 o'clock and from St. Mary's church at 9:30 o'clock. High mass will be said.

The Autocrat Again.

The second number of The Autocrat, the little quarterly published by the students of the North Plainfield High School, has made its appearance. While the first issue was excellent, this last attempt is even more successful. Photographs of Dr. Ward and the graduating class are shown. Then there are the essays of the graduating class and a poem by the county superintendent, Rev. J. A. Mets. The little volume is very creditable in general appearance and reflects no end of credit on its student editors.

A Conclave of Heptasophs.

J. H. Primose special deputy organizer, will institute a conclave of Heptasophs in this city on Wednesday night, at 7:30 o'clock in the hall of the Coward building on Park avenue. It is important that every member be present as the insurance does not take effect until that night. It will have over fifty members.

OFF TO THE GOLDEN GATE

SPECIAL TRAIN OF ENDEAVORERS START FOR THE CONVENTION.

It Will be Held in San Francisco This Year and New Jersey is to be Well Represented in the Convention.

No international Christian Endeavor convention for some time past has aroused the interest that is felt in the grand gathering which will be held in San Francisco, California, July 7 12. Besides the meetings that will be held with the finest speakers the world affords, music like a great sea of harmony, and a general atmosphere of Christian Endeavor enthusiasm, which will send the delegates home to do such work as they never did before, the trip offers other attractions, which conventions held in the east or middle states could not afford. Railroads have made special rates, and a large number will gratify the desire of many years to see the sights of the great west.

Rev. T. E. Davis, of Bound Brook, is transportation manager for New Jersey, and everything has been arranged for the comfort and pleasure of those who will go from this State. A special train, in two sections, is now on the way, and about four hundred applications for tickets were received. The first section left New York at nine o'clock this morning, closely followed by the second, stopping at Plainfield to pick up a number of enthusiastic travelers. The journey will be a long one, but every hour will be full of pleasure, as all know who have ever traveled in a Christian Endeavor special train.

Among those from this city and vicinity who go on the excursion are the following:

Plainfield—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Roberts, Miss Mary E Robinson, Miss Adeline B. Parsons, Miss Barber, Miss Bullock, Daniel Loizeaux, Miss Janes, Elie Loizeaux, Alfred Loizeaux.

Bound Brook—Miss Jessie Cook, Rev. and Mrs. T. E. Davis, Mrs. Thomas Davenport, Miss Elfleda Dunham, Miss Mary Hickman, Edwin Powelson, Miss Alice Rockfellow, Miss Addie Tappen.

New Germantown—Mrs. R. T. Craig.

Raritan—Chris Ehni, Edward C. Ehni, J. C Kinyon, Mrs. A. B. Rohn.

Somerville—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bateman, N. Y. Dungan, Mrs. A. A. Emery, Miss Leigh, Miss R. Anna Miller, Miss Amelia Porter, Mrs. G. W. Sanborn.

Basking Ridge—Mrs. Oscar Conklin, Miss Conklin.

Dunellen—Rev. A. I. Martine.

Kingston—Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Warne.

East Millstone—Rev. A. P. Peake, Miss Anna Ribble.

Another Plainfield representative at the convention will be Miss Elma Thayer, who will be in San Francisco at the time of the great gathering, and has been appointed a delegate by her pastor.

WILL STOP COASTING.

IT IS A DANGEROUS PRACTICE ON GLENSIDE HILL.

So the Scotch Plains Township Committee Has Introduced an Ordinance To Prevent It—Other Business Also.

The Scotch Plains Township Committee held a meeting last Friday night and passed to its second reading an ordinance regulating the speed of bicycles to twelve miles an hour. The purpose of the ordinance is to prevent coasting upon Glenside Hill, where so many serious accidents have recently happened. Town Clerk Hand was instructed to post a sign at the top of the hill and one at the bottom, warning cyclists of their danger. The committee decided that it could not at present grant the petition sent in by citizens for three arc lights in the town, as the appropriation for street lighting for the current year has already been used up.

Winfield S. Angleman, of Plainfield, appeared before the committee as counsel for Bucket and Engine Company to urge it to purchase the company's fire engine for $150, with the proviso that it could be bought back again by the company for the same price at any time within five years. In view of the fact that W. C. Stanbery, executor of the Baker estate, which has a claim of of $150 against the company, objected to the sale on the ground that it would interfere with the settlement of the claim, Mr. Angleman was told to talk with the township counsel, ex-Judge W. R. Codington, about the matter.

Before adjournment the township treasurer was ordered to pay a number of bills for crushed stone and for work upon the township roads.

—The roadbed on Belvidere avenue has been repaired by the use of crushed stone in the breaks in the macadam.

HE IS A HAUNTED HERMIT

DISAPPOINTED OF A FORTUNE HE RETIRED FROM THE WORLD.

Now He Lives in the Shell of a House Near Netherwood and Converses With His Departed Friends—History of His Life.

New Jersey has a haunted hermit.

In the shade of Netherwood, a fashionable suburb of Plainfield, lives William Hetfield, says the New York World. While all around are modern villas, he occupies a house of the revolutionary period.

Hetfield's only visible speaking companion is his trusty gun. He is a sure shot, and on that accout the fact that he is worth $50,000 offers no temptation to robbers.

William, the hermit, says he is the only haunted man in New Jersey. Day and night he hears voices of those dead and gone. He is more than sixty years old, and a long, lonely life has told upon him.

He lives at Two Bridges, has always lived there. At one time, long ago, he was a man of note in Fanwood township, being collector of taxes. He also taught the village school, the schoolhouse still standing a mile away from his lonely home.

William's life, always secluded, became a thing of the past when he lost a large sum of money through the law.

Daniel and Frazee Lee, his cousins, bachelors, had by miserly habits accumulated a fortune estimated at $300,000.

The Lees died together as they had lived. Both were taken ill, and Daniel died first. When Frazee learned that his brother was dead he said he would not live. Before he died he called in a lawyer and left his money, then all his own, to the Scotch Plains Baptist church.

Alive he was not so generous. In the testimony in the suit brought by William and Jacob Hetfield to break the will it was proved that in ten years he had given but $1.50 to the church for charity, festivals, Sunday-school picnics and Christmas trimmings.

When the decision of the Court gave the personal property to the church and divided the real estate among relatives, William Hetfield withdrew in his shell. He owns his house, however, and a large tract of land besides, the results of his own shrewdness.

William ever since has lived the life of a hermit. He cooks his own food, makes his own bed, is careful of his bolts and bars, seldom goes out, never goes off his premises, and he talks only with the voices he hears.

That he hears these voices nobody talking to him would doubt. On all other points he his an intelligent man, shrewd and full of hard sense.

In person he is tall and stout, with a full face. He wears a farmer's suit topped with an old straw hat.

His neighbors, except the dead ones, never call on him, he says.

He has made friends with a neighbor's horse. As the horse does not know that his friend is a hermit he comes into the back yard to get his nose rubbed.

The house is a mere shell. One part has fallen into a decay so that it cannot be used. But there is plenty of room remaining for the hermit, as his wants are few.

He stopped going to church when the church got the money he still believes should have come to him.

Jacob, the brother, would be a hermit but for the fact that he has two sons. No women, however, is allowed in the house, which matches William's home in age and is still more dilapidated.

Jacob is the elder. He was married nearly fifty years ago.

With his brother he fought for the Lee hundred thousands and in sympathy with him retired from the world as much as possible after the courts decided against him. The presence of these men in their old shells of houses in the very centre of a district popular with New York commuters is as strange as if a bit of West Virginia or Kentucky had been transplanted on Plainfield soil.

Runaway in the Valley.

J. H. Weber, superintendent of the Campbell Printing Press Company, and three friends from New York, went out driving, yesterday afternoon, and met with an accident while going down a hill on the Washington Valley road, about two miles from this city. The bolt holding the shafts came out and the shafts were loosened. The horse became frightened and ran away, throwing out the occupants of the carriage. All received sprains and bruises, but no one was seriously injured. The horse was finally caught. They returned to this city in another carriage and had their wounds dressed at a local pharmacy.

—Additional locals on page 3.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

MAY BE FINAL WEEK.

Republicans Hope to Finish the Tariff In That Time.

MANY DIFFERENCES WERE ADJUSTED

Democrats, However, Seem to Desire to Prolong the Debate, as They Intend to Discuss Some of the Questions at Length.

Washington, June 28.—The Republican tariff managers are still hopeful that the present may prove to be the last week of the tariff debate in the senate. All the schedules have been gone over once, leaving nothing to be done but to consider the paragraphs in the various schedules which have been passed when reached in their regular order because of differences of opinion among the Republicans themselves.

Many of these differences have been adjusted in the Republican ranks, but the Democrats will naturally take advantage of their knowledge of the feeling existing among their opponents to debate some of the questions at length. It is understood now that coal, leather, hides and lead ore will each be vigorously discussed, as will also the questions, though more briefly, of reciprocity, the treatment of trusts and the disposition of the Hawaiian reciprocity treaty.

In view of the determination of the Democrats to exploit all these questions and others as well, it would seem impossible to conclude the senate's work on the bill before the end of the week, and it is more than probable that the final word will be reserved for the following week.

The house will continue this week its policy of adjournment until Thursday. After that its course will depend upon the action of the senate. If by any chance a vote should be had on the tariff bill Wednesday or Thursday, the house probably will remain in session to receive the bill, disagree to the senate amendments and appoint conferees.

American Bicycles In Germany.

Washington, June 28.—Charles de Kay, United States consul general at Berlin, in a report to the state department calls attention to the fact that German bicycle makers are deeply concerned at the now very large and growing competition of American machines. The League of Industrials at Bochum, an important manufacturing center, has taken up the matter, and in a memorial to the German government calls attention to the fact that this great industry is in imminent peril owing to the rivalry of American bicycle manufacturers.

They complain that the United States levies a duty on foreign made wheels of about $14.28, while the German duty, being only $5.71 on 100 kilograms, only from 71 to 95 cents duty falls on the American wheel. On these and other grounds the aid of the German government is asked in behalf of the home industry.

The consul general in his report says it is not because the American wheels are of foreign make that they sell so rapidly in Germany, but because they are the strongest, lightest, soundest and most elegant in shape. They have quite taken the field, he says, from Belgian, Austrian and British wheels. He also expresses the opinion that large concessions could be made with safety to the Germans in the way of lower duties on German made wheels, because the German public is now so well convinced of the superiority of the American wheels that we will continue to hold the market so long as this high standard is maintained.

Consul Monaghan, at Chemitz Saxony, in a report to the state department, also calls attention to the effort that is being made by German bicycle makers in that province to secure higher rates on American wheels. To this end, the bund of German industries have petitioned the foreign office on the subject, asking for immediate relief from the threatened danger.

Objects to Boat Races.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 28.—Rev. Mr. Gates of the Hedding Methodist Episcopal church, this city, took boat racing for his subject. He said in part: "What profit are the races to Poughkeepsie? Many were made poorer by the races; many a man took his first glass of whiskey after the race. I am opposed to the races. When I saw ladies and gentlemen and children yelling on the streets, I thought that if they were only at prayer meeting, opening their mouths as loud as they did for Cornell, what a great meeting we would have."

Arrested on Suspicion.

New York, June 28.—Two colored men, Louis Hayden and Charles Johnson, alias Taylor, of Rondout, N. Y., formerly of Long Branch, who are suspected of being concerned in the robbery of the Pelham Manor railroad station, have been arraigned in the Center street court and remanded for examination. At the time of their arrest they had in their possession 12 boxes of cigars, a loaded revolver, a razor, a knife, tools used by burglars and a new pair of ladies' silk gloves. Both men refuse to talk.

Steamship Ashore.

Champlain, Que., June 28.—The steamship Turret Bay, Captain Klitgaard, Montreal for Sydney, C. B., is ashore at Point Aux Roches, near here. The vessel is in a dangerous position, resting on a rocky bottom. Attempts made by the vessel to pull herself off have been so far unavailing. There is very little rise and fall of the tide at the point where the vessel lies.

Death of the Earl of Sefton.

London, June 28.—William Philip Molyneux, fourth earl of Sefton, is dead. He was a Knight of the Garter. He was born in Croxteth hall, Liverpool, Oct. 14, 1835. Since 1858 he has been the lord lieutenant of Lancashire. The family estates are about 20,000 acres. He is succeeded in the earldom by his eldest son, the Viscount Molyneux, now in his thirty-first year.

Duke of Cambridge's Dinner.

London, June 28.—The Duke of Cambridge gave a jubilee banquet at Gloucester House, Park lane. Among the guests were the Prince of Wales, all the visiting royalties, and the special envoys, including Mr. Whitelaw Reid, the special envoy of the United States. No ladies were present.

JAPAN'S CONTENTION

Why She Objects to Our Annexation of Hawaii

INTERFERENCE WITH TREATY RIGHTS

That, According to the Japanese Legation at Washington, Is the Basis of Protest—Japs Claim Never to Have Wanted the Islands.

Washington, June 28.—The Japanese position on the annexation of Hawaii by the United States has been made known from a very high source. The Japanese base their opposition to annexation almost entirely upon the ground that it is an interference with the treaty rights of Japan and complain especially that the treaty was negotiated in the face of the most friendly protestations from Japan and at a time when the Japanese authorities had been led to believe that no such treaty would be undertaken. The following may be accepted as an absolutely accurate outline of the position of the Japanese legation at Washington:

The Japanese insist, as on all former occasions, that the Japanese government has not now and never has had any designs against Hawaii. This they consider a most important point because of the talk about colonization, which, they say, has apparently had so much weight in the discussion of the question. They contend that the Japanese first went to Hawaii in response to the demand for labor in the islands under provision of a treaty concluded in 1886 at the solicitation of the Hawaiian government. They call attention to the fact that the Japanese government has always been averse to having its people go abroad as coolies, as the Chinese do, and that the government has always striven to prevent such immigration. As a consequence the Hawaiian treaty was so worded as to prevent even the suspicion of anything like coolie labor.

Say All Interests Were Protected.

The interests of all parties were, they say, protected, and as a consequence the Hawaiian planters secured a high class of agricultural labor upon fair terms and under circumstances that did not give the least occasion for the dislike and opprobium which generally attach to contract labor. This treaty, they say, worked admirably for years and until the planters became restive under the conditions imposed by the treaty, thinking, the Japanese hold, that they could secure labor more cheaply with the restrictions removed.

At the same time the question of annexation came up, and the adherents of union with the United States thought it would be necessary to make changes in the method of obtaining the labor absolutely necessary to the prosperity of the sugar industry of the islands. This was, they claim, the origin of the so called "voluntary" system of immigration to Hawaii.

The development of this situation led to the framing by the Japanese government of its immigration law. This law is very strict in prohibiting the exportation of Japanese, except where employment is assured, and it is claimed that under its provisions it would be impossible to flood the Hawaiian islands as has been asserted to be the Japanese purpose, without the connivance of the Japanese authorities. This, they hold, could not be secured, in view of the policy of Japan against the exportation of coolie labor and in view of the repeated denials of Japan of any designs upon Hawaii.

A Suspicious Move.

They assert that Hawaii took no steps to restrict immigration from Japan until last February, when a sudden and suspicious demand was made upon Japan to this end. This, they claim, is evidence sufficient that there was no flooding of the islands. They regarded this demand from the island government as capricious and concluded that it was made for the purpose of increasing the agitation in the interest of annexation and to furnish a pretext for speedy action in that direction. To the same end they consider the cry of danger from Hawaii on account of Japanese aggression to have been raised.

They hoot the idea that this fear had any foundation in fact and say that the danger existed only in the minds of the zealous advocates of annexation. They assert that Japan has freely explained every step taken in this controversy with Hawaii to the United States, and they hold the fact that such explanation has been made should be accepted as proof positive that Japan has no ulterior designs upon the islands. In view of these explanations on their part to the United States they complain of the suddenness of the announcement of the Hawaiian treaty of annexation and say that the treaty was consummated when they had reason, from official assurances, for believing that no hasty action in that direction was contemplated.

They consider that many subjects of Japan are entitled to damages on account of Hawaii's summary refusal to permit them to land, and that they are deprived of their remedy by the consummation of this treaty. On this account they are inclined to regard the action as unjust and arbitrary. They also hold that Japan has rights under treaties with Hawaii other than those detailed, including reciprocal immunities, which they fear may not be renewed if Hawaii becomes part of the United States.

The present purpose, they hold, appears to be to terminate these rights without privilege of appeal, and against this proceeding they protest. They hold that while Japan has no purpose of asserting any authority in Hawaii the Japanese government has the right to remonstrate in the interest of her citizens and to demand that their legitimate rights be respected.

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Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are to-day its warmest friends. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

A BAND OF COUNTERFEITERS.

Believed to Have Been Broken Up by a Little Rock Arrest.

Little Rock, June 28.—Deputy United States marshals attached to the Fort Smith court have captured three men whose arrest, it is believed, has effectually broken up the once famous band of counterfeiters known to secret service operators all over the United States as the Bullfrog valley gang. The gang was one of the most dangerous organizations of counterfeiters that has operated in the United States in recent years. Their headquarters "mint" was situated in Pope county, Ark. The gang had branches for the purpose of floating their bogus money in nearly all the principal cities in the country and even, so the secret service men say, in Toronto and the City of Mexico.

Some of the most noted counterfeiters and confidence men in the country were its members and agents. At the last term of the federal court held in this city eight indictments were returned against members of the band. These parties are now in custody awaiting trial. Several other members of the gang have been convicted for passing counterfeit money in various cities and are now serving terms of imprisonment.

At secret service headquarters in Little Rock has been received information from Fort Smith that officers of that district have succeeded in capturing three more members of the gang. It is the opinion of the officers that the capture of these men effectually wipes out the gang.

The work of locating the headquarters of the Bullfrog valley counterfeiters is considered one of the best pieces of detective work accomplished by the secret service operators in the past decade. The members of the gang sought a remote spot in the fastnesses in the mountains of Pope county and settled there as rough mountaineers.

They dressed like the natives and adapted themselves to their customs to such a degree that the residents of the county paid no attention to them, supposing the men to be honest mountaineers.

The money was manufactured in the moutain mint and shipped to agents in all parts of the country to be floated. All efforts on the part of the officers to locate the mint were baffled for a long time. Detectives in Chicago discovered that counterfeiting materials were being shipped from that city, and by a fine piece of work they traced the shipments to the Pope county mint of the Bullfrog valley gang.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At Cincinnati—
Cincinnati .... 0 2 0 2 0 0 0 0 *— 4
Louisville ..... 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0— 2
Cincinnati—Hits, 4; errors, 0. Louisville—Hits, 8; errors, 3.

At Chicago—
Chicago ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0— 0
Cleveland ..... 0 0 0 0 1 4 0 0 0— 5
Chicago—Hits, 6; errors, 3. Cleveland—Hits, 8; errors, 1.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Boston	37	14	.725
Baltimore	35	15	.700
Cincinnati	32	17	.653
New York	31	19	.620
Brooklyn	26	25	.510
Pittsburg	25	25	.500
Cleveland	24	27	.471
Philadelphia	25	29	.463
Washington	21	29	.420
Louisville	20	30	.400
Chicago	19	33	.366
St. Louis	11	43	.204

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Daniel Shine, aged 17, a student at the Classical High school, was drowned at Lake Quinsigamond, Mass.

Thomas Benham, employed at the factory of the Winsted (Conn.) Manufacturing company, was instantly killed by the explosion of a grindstone.

Senator Pettigrew of South Dakota suffered a slight stroke of apoplexy while making a speech on the tariff bill in the senate chamber, in Washington.

Ex-State Treasurer Bartley of Nebraska, convicted of embezzlement, was sentenced at Omaha to 21 years in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of $300,000.

The People's institute at New York has been organized to educate the public in civic and social science and to establish harmony between capital and labor.

Albert M. King, the embezzling messenger of the Boylston (Mass.) bank, pleaded not guilty to the charge of stealing $30,000 and furnished $2,500 bail for appearance.

Severe earthquake shocks have continued at intervals of a few hours during the past four days at Tehuantepec and as far east as San Cristobal, in the state of Chiapas, Mexico. No further damage is reported, but the inhabitants are in a state of terror.

Weather Predictions.

Fair; increasing cloudiness.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western strong and higher on spring wheat brands; city mills patents, $4.60@4.85; winter patents, $4.40@4.70; city mills clears, $4.60@4.75; winter straights, $4@4.10.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened nervous and advanced on reports of damage by heavy rains and the strong feeling in July options; July, 76@76½c.; September, 70 9-16@71 9-16c.

RYE—Steady; No. 2 western, 36¾c., c. i. f., Buffalo.

CORN—No. 2 quiet and steadier in sympathy with wheat; July, 29 9-16@29⅝c.; September, 31@31 1-16c.

OATS—No. 2 were inactive; track, white, state, 24@30c.; track, white, western, 24@30c.

PORK—Steady; mess, $8.25@8.75; family, $9.25@10.

LARD—Dull; prime western steam, $4.10 nominal.

BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 10@14c.; state creamery, 11@15c.

CHEESE—Quiet; state, large, 7¾@8c.; small, 7¾@7½c.

EGGS—Steady; state and Pennsylvania, 11@11½c.; western, 10@10½c.

SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c.; refined, steady; crushed, 5⅝c.; powdered, 5c.

TURPENTINE—Steady at 27@27½c.

MOLASSES—Quiet; New Orleans, 22@28c.

RICE—Steady; domestic, 4⅛@6c.; Japan, 4¼@4½c.

TALLOW—Dull; city, 3 1-16@3⅛c.; country, 3 3-16@3⅜c.

HAY—Quiet; shipping, 50c.; good to choice, 60@70c.

HORRIBLE MYSTERY

Portions of a Mutilated Body Found at Different Places.

POINT TO A DIABOLICAL CRIME.

One Part Found Floating In the River and the Other Miles Away In the Woods—The Victim Had Been Dead but a Short Time.

New York, June 28.—The lower part of the trunk of a man was found by two boys in the woods at One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Undercliffe avenue, this city, yesterday afternoon. It was terribly mutilated and shows plainly that a murder has been committed. It was wrapped in linoleum oilcloth and manilla paper, exactly as was the upper part of a trunk found in the East river off Eleventh street Saturday. The two are parts of the same body.

The two pieces were found more than eight miles apart, one in the water, the other on land. The part found yesterday comprised the lower part of the trunk from the fifth rib to the hips, the legs having been severed from the body at the hip joints. It was wrapped in three folds of paper and two of oilcloth. The oilcloth was evidently cut from the same piece as that which inclosed the upper part of the trunk. It was new and of a cheap pattern, brightred with gilt figures on it. It is like that commonly used for tablecloths in tenement houses.

The find of yesterday was in a bulky bundle, lying against a wall next to Undercliffe avenue, where the shrubbery was very thick. It had not been dissected, which does away with the belief that it had been handled by medical students. Besides, it had been terribly hacked where separated from the upper portion. It was sent to the morgue, where it fitted the part found Saturday exactly.

The Deputy Coroner's Autopsy.

Deputy Coroner O'Hanlon performed an autopsy on the upper part of the trunk before the other had been found. He discovered two stab wounds, one between the fifth and sixth ribs and one between the sixth and seventh, in the region of the heart. There was also a stab wound back of the left collar bone that extended down to the apex of the left lung.

Dr. O'Hanlon found, too, a bruise on the left forearm, and under the right forearm was a contusion showing the shape of a heel, with the imprint of hob nails, like those in heavy boots.

He found an incised wound in the palm of the right hand, which, he said, was probably caused by the victim seizing the weapon with which he was attacked. There was no water or serum in the lungs. The lungs were well filled with air.

There was a knife wound two inches long in the apex of the heart corresponding to the wound between the ribs. Numerous contusions were also found on the body, which Dr. O'Hanlon thinks could have been inflicted after death.

The doctor stated that the man could not have been dead more than 36 hours and perhaps not more than 24. He calculates the man's age at about 35 years and height at 5 feet 10 inches.

The central office detectives and the detectives of the two precincts in which the parts of the trunk were found are investigating the case.

Hudson Iron Company to Dissolve.

Hudson, N. Y., June 28.—Justice Chester has appointed Frank H. Stott of the Stott woolen mills, Stottville, receiver of the Hudson Iron company. His bond was fixed at $25,000. The concern is perfectly solvent, having assets above all liabilities of $25,000, exclusive of valuable real estate. During its corporate existence, for nearly 50 years, it has yielded to its stockholders an average dividend of 12 per cent. The decadence of the iron industry in eastern New York is the cause of the dissolution. The plant has not been operated for the past three years.

Death of Attorney Cross.

Newark, N. J., June 28.—Philip W. Cross, former city attorney of this city, is dead. He had been ill for several months of jaundice. Mr. Cross was born at Sharon, N. Y., in 1843. He entered Oberlin college, O., and when the war broke out enlisted in company K, First Ohio volunteers. He was several times city attorney, the last time during the administration of former Mayor Lebkererber. He also served in the assembly in 1867 and 1877. Mr. Cross left a widow and two children.

Floods In Galicia.

Vienna, June 28.—The town of Kolomea, in Galicia, has been flooded by the rising of the river Pruth. Many houses have been destroyed, and the bridge between Kolomea and Turka has been swept away. The collapse took place while a train was crossing, and it is believed that many have been drowned. The government has ordered the soldiery to assist the inhabitants in the effort to save their property.

Run Over by a Tallyho Coach.

Medina, N. Y., June 28.—Julius Crasant, 34 years old, living on Clifford street, in Rochester, has been probably fatally injured. A tallyho coach containing 26 persons and drawn by four horses, ran over him just north of this place. Crasant was evidently asleep in the middle of the road and was not discovered by the driver of the coach until too late to prevent running over him.

German Embassy's Dinner.

London, June 28.—The German embassy has given a banquet and reception in honor of Prince and Princess Henry of Prussia and of the Duke and Duchess of Saxe-Coburg. Among the guests were Embassador Hay and Miss Hay, with the leading members of the German colony in London.

Church Dedicated.

Amsterdam, N. Y., June 28.—St. Stanislaus' Polish Catholic church has been dedicated by the Right Rev. T. M. A. Burke of Albany, assisted by a number of priests. The church cost $25,000 and is free of debt.

Telegraphic Communication Restored.

London, June 28.—The Anglo-American Telegraph company, limited, announces that telegraphic communication with Siberia has been restored.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Naegle.)

Fair Tonight and Tuesday; Warmer. At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 83 Degrees.

Subscribers to The Daily Press who are leaving town for summer vacations can have the paper sent to their temporary address without extra expense by simply notifying the business office.

A COMMENDABLE ENTERPRISE.

The long and continued effort to secure a Y. M. C. A. building came to an end in this city several years ago. Now Montclair has been working hard to secure a building to accommodate her Y. M. C. A., and has at last raised $30,000 for that object. If the Association building in Montclair adds as much to the beauty and usefulness of the city as does the building in Plainfield, the citizens of Montclair will never be sorry that they gave their money for such a cause.

THE ENDEAVORERS AND THE BICYCLE

This year the Plainfield Endeavorers and Epworth Leaguers have utilized the bicycle in their work with great success. The plan was an innovation, but it found favor with people immediately. The pleasures of a bicycle run in the cool of the evening were far more attractive than a programme, no matter how good, given in a warm room. The young people of the churches all ride wheels, and what would be more suitable than that they should gather together and enjoy a spin.

A WISE PRECAUTION.

The action of the Scotch Plains township committee in attempting to stop coasting on Glenside Park hill is a very commendable one and the sooner the ordinance that will have that effect is passed the better. The hill is a dangerous one and already several cyclists have had serious accidents there. It is far better to take precautions to stop the coasting and not wait until some foolhardy rider receives fatal injuries through a tumble on that hill.

NEWARK BARBERS IN LINE.

The barbers of Newark are following the example set by their fellow craftsmen in Plainfield some time ago and have started a movement to close their shops on Sunday. It is planned to close them only through the summer, however.

AT WASHINGTON'S CAMP GROUNDS.

The Programme for the Independence Day Celebration—No Fireworks.

The committee having charge of the Independence Day celebration on Washington Camp Ground, near Bound Brook, has put the finishing touches to the arrangements.

Instead of spending money for fireworks this year, an appropriation has been made for the free conveyance of people from Bound Brook to the camp grounds.

The programme on the camp ground will begin at 3 o'clock and will be as follows:

Music—Star Spangled Banner. Standard Cornet Band
Invocation.....Rev. Chas. T. Anderson
Welcome....Hon. George LaMonte, President Washington Camp Ground Association.
Singing—America.....Audience
Reading of Declaration of Independence. George M. LaMonte
American Fantazia, (by request), Foster..Band
Singing—Columbia.....Audience
Oration.....Hon. Amos J. Cummings
Benediction.....Rev. A. S. Phelps
National Airs.....Band
Darling Flo, (dedicated to Washington Camp Ground Association).....Band
El Capitan, (by request).....Band

The usual historical address will not be given by Rev. T. E. Davis, as that gentleman will then be in California.

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gray, George Westphal Gray, Jr., and Charles Westphal, of South Second street, returned last evening from Bayonne where they have been visiting relatives.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Miss Katheryn Drayton, of Franklin place, has been ill for several days.

E. E. Anthony, of West Front street, has gone on a business trip to Cincinnati.

Rev. Ernest Thompson spoke at the East Third Street mission, last evening.

Edward Mackey, of East Front street, has secured a position in New York.

Miss Richardson, of LaGrande avenue, is entertaining a friend from Boston.

Miss Edith Darby, of Alton, spent Sunday with Miss Mabelle Force, of Central avenue.

LeRoy Brewster, of New York, is a guest at the home of W. J. Roome, of Sycamore avenue.

LeRoy Sneckner, of New York, has been the guest of Frank Boone, of West Seventh street.

Motorman Martin Lance, of the street railway, spent Saturday in Newark with friends.

Mrs. C. L. Goodrich, of West Seventh street, is able to be out again after her recent illness.

Miss Clark, of Conchihocken, is visiting at the home of her uncle, E. B. Clark, of Crescent avenue.

Benjamin Schenck, an employe at Randolph's pharmacy, is ill at his home on East Fifth street.

Benj. F. Newell, of Brooklyn, is a guest at the home of John V. Beekman, of West Eighth street.

Former Mayor B. A. Hegeman, Jr., of Washington Park, has returned from a trip to St. Paul, Minn.

Miss May Lyness and Thomas J. Lyness, Jr., of this city, are visiting friends in Hunterdon county.

Mr. Bennett, of Lincoln place, is improving nicely from the injuries to his foot which happened sometime ago.

Mrs. Esther Kemster Miller, of LaGrande avenue, was able to be out yesterday after a six months' illness.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Case, of Greenbrook, will celebrate their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary next Tuesday.

Miss Boorman, a teacher in the Washington school, left the city Saturday to spend her vacation at Belmar.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fraleigh, of Plainfield, have been visiting at the home of William Blackwell of Bound Brook.

Miss Bullock, of New York, returned today, after a visit at the home of William VanAlstyne, of Watchung avenue.

Charles Westphal, Jr., and his aunt, Mrs. Skinner, of this city, have returned from a short visit with Scotch Plains relatives.

Mrs. C. W. Lines, of Elm place, who has been ill for several days, is gradually getting better under the treatment of Dr. E. W. Hedges.

Miss Francis E. Kenyon, of Seventh street, sailed for Europe on Thursday with the purpose of taking a course of study during her absence abroad.

Albert Garland, formerly night operator at the telephone office, left Plainfield last evening for Asbury Park where he will spend the summer.

John Bonnell, of Chicago, is visiting his father, Albert Bonnell, of Manning avenue. He arrived last evening and will remain in this vicinity for sometime.

Thomas D. Blair, of East Second street, who has been staying in Belmar, went to Asbury Park this morning, where he will spend the summer.

Among the Plainfielders who are registered at hotels in Belmar are Max Murger, of Washington avenue, at the Columbia, and George Taylor at the Carleton.

Miss Adeline B. Parsons, of Watchung avenue, left this morning, for San Francisco, where she will attend the national Christian Endeavor convention and also visit relatives in the west.

Raymond A McGee, of Orchard place, Washington Park, returned to Plainfield, Saturday, from Poughkeepsie, where he took part in the freshman boat race as one of the victorious crew.

Miss Mary Robison, of East Fifth street, has completed her duties for the summer as a teacher in the Bayonne public schools and left this morning, for San Francisco to be absent for several weeks.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional local news on the third page.

—An entertainment will be held at the Monroe Avenue church tomorrow evening.

—Preparatory lecture will be held in the Congregational church on Wednesday evening.

—When the summer does come it will be with a rush, like the rush for shirt waists at Peck's.

—An important meeting of John Hand Camp, Sons of Veterans, will be held tomorrow evening.

—All bills against the city must be in the hands of the city clerk not later than Wednesday evening.

—The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the Congregational church, next Sunday morning.

—The Epworth League of the First M. E. church will hold a sociable at the parsonage on Central avenue, this evening.

—The next improvement of note in the city will be the flagging of Hillside avenue, which work will be commenced very soon.

—On Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays for the remainder of the summer Rogers market on East Second street will close from 12 to 2 o'clock.

—Go to Mauch Chunk, Monday, July 5th, on the Central Railroad excursion. The fare is only $1.75 for the round trip. You could not spend the day more profitably.

—At the meeting of Somerset Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., to be held next Friday evening, officers for the ensuing term will be chosen. Other important business will be considered also.

—The new tennis courts located on West Front street, to be used by the young people of Monroe Avenue church, are now completed, and the informal opening will be held next Saturday.

—A stone sidewalk is being laid in front of the residence of Stephen Cahoone, of Watchung avenue. Another has been placed on the front of the property of Thomas Minford of the same thoroughfare.

—This evening at Trinity Reformed church the Christian Endeavor Society will hold its regular monthly consecration meeting. A hearty invitation is extended to all to be present. The service commences at 8 o'clock.

—Mrs. P. Woodward, of Norwood avenue, representing the United Casualty Company, has just presented a check to Percy Wheeler, of LaGrande avenue, for injuries he received while riding a wheel on the hill near Feltville.

—Watchung avenue, between Hillside avenue and Woodland avenue, is in very poor condition. The upper layer of the macadam has been cut up and there are numerous large stones lying about the street that are a great danger to wheelmen.

—A great crowd was attracted to the show windows of Woodhull & Martin last Saturday evening. The cause of it was that a well-known sculptor was carving the Statue of Liberty out of a large piece of olive oil soap. The artist was very clever and did his work well. The soap was sold in small cakes to those who desired to buy.

AVOIDED AN ICE WAGON.

But the Wheelwoman Turned too Suddenly and Fell.

A lady cyclist narrowly escaped being trampled under the feet of horses on West Front street, last Friday afternoon. As an ice wagon of the Plainfield Cold Storage Company, driven by John Morton, was turning into the alley way at the side of Scheuer & Co's store, the woman attempted to run past in front of the horses.

She turned her wheel too quickly and was thrown to the ground and one of the horses trampled upon the back wheel of the bicycle, damaging it considerably. The driver quickly stopped his horses and the woman scrambled out of danger, unhurt. Her name could not be learned.

Thousands suffer from Catarrh or cold in head and have never tried the popular remedy. There is no longer any excuse, as a 10 cent trial size of Ely's Cream Balm can be had of your druggist or we mail it for 10 cents. Full size 50 cents. ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City. A friend advised me to try Ely's Cream Balm and after using it six weeks I believe myself cured of catarrah. It is a most valuable remedy.—Joseph Stewart, 624 Grand avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

The Farmer Orator To Speak.

At the Democratic banquet tonight at Elizabeth, J. E. Martine will respond to the toast, "The Mission of the Democracy."

William Thickstun, of Central avenue, is sojourning at Asbury Park.

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MAARKEN WEDDING.

AN INTERESTING CEREMONY IN THAT QUEER LITTLE ISLAND.

An Engagement of Five Years is the Usual Custom and During that Time the Lovers See Very Little of Each Other and are Never Alone.

It was a bright Sunday in June that I chose for my visit to this little triangular island of Maarken, situated in the Zuyder Zee, whose inhabitants, according to Washington Irving, have settled conclusively, to their own minds at least, the long-disputed question concerning the situation of the Garden of Eden. Inclosed by a broad dyke, that keeps out the encroaching waters of the Zee, these fishermen, with their families, live their quiet lives. Many of the women, and even the men, have never ventured beyond its narrow limits. An air of unusual excitement prevailed over the whole island the day of my visit. Following the direction taken by the various groups, I found myself in front of the church, and when a few minutes later, hand in hand, a couple, in holiday attire, gravely entered I knew instinctively that it was a wedding that had so moved the calm, stolid Dutch peasantry. The bridal couple approached the altar, entirely alone, and the burgomaster addressed a few remarks and questions to them. Then he extended his hands in blessing and solemnly shook hands with first the groom, then the bride, and the ceremony was ended. Quietly, without a word or sign to or from any one, they turned, and, hand in hand, slowly left the church and walked in the middle of the street to their new home, which the groom, according to custom, entered first, the bride following about a minute later, both having removed their shoes and left them on the outside. Not a word or a glance was exchanged between them. The little bride was most picturesque. Her dark stuff skirt over a white petticoat was just short enough to show her feet, incased in blue knit stockings and leather shoes with silver buckles. A white spenser, over which was a bodice or corselet, green in front and red behind, heavily embroidered in gold and silver thread. These bodices are works of art; the embroidery is most gorgeous, and it takes years to finish one. They are handed down from mother to daugher as heirlooms. Like all the women on the island, old and young, the little bride wore a white cap covering all the hair excepting a square bang in front, and a long yellow curl on either side of the face. The groom's knickerbockers would have made a bicycle girl envious. He wore a striped waistcoat over red shirt, a long silver chain, and collar buttons, also heirlooms. At a certain age, somewhere near sixteen, the girls assume the "shako" or cap worn by the women. After this they can "smuggle," as the term is, or in English they make their debut. In the evening, after the fishing boats come in, the young men and maidens assemble in the harbor and sit in the boats together. As soon as they become engaged, all this is changed. The girl stays at home and learns to be a good housewife, weaves and makes her lines, etc. The engagement usually lasts five years. During this time the young couple seldom see each other, never alone. The man fishes, builds a home and makes ready for his bride.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Miss Lillian VanMiddlesworth has almost recovered from her severe illness.

Miss Nellie Dodwell, daughter of Conductor Dodwell, is quite ill at her home.

Mrs. Henry Lyon is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Butscher, of New York city.

Miss Lillian Staats, of the borough, is suffering with a severe attack of throat trouble.

Miss Isabella Titsworth, of the borough, is visiting friends at Elizabeth for a few days.

J. N. Apgar, of the borough, is visiting D. S. Campbell and family, at Fairmount, this State.

F. S. Cutter and his sister, of Plainfield, enjoyed Saturday afternoon at New Market with friends.

Mr. Opdyke, of Watchung avenue, Plainfield, was the guest of friends in the borough last Saturday.

The cases of Werner against Blackford and Casey against Cronin, will be tried this week before Justice Storms at New Market.

The courts of the Dunellen Lawn Tennis Association were thronged Saturday afternoon with enthusiastic players. It was indeed a social event of note.

The condition of Charles A. Beekman, of Front street, is not so well since his return from Centreville, where he spent several weeks for the benefit of his health.

The Borough Council will probably hold their regular July meeting Tuesday evening following July 5th, which will be celebrated instead of July 4th which comes on Sunday.

The pulpit of the New Market Baptist church was occupied yesterday morning by Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D,, pastor of the Trinity Reformed church, of Plainfield, and a very excellent sermon was delivered. Rev. Frank Fletcher, pastor of the New Market church, preached in Mr. Schenck's church, at Plainfield.

Through the efforts of William G. Holton Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., an attempt will be made to keep some of the town people home next Monday, July 5th. It is proposed to have a genuine celebration of the 4th and the members of the above order are now arranging to give everybody a good time. It is to be hoped that the people of the borough will assist all that they can in making the affair a success.

Last Saturday a lively runaway was witnessed in the borough. The horse who was responsible for the damage is owned by Mr. Case, of Greenbrook, and while Mr. Case was changing the bridle the animal took a notion that he would run away. He was attached to the wagon and the rapid speed at which he traveled resulted in his breaking the wagon all to pieces. When the horse was caught in Dunellen there was hardly a thing left of the wagon. The horse did not seem to be injured very much, but was winded. Shortly after the horse reached Dunellen Mr. Case appeared and took charge of him. The latter says that it is the first time his horse has ran away. Fortunately there was was no one in the wagon or else the damage would have resulted more disastrously.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Mrs. Helen C. Henderson, of Brooklyn, is visiting Mrs. W. H. Turton.

Frank Allen has presented Mrs. W. H. Turton with a blooded fox terrier.

Mrs. Levy, of this place, has gone to Indianapolis, Ind., to join her husband.

Mrs. William Brown, of Passaic, is visiting her sister, Mrs. George A. Clark.

R. S. Fisher, of Fanwood, spent Saturday and yesterday with friends in Lebanon.

James Collins, formerly of Plainfield, and now of Chicago, is visiting his sister, Mrs. John Blimm.

William Buckley has recovered from his recent illness, and returned to his duties in Plainfield today.

Prof. and Mrs. John R. Morey will visit friends in Burnt Hills, N. Y., during July, and will spend August in Syracuse, N. Y.

Twilight Council, No. 7, Jr.O. U. A. M., held its semi-annual election Friday night and chose the following officers: Councilor, Joseph Schwalbach; vice-councilor, Edward L. Hand; recording secretary, Charles W. Brown; treasurer, John Mooney; warden, Richard Hart; inside sentinel, Charles Field; outside sentinel, Samuel Taynor; conductor, George Johnston; trustees, David Clark, 3 months, and Charles Frentz, 18 months. The board now comprises W. H. Turton, chairman; Charles Frentz and David Clark.

WESTFIELD

AETNAS EASY VICTIMS.

WESTFIELD TEAM DEFEATS CRACK BROOKLYN PLAYERS.

Fresh Air Camp Opens for the Season—Death of Mrs. William Hodge—A Westfield Man Married—Some Other Items.

The Westfield Club baseball team played a game with the Aetnas of Brooklyn, on the North Broad street grounds Saturday afternoon, and won by the score 17 to 9. The large crowd which was present in the expectation of witnessing a closely contested game, were disappointed, as the home team had everything its own way from the start. The visitors were first at the bat and started out by making two runs. Westfield made only one run. At the beginning of the next inning Higgins, Westfield's pitcher, increased his speed, and the Aetnas made no runs in the second, third and fourth innings, while Westfield scored 8, making the score at this stage of the game 9 to 2. In the fifth inning Higgins slowed up somewhat and allowed the visitors to do some batting in order to give the fielders some practice, and the Aetnas got in two runs. Westfield also scored two. After this Wier, who pitched a strong game against the Newark Field Club last week, giving them only three hits, was easily hit by Westfield's batters. Six runs were scored in one inning. Crooks in the sixth made a home run, while Roth at short stop made three brilliant stops. In the remaining three innings the Aetnas were allowed 5 more runs, leaving the score 17 to 9. Westfield played an errorless game. Higgins struck out twelve men, and Wier, of the Aetnas, retired three.

Miss Kittie Tonnele visited friends in Plainfield on Saturday.

Mrs. William J. Bogert is ill at her home on Central avenue.

Dr. R. R. Sinclair, coroner of Union county, is ill from overwork.

The four children of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deming are ill with measles.

Charles Forster, of Mountainside, has a severe case of blood poisoning.

Mrs. C. H. Patton, of Duluth, Minn., is visiting Mrs. Alexander Clark.

Mr. Davis, of Mountain avenue, entertained friends from New York city yesterday.

Miss Emma L. Bridges and Miss Marion Ledger, leaves today for Alaska on the Raymond excursion.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles MacQuoid and daughter, of Roselle, spent yesterday with Mrs Elizabeth MacQuoid, of Elm street.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church enjoyed a stage ride to Washington Rock yesterday afternoon.

Rev. Judson Swift, successor of Rev. Dr. William A. Rice as secretary of the American Tract Society, gave an interesting address on the work of the organization in the Presbyterian church, yesterday morning. At the close of the service a collection was taken for the society.

The Westfield Fresh Air Camp will open next Friday and remain in operation during July and August. The camp was organized in 1895 by the Union Fresh Air Mission Association for the purpose of a brief outing in the country to mothers with sick babies from the tenement districts of New York city. The camp accommodates about 100 at a time, and each party stays about ten days.

Miss Anna E. Sheppard and John A. McMillan were married at the home of the bride's brother in Penn Yan, N. Y., last Wednesday evening. The groom is connected with the Rheostadt Company of this place, and has lived here for the past year. He is a graduate of Princeton College. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. McMillan left for a short wedding trip through the south. On their return they will take up their residence in Westfield.

Mrs. William Hodges, aged twenty-nine years, died at her home, corner of Broad and Clark streets, Saturday afternoon, of consumption. The funeral services were held in the M. E. church at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Rev. W. H. Ruth officiated. Interment was made in New York city. Mrs. Hodges is survived by a husband and five children, the oldest of whom is only eleven. The case is a particular sad one, and kind hearted people in town are endeavoring to find some place where the children can be cared for. A suggestion to have them placed in the Children's Country Home for the summer, has met with much approval, and it is hoped that the board of managers of that institution will give their consent to the plan.

WHEN REALLY WELL

your sleep rests you. Labor is light and you don't object to it. Appetite is regular and food never distresses you. Mind is keen and active. You feel strong and there is an excess of energy that gives a zest to living.

Everything is just the opposite when debility assails you, and one of the best remedies for restoring the vital organs and nervous system to proper tone is

CROWN BRAND MALT EXTRACT

It is not expensive, is good to take and prompt results follow its use.

Price for equal quality elsewhere, 20c a bottle. Price here, 15c. a bottle, $1.65 per dozen.

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45 Somerset Street. Tel. 213 A.

ESTABLISHED 1891.

Property Transfers.

Property transfers as recorded at County Clerk Howard's office, June 18th to June 24th, inclusive:

Margaret Hand et ux., North Plainfield, to Luther V. Stryker, Elizabeth, lot 3, share No. 3, Hand estate, Plainfield, $1; Wm. T. Kirk, sheriff, to Egbert Alsdorf, Plainfield, lot on lane from Front to Second street, Plainfield, $1,249.84; H. C. Compton et ux., to Minnie Stryker, Plainfield, lot West Front street, Plainfield, $960; Jennie Dohrman, Summit, et ux., to Felix Marx, Plainfield, lots 21 to 28, inclusive, block 8, Oakland map, $100; Frank B. Hain, Westfield, et ux., to Felix Marx, Plainfield, lots 18, 19 and 20, block 8, Oakland map, Cranford, $1; Catherine H. McClure, Plainfield, to Winifred S. Blanchet, Morristown, lot Carleton avenue, Plainfield, $1; Aaron D. Thompson et ux., Plainfield, to Owen Sullivan, Elizabeth, 2 lots, First avenue, near Thompson, Linden, $2,000; Minnie Colgate-Fanwood, to O. B. Eastman, Plainfield, two tracts, Westfield, Scotch Plains road, $1; Elizabeth Chandler, Plainfield, to A. McIntyre, Plainfield, lot Third street, Plainfield, 1.

The following contracts were also filed:

Frank S. Wells with Wyman & Haberle, contractors, erection and completion of frame house, Plainfield, $6,799; Mary McCabe with Herman Hanson, Plainfield, mason work, new house, Johnson avenue, Plainfield, $500.

Mr. Voehl Denies the Charge.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Voehl deny ever having said or done anything to John Milne to damage his reputation or character, and will contest his Supreme Court action for $5,000 damages to the bitter end.

Geo. Voehl.

The Caddies Had It.

Owing to the recent outbreak of scarlet fever all play has been discontinued for the present at the Hillside Golf and Lawn Tennis grounds. It was learned that some of the caddies were ill with the fever, and for that reason the grounds have been closed.

Westfield, N. J., May 28, 1897.—I had a severe attack of rheumatism and the medicine I was taking did not relieve me. I resorted to Hood's Sarsaparilla, which accomplished a cure. Mrs. Mary Kimmey.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills. 25c.

WHEN you have urgent business with someone in another town or city, remember that your telephone is adapted for Long Distance talking, and that there are hundreds of towns and cities connected by the Long Distance lines, and thousands of people in them having metallic circuit service, with whom you can talk as easily as with a subscriber of your own exchange.

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Randolph's Pure Palm Oil Soap, 10c. per cake, 3 for 25c. A Superior Family Soap.

Bath Sponges, Bath Brushes, Sea Salt, &c., &c.

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143 WEST FRONT STREET. TELEPHONE CALL 109.

Preached on the Queen's Jubilee.

Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes, pastor of the First Baptist church, delivered a powerful sermon yesterday morning regarding the jubilee celebration of Queen Victoria. The discourse was a most able one and attracted the interest of the large congregation present.

Miss Bowers, of Washington, D. C., is visiting at the home of B.O.Bowers, of Franklin place.

Independence Day Excursion

TO

Mauch Chunk, Glen Onoko

AND THE

Famed Switchback,

VIA

Central Railroad of New Jersey.

MONDAY, JULY 5.

A special express train, with lunch car attached, will leave Plainfield at 9:28 a. m. Fare for the round trip

ADULTS, $1.75; CHILDREN, $1.31

Switchback tickets at half rates if purchased on excursion train. Ju 28 30 Jy 2 3

WHY

pay 10 cents a dozen for buns when you can buy them tomorrow (Tuesday) at the Golden Rule Bakery, 110 Somerset street, for 8 cents. Delicious bread, cakes, and pies of all kinds made fresh daily.

E. F. TITUS,

Proprietor.

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THE COMMISSIONERS

appointed under the

MARTIN ACT

are to meet in the

EVENING of JULY 8th,

from 7:30 to 9 p. m., as well as in the afternoon of the same day. 6 26 2

TO LET.

Choice offices, Marsh Building, all modern conveniences. Also 2 large halls.

IRA L. LaRUE, Room 4, Marsh Building, 5 21 tf 201 Park Avenue.

Assessor Hubbard

will be at the office,

109 Park Avenue,

until July 10th. "Evenings by appointment." 6 28 6

Randolph Runyon,

Funeral Director

and Embalmer,

Residence, Over Office. Office 43 Somerset St., Plainfield, N. J.

DIED.

KIELY—In Plainfield, N. J., Sunday, June 27, 1897, Elizabeth Kiely, aged 61 years. Funeral service at her late residence, 694 West Fourth street, Tuesday, June 29, at 9 a. m., and at St Mary's church at 9:30.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

SIX room flat to let with improvements. Inquire Geo. Voehl, 127 West Front St.

LOST—Bicycle chain. Return to Chas. C. Lister and receive reward.

WANTED—A Catholic who can come well recommended, to take orders for an article needed in every Catholic family. Call 7 to 8 p. m. 495 West Second St.

FOR RENT—Furnished sunny front room, without board, in private family for single lady or gentleman; two doors from Crescent avenue. Modern conveniences. Address M. care Press. 6 28 2

GOOD dressmaker would take more engagements by day. Address D. care Press.

$25 reward! If the person who on Saturday last at twelve o'clock took a gold hunting-case watch from the house of Mr. Jocelyn Johnstone, 15 Prospect place, will return it personally, or by agent to the owner, no questions of any kind will be asked, no trouble will be given, and Mr. Johnstone will give bearer twenty-five dollars. 6 28 2

A man wanted with some knowledge of agriculture to solicit orders for fruit and ornamental nursery stock. Steady work; liberal terms. Address Chase's Sons & Co., Sta. A., Philadelphia, Pa. 6 14 12 e o d.

SEVEN room house to rent in West End Park; all improvements. Address House, care Press. 6 25 3

WANTED—4 good stone flaggers, steady work. Apply 230 West Second St. 6 25 3

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

Plainfield's Busiest Store.

We sell goods cheaper than any Plainfield store.

Business Reputations are not made by selling penny prints or three cent stockings—there is something better in this store than that You will find at all times useful merchandise here that you can buy with confidence and wear with satisfaction. Cheap goods are not always

Goods Cheap.

A BIG WEEK

in the Wash Goods. We are facing a condition here—half the season gone and no wash goods weather—only one thing is to be done and we are not slow in doing it. We will have less yards of goods a few days hence—all our Lawns, Dimities, Cambrics, Challies that have been 12, 15 and 18c, all to go for 8c. the yd.

MEN'S OUTING SHIRTS.

You can afford to buy liberally of these lots for we are going to reduce the stock. The goods and prices talk stronger than we can. Here they are—

Were. Now.		Were. Now.	
Men's silk striped shirts,	75c, $1 49c	Men's cambric laundered shirts	75c 48c
Men's cheviot striped shirts	50, 75c 32c	Men's balbriggan shirts and drawers	25c

HOSIERY FOR

Ladies, Gentlemen and Children. You can buy better hosiery here for less money than ever before.

Ladies' fine lisle hose, drop stitch	15c	pair; value	22c
Ladies' plain lisle hose	15c	"	25c
Children's ribbed bicycle hose	10c	"	15c
Children's plain hose, extra fine	15c	"	25c
Men's extra fine fast black hose	13c	"	25c
Men's tan hose, very fine	15c	"	25c
Men's fancy ½-hose	18c	"	35c

SALE OF SUMMER

Underwear for ladies and children. The weather is to blame for it this time. A month ago they would have brought double—now they go at half.

Ladies' ribbed vests were 10c, now 4c	Ladies' ribbed vests were 12c, now 7c
Ladies' lisle vests were 25c, now 15c	Ladies' lisle vests were 37c, now 25c

Children's ribbed vests, were 20c, now 10c.

SPECIAL BARGAIN LOTS

They come from every department in the store and all well worth seeing.

34-in check suiting	10c yard	36-in French nainsook	10c yard
36 in fine percales	5c yard	30-in fine dimities	6c yard
Extra heavy bath towels	10c	4-button chamois gloves	67c
Fine seamless matting, 20-yd rolls	2 49	Porch rugs, 3x6	1.19
Ladies' silk belts	19c	Heavy all-linen crash	5c
Fine figured doylies	45c doz	A good summer corset	39c

40-in black or blue all-wool suiting 25c

54-in all-wool bicycle suiting 49c

Boy's wash suits 49c, 59c and 69c reduced from 69c, 79c and 98c

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CLOSING OUT

Baby Carriages

Discount 20 per cent.

GARRET Q. PACKER,

301-303 West Front Street.

Special Notice.

We have just received word that Messrs. Woolston & Buckle, owners of our building, that they commence to rebuild, and we must close our sale in 12 days.

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Must Be Sold Regardless of Price.

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Willetts' Park Shoe

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Ladies' Russet and Black Oxfords.

Ladies' Ox-blood Lace Shoes, $2.00 & $3.00.

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OFFICE to let in Schwed building, next First National Bank. Elston M. French, 24 Somerset St. 6 23 6

$60 cash will buy a '96 ladies' Columbia in first class condition. Has only been ridden 200 miles. Address "Columbia," care Press.

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THEY ARE TRAINED FOR THE OCCUPATION AND IN GREAT DEMAND.

Good Salaries Paid—The Maids Engaged Ahead of Their Graduation — Not Enough to Fill the Many Requests from Almost Every Country in the World.

In these days, when all fields of work, especially woman's work, are said to be overcrowded, it is a relief to find one exception. This exception is the profession of trained nursery maids, the demand being from fifty to a hundred per cent greater than the supply.

"We can graduate about twenty-three girls a year," said the Superintendent of the New York Training School for Nursery Maids, "and we have applicants for several hundred during that time. The subject of training nurses for the care of children is receiving each year more attention, and intelligent parents are beginning to feel that the old idea that any person can mind a baby is about exhausted.

"This training school for nursery maids is the oldest in the world, and up to two years ago it was the only one. The idea, I believe, originated with Mrs. Robert W. Chapin, who, owing to some serious mistake of a nurse, began to think what a good thing it would be if we could have intelligent women with training to care for our babies. She thought the matter over, and, selecting the Babies' Hospital as the most suitable place, offered to support two or three nurses for the year if the management would give her plan a trial. This trial proved so satisfactory that the school was founded, and has been enlarged, though, as I said before, it lacks a great deal of supplying the demands for trained nurse maids. Our waiting list is large, owing to the very limited number of girls we can accommodate. An applicant, to be admitted, is required to be not under twenty and not over thirty, to be perfectly healthy, to come well recommended, and to have a good common school education. Under no circumstances do we consider an applicant where there is a suspicion of lung trouble. The reason for this is perfectly obvious to any one with any knowledge of the relations between a baby and its nurse. The applicants are received on one month's probation, and if at the end of that time they prove satisfactory they finish the course of six months.

Their wages on leaving the school are in a measure regulated by us. The wages paid our graduates on first leaving us—they are always engaged several months ahead of their graduation—are $20 a month. After that time, of course, their wages depend on their own efforts, for if a nurse makes herself valuable a mother is always willing to increase the pay to a reasonable amount. Many of our graduates receive as much as $50 a month, which is very good when one takes into consideration the few expenses of a nurse. She has one of the most desirable rooms in the house, for the nursery is always a good room. When the family travels she goes in the same coach. Next to their parents, the children love and respect her.

"In our training we do not attempt to give medical knowledge, for we consider 'a little knowledge a dangerous thing,' but we seek to make them capable of taking a healthy baby and keeping it healthy. The nurse learns nursery hygiene in its broadest sense, with the rudiments of kindergarten. As a life work for women this profession seems much to be preferred to that of a shop or factory girl. We have applicants for our graduates from every State in the Union and almost every country in the world. Several of our graduates are abroad now as nurses in the families of the nobility. Of course, as I remarked at first, the demand is greater than the supply, so we are forced to answer 'No' many times where we would be only too glad to supply a good nursery maid. Only a short while ago we had an application from the West Indies, and the place was an admirable one, but we had no one to send there. Every girl graduated up to August is already engaged.

"During the last two years there have been similar schools founded in Montreal, Newark, Brooklyn and Detroit. All of these institutions have been modeled after this school. The managers of one of these have frequently visited us, and in one case sent their superintendent to us for several months' experience. Whenever a new institution of the kind is projected the call immediately comes: "Have you not some one whom you can send to us to organize the work?' We are always forced to say 'No.'"—New York Sun.

That Old Cork Leg.

In the time of the Crimean war a regiment of infantry was ordered to a position where some sharp work was going on.

In the action an Irish soldier named Thady, whose father was a second-hand dealer, happened to get his left leg blown off just above the knee.

A comrade, seeing him fall, picked him up, and carried him to a place of safety.

When asked by an officer if he felt grieved at the loss of his leg he replied:

"Faith, no, yer honour; for now me puir old fayther will be able to get rid of the old cork leg that he has had on his hands so long."—Answers.

He—What is the name of your wheel?

She—Do you mean the name the maker gives it or the names papa called it when he fell over it in the hall night before last?

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

REAL ESTATE.

CITY OF PLAINFIELD.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by George W. DeMeza, Esq., City Judge of the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union, to make the unpaid taxes assessed on lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate in the said City of Plainfield, in the year eighteen hundred and ninety five, the subscriber, the officer nominated and appointed by the Common Council for that purpose, will on the thirty-first day of August next at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon at the collector's office, 109 Park Avenue, in the city of Plainfield, sell the land, tenements, hereditaments and real estate hereunder described, or any part thereof, at public vendue, for the shortest term for which any person or persons will agree to take the same and pay such taxes, together with the interest thereon, and all costs, fees, charges and expenses.

Anderson Andrew v. l. blk 7 50 ft. 717-19 South avenue ... $ 3 48
Anthony James L. h l blk 24 100 ft 1203 Putnam avenue ... 97 44
Allen Montana v l 50 ft 305-307 Watson avenue ... 1 16
Anderson Mrs James h l blk 13 50 ft 716 W Thir street ... 20 88
Allen J v l blk 9 50 ft 206-208 Plainfield avenue ... 9 28
Apgar Nevius h l blk 1 50 ft 42 Clinton avenue ... 2 32
Boice Est Cornelius h l blk 11 100 ft. 225 to 233 East Front street ... 162 40
Boice Est Cornelius v l 1 acre bk 1 200 ft 1215-25 Dunellen ave ... 4 64
Bird Sarah h l bk 12 40 ft 221 East Front st ... 46 40
Bird Sarah h l bk 12 20 ft 1st Westervelt ave ... 13 92
Bird Sarah dbl h l bk 12 55 ft 15-17 Westervelt ave ... 23 20
Bird Fred W v l bk 7 150 ft 732-742 East Front st ... 17 40
Bird Fred W Apartment house in rear 66 Elm pl ... 18 56
Bates Dr John T h l bk 7 75 ft 535 East 2nd st ... 41 76
Bacon Frank M v l bk 7 75 ft Lake st ... 3 48
Brown James h l 50 ft 1201-3 North ave East Leland ave ... 15 08
Bicknell John B h l bk 7 50 ft 738-0 South ave ... 23 20
Burke Est John h l bk 20 50 ft 414 East Sixth st ... 37 12
Burke Est John h l b bk 20 50 ft 415 La-Grande ave ... 52 20
Bliven E M & Kmoall C W v l bk 4 75 ft 1201 Prospect ave ... 6 96
Bock Charles v l bk 7 50 ft 329-31 Johnson ave ... 1 16
Bremmer Elizabeth v l bk 7 50 ft 270-72 Jackson ave ... 1 16
Bond Selena E v l bk 7 50 ft 131-33 Jackson ave ... 2 32
Bond Selena E v l bk 7 50 ft 116-18 Netherwood ave ... 3 48
Bond Selena E v l bk 7 50 ft 136-38 Netherwood ave ... 2 32
Broderick Helen v l bk 7 25 ft 338 Jackson ave ... 58
Benteisteter Fritz h l 1321 Cushing Road ... 2 32
Brand Est James h l bk 10 50 ft 408 W Third st ... 23 20
Brand Est James h l bk 10 50 ft 414 West Third st ... 23 20
Brand Est James h l bk 10 60 ft 420 West Third st ... 27 84
Brown Heirs of Willard T v l bk 4 50 ft 1051 Arlington ave ... 4 64
Brand Mrs James h l bk 14 50 ft 426 Madison ave ... 46 40
Brannon James h l bk 4 30 ft 17 Rose st ... 4 64
Brand Est James h l bk 10 40 ft 203 New st ... 9 28
Brown Edward E v l bk 1 2.0 ft 1415-33 Dunellen ave ... 4 64
Brown Edward E v l bk 1 .00 ft 1414-32 Dunellen ave ... 4 64
Bundy Jane Ann h l bk 3 50 ft 425 Elizabeth st ... 9 28
Blake E-t A V 2 v l bk 3 100 ft 425 Elizabeth st ... 4 64
Blake Est A V v l bk 3 50 ft 1117-19 Field ave ... 1 16
Burk Bridget v l bk 13 65 ft 706 West Third st ... 7 54
Barret Elizabeth A v l bk 1 66 ft 302-6 Lyman pl ... 3 02
Bryant John A h b l bk 14 62 ft 417 West Fifth st ... 52 20
Caspar Fred and Rosa 2 story brick bk 11 37½ ft 140-49 East Front st ... 80 64
Cole Est Elias h b 60 acres bk 8 1230 East Front st ... 208 80
Cole Est Elias h b l bk 7 50 ft 1222 South ave ... 23 20
Cole Est Elias v l bk 1 150 ft 80-92 Jefferson ave ... 3 48
Cole Daniel S h l bk 16 44 ft 414 East Third st ... 10 44
Clark Katura h l bk 16 20 ft 422 East Third st ... 9 28
Carter Amelia v l bk 8 200 ft 1020-34 South ave ... 27 84
Carter Amelia v l bk 7 175 ft 1023-35 La-Grande ave ... 11 60
Carter Amelia v l bk 8 175 ft 1101-15 La-Grande ave ... 11 60
Cook W and S v l bk 7 33 ft 249-51 Johnson ave ... 93
Carpenter A F v l bk 7 50 ft 111-13 Jackson ave ... 2 32
Clark Chas N v l bk 8 50 ft 267-9 Netherwood ave ... 1 16
Cuff Lewis H h l east of Belvidere ave ... 2 32
Chase Jr Winfield Scott h l bk 1 50 ft 1703 West Front st ... 9 28
Craig James h b 100 acres 500 ft 1834 West Front st ... 69 60
Craig James 2 h l bk 1 700 ft 1847 Dunellen ave ... 104 40
Craig James 2 h l bk 1 100 ft 26-40 Jefferson ave ... 27 84
Chapot Charles v l bk 1 800 ft 1508-1626 South Second st ... 37 12
Casey Patrick h l morg bk 14 100 ft 415 West Third st ... 37 12
Conway Michael h l b bk 9 30 ft 522 West Third st ... 13 92
Coombs Nora h l bk 9 50 ft 524 West Third st ... 20 88
Conway Mary h l bk 13 30 ft 530 West Fourth st ... 8 12
Chave John G v l 50 ft field ave ... 1 16
Delago Sylvester h l 50 ft North ave ... 6 96
Delaney John h l bk 23 60 ft 814 Second pl ... 46 40
Delaney John h bl bk 24 50 ft 837 Richmond st ... 41 76
Delaney John b h l bk 4 75 ft 808 College pl ... 104 40
DeGray Thomas v l 44 ft 285 Watson avenue ... 1 16
DeRevere Leonora F h b l bk 5 250 ft 250 Woodland avenue ... 81 20
Darby John v l 2 acres East of Belvidere avenue ... 2 32
Deady James h l & h in rear bk 9 33 ft 532 West Third street ... 20 88
Dunsnee S H C h l bk 14 50 ft 510 Madison avenue ... 46 40
Darling W S v l bk 1 150 ft 47-53 Clinton avenue ... 6 96
Elliott Mary Jane v l bk 2 300 ft 1033-35 West Eighth st ... 13 92
Emmons John v l 37½ ft Astor pl ... 1 74
Fisher Thomas S v l bk 7 50 ft 208-10 Netherwood ave ... 2 32
Flynn Bernard h l bk8 40ft 344-46Terrill road ... 9 28
Fisher est Abram h l bk 13 30ft 529 West Third st ... 11 60
French Mrs Mabie K h l bk 14 40 ft 112 West Fourth st ... 35 14
Field Mr v l bk 2 50 ft 1142-44 West Sixth street ... 2 32
Fish Ferdinand v l 10 acres bk 1 left side Sherman ave ... 23 20
Graham James v l bk 6 150 ft 622-28 Woodland ave ... 10 44
Galbraith John h l bk 17 40 ft 506 West Fourth street ... 13 92
Galbrt Peter h l bk 13 40 ft 524 West Fourth street ... 10 44
Green Miss Henrietta v l to Rose st bk 4 1042-44 Arlington ave ... 4 64
Gamand Arnold v l bk 1 150 ft Jefferson ave ... 3 48
Hetfield Walter L h l bk 12 58 ft 307 East Second street ... 27 84
Hayes Dr James h l bk 7 150 ft 630 East Front street ... 92 80
Hayes Dr Jame v l bk 7 150 ft 625-35 East Second street ... 17 40
Henacy John h l bk 50 1211-13 North ave ... 9 28
Huff Adelia & Josephine h b bk 23 70 ft 931 Park ave ... 51 04
Harned est E N b h l bk 4 100 ft 1003 Park ave ... 139 20
Hart Carrie v l bk 7 50 ft 201-3 Jackson ave ... 2 32
Hart Carrie v l bk 7 100 ft 220-26 Nethervood ave ... 46 4
Hart Levy E v l bk 7 150 ft 210-16 Nethervood ave ... 6 96
Hotel Netherwood 640-666 Belvidere ave ... 249 40
Hooley A G v l bk 5 50 ft Highland ave ... 2 32
Hieftie Mathias h l bk 1 100 ft 1629 West Front st ... 13 92
Harding John h l bk 2 60 ft 613 South Second st ... 2 32
Hoppock Margaret v l bk 1 50 ft 1653-55 South Second st ... 2 32
Hibbitts Daniel h b l bk 13 60ft 521 West Fifth st ... 27 84
Hunter Mrs Caroline h b l bk2 100 ft 661 West Seventh st ... 92 80
Howlett Rev T R h l bk 9 40 ft 116 Elmwood pl ... 25 52
Hall Albert E h shop l bk 17 50 ft 715 Plainfield ave ... 46 40
Hartfelder G & Bro v l bk 44 ft 312-14 Stebbins pl ... 4 06
Irwin Roger v l bk 6 25 ft 901 North ave 20 East Johnson ave ... 88
Jones Emma A v l 100 ft Putnam av to Cedar brook ... 11 60
Jones Emma A v l 100 ft Putnam av to Richmond st ... 11 60
Jones Emma A v l bk 20 700-40 Richmond st ... 11 60
Johnson est M Agnes h l bk 5 100 ft 1326 Watchung av ... 23 20
Johnston Wm S v l 220 ft 800-14 George st ... 6 96
Kellogg Saml H h l bk 8 1229-45 South ave ... 29 00
Kriney Elizabeth h l bk 2 50 ft 1107 W. Front st ... 27 84
Kriney Elizabeth h l bk 2 50 ft 1101 W. Front st ... 27 84
Killey Michael h l bk 13 30 ft 448 W. 4th st ... 20 84
Kelley Mrs Margaret b h l bk 13 25 ft 522 W 4th st ... 8 12
Kilpatrick Matthew h l bk 17 50 ft 543 W 6th st ... 10 44
Kitchen Wm H h l 50 ft Everitt pl ... 9 28
Klyne J Wm 2 v l bk 1 50 ft 316-18 Clinton ave ... 3 48
Loomis & Rice 3 story b bk 11 20 ft 141-3 East Front st ... 116 00
Loomis & Rice dbl h l bk 11 50 ft 243-5 East Second st ... 116 00
Loomis & Rice b h l bk 24 75 ft 1009 Putnam av ... 81 20
Loomis & Rice h l bk 15 80 ft 115 Church st ... 46 40
Loomis & Rice 2 v l bk 12 150 ft Sandford ave ... 11 60
Loomis & Rice h l bk 2 30 ft 1008 West 3d st ... 11 60
Loomis & Rice h l bk 2 30 ft 1004 West 3d st ... 13 92
Loomis & Rice h l bk 2 37½ ft 335 McDowell st ... 13 92
Loomis & Rice h l bk 2 37½ ft 337 McDowell st ... 11 60
Loomis & Rice h l bk 2 37½ ft 339 McDowell st ... 11 60
Loomis & Rice h l bk 2 37½ ft 341 McDowell st ... 11 60
Loomis & Rice v l bk 1 49½ ft 33 DeKalb av ... 1 16
Lounsbury F C h l bk 9 28 ft 117 Plainfield av ... 23 20
Loomis Mary B ... 11 60
Rice Clarence J h l bk 16 150 ft 307-19 Cottage pl ... 17 40
Lee Thomas or Unknown owner 1 acre or more east of Belvidere av ... 2 32
Lorton Alfred H v l bk 7 Hill st ... 2 32
Lee Thomas h l bk 9 62 ft 511 South 2d st ... 13 92
Laine Eugene h l bk 2 50 ft 1316-18 W. Third st ... 11 60
Lorton Mrs Anna E h l bk 13 40 ft 436 W Fifth st ... 20 88
Lyon Mrs Mary h l bk 10 40 ft 113-115 Central av ... 23 20
Leonard Wm J ½ of 11 acres 900 to 1026 Plainfield avenue ... 38 28
Leonard Cornelia B ½ of 11 acres 900 to 1026 Plainfield ave ... 38 28
Moon Flora h l laundry bk 11 60 ft 122-30 East Front st ... 53 60
Marcley M F v l bk 12 40 ft 346-48 East 2d st ... 9 28
Marcley M F h l bk 10 60 feet 131 New st ... 23 20
Marcley Mrs Caroline F h l bk 10 60 ft in rear 125-29 New st ... 23 20
Manning est Mary h l bk 7 40 ft 521 E. Third st ... 12 76
Moore Edwena h store l bk 17 50 ft 432 East 5th st ... 25 52
Mills J B h l bk 16 50 ft 413 E 6th st ... 34 80
Mills J B h l Martine ave ... 34 80
Mills J B h l bk 24 50 ft 917 Watchung ave ... 51 04
Martine James E h l bk 23 75 ft 122 East Ninth st ... 69 60
Martine James E b h l bk 4 75 ft 1014 Prospect ave ... 52 20
Martine Est Anna M h l bk 23 70 ft 924 Prospect ave ... 35 96
Martine Est D v l bk 23 60 ft 130-32 East Ninth st ... 13 92
Martine Est D h l bk 23 60 ft 131-7 East Ninth st ... 46 40
Martine Est D h b farm bk 24 1014-1120 Watchung ave ... 464 00
Merritt G P v l bk 30 75 ft 1227-31 East Sixth st ... 1 74
Moore Amasa h l bk 15 60 ft 434 Watchung ave ... 62 64
Millen Lizzie C v l bk 7 50 ft 152-54 Netherwood ave ... 2 32
Marshall B v l bk 8 22 ft 274 Leland ave ... 58
McCarty James H h l bk 7 50 ft 429 Webster pl ... 11 60
McCarty Timothy h l bk 2 200 ft 1139 West Front st ... 27 84
McCarty Mrs Maria h l bk 2 125 ft 645 South Second st ... 18 56
McCarty Michael h l bk 13 50 ft 418 West Sixth st ... 23 20
McCarty Michael h l bk 13 38 ft 512 New st ... 11 60
McCarty Charles h l bk 9 30 ft 207 Plainfield ave ... 9 28
McCarty Charles h l bk 9 30 ft 209 Plainfield ave ... 11 60
McLaughlin W F S v l bk 13 175 ft 1105-17 West Fifth st ... 8 12
McNamee Dominick h l bk 14 50 ft 931-33 Arlington ave ... 11 60
McNamee Dominick h l bk 14 45 ft 520 Arlington ave ... 23 20
McCarty D b h l 423 Central ave ... 92 80
Mitchell Jr Wm v l bk 7 50 ft 302 Hill st ... 2 32
Mitchell Jr Wm v l bk 7 50 ft Hill st ... 2 32
Mitchell Jr Wm v l 273 ft 800-18 New Front st ... 11 60
Madden Wm h l bk 1 50 ft 1707 West Front st ... 9 28
Marcley M F v l bk 2 100 ft 912-18 West Third st ... 9 28
Moe Experience h l bk 13 100 ft 419 West Fifth st ... 41 76
Myers Sigmond T v l bk 2 250 ft 1122-40 West Sixth st ... 11 60
Mahon George C v l bk 2 200 ft 1000-20 West Seventh st ... 23 20
Mahon Geo C b h l bk 2 188 ft 1026 West Seventh st ... 87 00
Miller Wallace V v l bk 18 50 ft 724-6 Madison ave ... 23 20
Marsh Miss Anna O h l bk 4 100 ft 915 Madison ave ... 63 80
Murphy Mary v l bk 2 40 ft 211 Stebbins pl ... 3 48
Murphy Elizabeth h l bk 2 40 ft 215 Stebbins pl ... 18 56
Noel Mrs C J h l ½ l in rear bk 8 100 ft 223-29 Netherwood ave ... 25 52
Nelson Geo C v l 50 ft 116 Columbia ave ... 1 16
Neal Rachel h l bk 10 75 ft 331-5 West Front st ... 92 80
Neal Rachel h l bk 9 42 ft 512 West Front st ... 14 50
Neal Frank h l bk 2 100 ft 550-56 West Front st ... 46 40
Nugent Patrick h l bk 2 30 ft 922 West Third st ... 11 60
Negley J S h b l bk 2 250 ft 609 West Seventh st ... 174 00
Negley J S v l bk 2 150 ft 619 West Seventh st ... 34 80
Neal Rachel h l bk 10 35 ft 105 Central ave ... 18 56
O'Day Catharine h l bk 16 25ft Cottage pl ... 9 29
O'Day Catharine h l bk 15 30 ft 303 East Fourth st ... 13 92
O'Brien Dennis v l bk 20 25 ft 1233 East 6th st ... 58
Odam Mrs J T v l bk 8 rear 25 ft Netherwood ave ... 58
Owen W N v l 75 ft 713-17 Leland ave ... 1 74
Odam Margaret v l bk 1 50 ft 220-22 Evona ave ... 2 32
O'Rourk Est John h l bk 17 30 ft 517 W 6th st bal ... 7 08
O'Reiley John S v l bk 2 50 ft 664-66 Essex st ... 3 48
Odam Margaret h l bk 2 37½ ft Manson Place ... 13 92
Ohl Mrs C J v l bk 3 50 ft 421-3 Elizabeth st ... 2 32
Ohl Mrs C J v l bk 3 50 ft Elizabeth st ... 2 32
Ohl Mrs C J v l rear 65 Elizabeth st ... 2 32
Ohl Mrs C J 2 v l bk 3 100 ft 420-26 Elizabeth st ... 4 64
Ohl Mrs C J 3 v l bk 3 150 Elizabeth st ... 1 16
Pound Helen v l bk 7 52 ft 910-12 E Front st ... 5 80
Pound Helen bk 7 50 ft 213-15 Jackson ave ... 2 32
Pound Helen v l bk 7 50 ft 148-50 Jackson ave ... 2 32
Pound Helen v l bk 7 50 ft 216-218 Netherwood ave ... 2 32
Peterson Lewis h l bk 16 50 ft 346 E 3d st ... 10 44
Pike Virginia h l bk 11 80 ft 408 E Front st ... 51 04
Pike Caroline v l bk 11 61 ft 404-6 E Front st ... 27 84
Peck Mrs L M b h l bk 23 42 ft 824 2d Place ... 58 00
Pringle or unknown v l bk 4 250 ft 356-72 Hillside ave ... 6 96
Procher Est Henry h l bk 2 31 ft 645 Essex st ... 2 32
Quincy, Emma A v l 75 ft 1281-85 North ave ... 1 74
Quincy Emma A v l bk 2 52 ft Columbia ave ... 1 16
Ross Mrs Geo M v l bk 8 51 ft 1301-3 E Front st ... 5 80
Reed O B v l bk 7 50 ft 739-41 E Second st ... 4 64
Randolph Samuel v l bk 4 150 ft 1231 Park ave ... 5 80
Randolph Thos S h l bk 14 38 ft 414 Central av ... 23 20
Runyon & Hand h & l bk 7 37½ ft 707 South avenue ... 16 24
Runyon Est E W v l bk 1 79 ft 1621-25 West Front street ... 1 74
Runyon Est E W v l bk 1 50 ft 1631 West Front street ... 1 16
Runyon Est E W v l bk 1 50 ft 1635 West Front street ... 1 16
Runyon Est E W v l bk 1 50 ft 1637 West Front street ... 1 16
Runyon Est E W v l bk 1 50 ft 1639 West Front street ... 1 16
Runyon Est E W v l bk 1 50 ft 1641 West Front street ... 1 16
Runyon Est E W v l bk 1 50 ft 1643 West Front street ... 1 16
Runyon Est E W v l bk 1 50 ft 1645 West Front street ... 1 16
Runyon Est E W v l bk 1 50 ft 207 205 Rock avenue ... 2 32
Runyon Est E W v l bk 3 25 ft 517 Elizabeth street ... 1 16
Richards-n Maggie h & l bk 16 50 ft 327 East Sixth street ... 32 48
Rice Clarence J h & l bk 17 40 ft 52 Westervelt avenue ... 41 76
Ryder Hobart E h b & l bk 12 45 ft 115 Richmond street ... 51 04
Ralli C P v l bk 6 140 ft 601 Belvidere avenue ... 19 72
Ralli C P h b & l bk 6 100 ft 615 Belvidere avenue ... 76 56
Ralli C P v l bk 6 200 ft 635 Belvidere ave ... 23 20
Runyon Est E W 10 v l bk 1 500 ft 1628-66 South Second street ... 11 60
Runyon Est E W v l bk 1 50 ft 631 South Second street ... 2 32
Runyon Est E W v l bk 1 50 ft 1649-51 South Second street ... 2 32
Rogers Mrs Harietta h & l bk 14 50 ft 511 Madison avenue ... 34 80
Reed Thomas 2 v l (40 each) bk 2 80 ft 222 Lee place ... 6 96
Reed J J v l bk 2 40 ft 313-15 Manson place ... 2 32
Schorb Jr John v l bk 20 425ft East Sixth street ... 9 86
Schorb Jr John v l bk 9 450 tf 709-41 La-Grande avenue ... 20 88
Sebring Chas P v l bk 1 75 ft 835-39 West Front street ... 9 28
Stelle Sandford h & l bk 12 45 ft 336 East Second street ... 20 88
Smalley Mary E v l bk 5 1250 ft 1301-1443 Randolph road ... 23 20
Stelle Sandford v l bk 24 40 ft 329-31 Webster place ... 4 64
Sebring Chas P h & l bk 10 37 ft 327 West Front street ... 75 40
Sebring Chas P v l bk 1 75 ft 835-39 West Front street ... 4 06
Smith Wm H dbl h & l bk 2 45 ft 680 West Front street ... 39 44
Smith Wm H 8 acres & ice h bk 4 125-25 Randolph road ... 11 60
Smith Ferdinand O h & l bk 2 50 ft 688 West Front street ... 30 16
Smith Ferdinand O h & l bk 2 25 ft 728 West Front street ... 18 56
Smith Ferdinand O h & l bk 2 25 ft 726 West Front street ... 18 56
Sutphen Est John C h & l bk 10 60 ft 209 West Second street ... 52 20
Scott Arthur h & l bk 2 50 ft 713 West Third street ... 23 20
Sturtavant Est Eliz h b & l bk 9 44 ft 125 Liberty street ... 23 20
Smith James F h l bk 9 44 ft 126 Elmwood Pl ... 23 20
Scott Cornelia h l bk 2 50 ft 669-71 Essex st ... 13 92
Sutton Est Wm h l bk 1 50 ft 38-40 Clinton ave ... 2 32
Thorn Emma h l bk 11 60 ft 352 E Front st ... 46 40
Taylor or unknown v l bk 2 38 ft 1148 W 5th st ... 1 74
Tunison Watson J h l bk 2 45 ft 338 Manson Pl ... 18 56
Thatcher H S 75 ft 1235-9 Radcliff Place ... 1 74
Thompson John H v l bk 7 75 ft 521-5 Berckman st ... 5 22
Thompson Wm v l bk 14 75ft 520 Central ave ... 34 80
Ten Eyck Mrs Sarah h l bk 9 44 ft 127 Liberty st ... 23 20
Ulrich est Henry h l bk 13 80 ft 526 W 6th st ... 25 52
Unknown owner v l bk 8 51 ft 1305-7 E Front st ... 5 80
Unknown owner v l bk 7 75 ft 924-8 South av ... 11 60
Unknown owner v l bk 8 275 ft 1200-18 South ave ... 12 76
Unknown owner v l bk 7 50 ft La-Grande ave ... 1 16
Unknown owner v l bk 7 150 ft 925-35 La-Grande ave ... 13 92
Unknown owner v l bk 7 50 ft 147-9 Jackson ave ... 2 32
Unknown owner v l bk 7 60 ft 140-42 Netherood ave ... 2 32
Unknown owner v l 50ft 21-23 Raymond ave ... 1 16
Unknown owner v l 50 ft 25-27 Raymond ave ... 1 16
Unknown owner v l 50 ft 29 31 Raymond ave ... 1 16
Unknown owner v l 50 ft 33-35 Raymond ave ... 1 16
Unknown owner v l 50 ft 37-39 Raymond ave ... 1 16
Unknown owner v l 40 ft 801-3 George st ... 58
Unknown owner v l bk 1 50 ft 1647 West Front st ... 1 16
Unknown owner v l bk 1 100 ft 1649-55 West Front st ... 2 32
Unknown owner v l bk 14 50 ft 37 Rose st ... 2 32
Unknown owner v l 50 ft 27 Rose st ... 2 32
" " v l 50 ft 1000-2 Central ave ... 2 90
Van Ness John K v l bk 8 108 ft 1309-15 East Front st ... 11 60
Van Ness John K 18 acres bk 8 1403-41 East Front st ... 62 64
Van Ness John K 8½ acres bk 8 1300 East Front st ... 19 14
Van Ness John K 25 acres bk 8 1418 East Front st ... 46 40
Vosseler Mrs Jane h l bk 20 50 ft 336 East Sixth st ... 41 76
Van Winkle Nicholas v l bk 2 50ft 1105-1107 West Third st ... 2 32
Van Winkle Violet h l bk 10 60 ft 107 Central ave ... 27 84
Vail Huldah M h l bk 1 150 ft 1214 Dunellen ave ... 18 86
Vail Huldah M b l bk 1 150 ft 1300-10 Dunellen ave ... 6 96
Wiley Franklyn h b and 12 acres 1443 East Front st ... 69 60
Winston Mary v l 25 ft 343 Netherwood ave ... 58
Williams Mary J v l bk 4 60 ft Kensington ave ... 4 06
Williams Henry P h l bk 2 50 ft 1027 West Front st ... 23 20
Weber Herman h l bk 2 25 ft 730 West Front st ... 18 56
Weber Herman h l bk 2 25 ft 732 West Front st ... 18 56
Weber Herman store h l bk 9 64 ft 140 Liberty st ... 89 44
Weber Herman h l bk 9 50 ft 508-10 2d st ... 13 92
Weber Herman h l bk 9 36 ft 128 Liberty st ... 20 88
Wyckoff, Est., Jane h & l bk 13 30 ft 507 West Third street ... 5 80
Wilson, Alfred v l bk 13 30 ft 539 West Fourth street ... 3 48
Wells, Wm H v l bk 2 430 ft 1211-45 West Sixth street ... 19 72
Whalen, Patrick h l bk 13 30 ft 507 Plainfield avenue ... 4 64
Wiechers, Emily J h & l bk 3 325 ft 804 Grant avenue ... 104 40
Wyckoff, Est., Dina Ann 14 acres bk 4 507 ft 1544-1410 Park avenue ... 26 10
Wilson, Daniel J h & l bk 14 65 ft 935-39 Arlington avenue ... 12 18
Young, Est., Emma H h l bk 20 50 ft 31 Elm place ... 27 84

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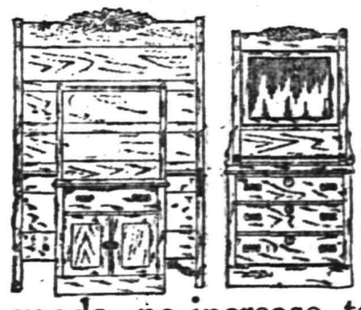

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 28, 7 30, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 38, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 37, 11 10 a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28, p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 18, a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 22, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 am; 12 m., (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 3 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, (6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p.m.; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 57, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, am; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 22, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 35, 9 03, 10 05, a. m; 1 15, 1 35, 2 25, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 6 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 55, 8 40, 8 55, 10 05, 11 25, p.m. Sunday 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 1 30 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 35, 9 20, 10 10.

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 1 01, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 35, 5 54, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 39 5 09, 6 30, 10 35, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 45, 8 19 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 2 35, 4 35, 5 28, 6 08 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 5 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 30, 5 15, 6 35, 7 55, 9 35, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 40, 8 06, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 32 a. m; 6 30, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 7 10, 9 54 a. m; 2 11, 5 03, 8 15 p.m. Sundays, 8 06 a. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p.m.—High Bridge Branch for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

5 15 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton.

5 05 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 25 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m 1 15, 2 07, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 03, p. m. Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 12 28, 3 30 p. m.

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THE TAILORS' STRIKE.

Contractors Said to Have Ignored Their Agreement Made With the Men.

New York, June 27.—A large number of contractors who had entered into settlement with the Brotherhood of Tailors last week have, according to members prominent in the Clothing Contractors' association, ignored the new agreement, closed their shops and turned their employees adrift. The number of contractors who are said to have thus acted is set down at 400, employing between 1,000 and 1,500 operators.

Leader Schoenfeld characterized the statement as a lie made out of whole cloth. In the face of this denial a huge force of idle tailors was found congregated at the tailors' headquarters. Many of them said they had been locked out and made no concealment of the fear entertained by them that they were face to face with another period of idleness.

Leader Schoenfeld had decided to hold forth the next two weeks at the headquarters of the United Brotherhood of Tailors. He intended to relinquish his charge of the tailors on Saturday, but for some unknown reason has decided to remain at his post until the middle of July.

Instructions have been given to all idle tailors by Schoenfeld not to work under any condition for contractors who had yielded to the demands.

If the threat of the contractors is carried out, over 10,000 tailors will be locked out before the middle of the present week.

FIGHTING IN CRETE.

Mussulmans Attack Christians Near Candia, and Many Are Killed.

Khania, Crete, June 28.—An armed force of 1,200 Mussulmans made a sortie from Candia Saturday, crossed the military cordon and surprised the insurgents at Canticartel, three hours distant. A desperate combat ensued, in which 13 Mussulmans were killed and 12 wounded. The Christian inhabitants of the district are preparing to make reprisals by land and sea.

Later advices show that many Christians were killed as well as many Turks.

The trouble arose from the encroachments of Mussulman refugees, who attempted to pasture their cattle within the limits of the neutral zone.

Hostile Attitude of Turks In Epirus.

Athens, June 28.—The Turkish army in Epirus having occupied several positions overlooking Agrapha, thus threatening the Greek retreat in the event of a resumption of hostilities, the Greek government has decided to occupy Karpenisi with a strong force.

FIRE IN BOSTON.

Causes Some Excitement to a Theater Audience, but No Panic.

Boston, June 28.—The five-story building 55 and 57 Appleton street has been damaged $5,000 by fire. The fire caught on the second floor, occupied by O. J. Faxon, piano and bicycle manufacturer, and the four upper floors were badly damaged. Other occupants were the Ideal Trading company, dealers in bicycle supplies, and the Rollins Press company. The total loss is roughly placed at $15,000 on stock; partly insured. Four firemen were slightly injured.

The rear of the factory backs upon an alleyway in the rear of the Castle Square theater, and the alarm created some little commotion among the large theater audience, but there was nothing approaching a panic.

Meeting of Irishmen.

Dublin, June 28.—A meeting, convened to bring further pressure to bear upon the British government to grant amnesty to the Irish political prisoners now at Maryborough jail, has been held in Phenix park. Considerable surprise was expressed that the jubilee week had passed without the release which had been expected. Mr. William Field, Parnellite member for the St. Patrick's division of Dublin, in the course of a fiery speech, said: "It is useless to look further to the English government. We will call upon the voices and perhaps the arms of our countrymen in America."

The Nashville Fair.

Nashville, June 28.—More than 100,000 persons passed through the gates of the exposition last week, and but for violent rain on Thursday this number would have been largely increased. There are special events for each day of the present week, but the first of national importance will be July 1, when the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity delegates, who meet in convention, will celebrate. College men from all the states will be in attendance.

The Winnipeg Crew In London.

London, June 28.—The Winnipegs have rowed the first half of the course in the unusually fast time of 3m. 34s. They finished fresh and declared that they could hold the same pace for the entire distance. The Sporting Life says "If they can stay the whole course even at a lower speed, they will be ugly customers to deal with."

Killed by Falling Lumber.

Worcester, Mass., June 28.—Thomas J. Duggan, a woodworker, about 40 years of age, was killed while sitting on a pile of lumber in the Charles Baker company's lumber yard, on Manchester street, by the fall of several massive planks.

To Increase Italy's Army.

Rome, June 28.—After three days' debate the senate has adopted, in secret ballot, by a vote of 68 to 27, General Pelloux's army reorganization bill increasing the peace effective footing of the Italian land forces.

Dr. Conway Coming Here.

London, June 28.—Dr. Moncure Daniel Conway has delivered his farewell lecture before the South Place Ethical society, his theme being John Cabot. He will sail for the United States on Thursday by the Mohawk.

The Brooklyn Leaves Portsmouth.

Portsmouth, England, June 28.—The United States warship Brooklyn sailed westward after exchanging the usual salutes with the other foreign men-of-war, which are expected to remain here several days.

Sagasta's Manifesto Coldly Received.

Madrid, June 28.—Senor Sagasta's manifesto defining the policy of the Liberal party with regard to Cuba has been coldly received.

SHIP ON FIRE AT SEA.

City of Rome Arrives After a Thrilling Experience.

BROKE OUT IN THE FORWARD HOLD.

Only Prompt Action by the Captain and Crew Saved the Vessel—No Cause Can Be Assigned For the Fire.

New York, June 28.—The Anchor line steamer City of Rome, Captain Hugh Young, has arrived from Glasgow and Moville, after a thrilling experience with fire on board ship, which fortunately was quickly got under control by the ship's splendidly equipped and well drilled fire crew.

Captain Young reports that the City of Rome sailed from Glasgow and Moville on June 19, with 56 saloon, 90 second cabin and 150 steerage passengers and a cargo of general merchandise. Fine weather was experienced during the entire passage. On June 24 from 9:30 a. m. to 7 p. m. the steamer sighted no less than 20 icebergs of various dimensions. Saturday proved a very pleasant day, and the City of Rome was steaming along rapidly toward the American coast. At 2:30 p. m., in latitude 41.28, longitude 63.29, the bridge detected smoke issuing from No. 4 hold, immediately forward of the bridge.

The chief officer was quickly sent forward to investigate, and the captain's worst fears were verified, as dense volumes of smoke began to ascend from No. 4 hold. The fire alarm was quickly sounded, and the ship's crew beat to quarters.

Prompt Action of Officers.

Meanwhile an officer was detailed to notify the passengers, who were calmly sitting or promenading the decks. The ship's fire crew promptly responded to the captain's call, and in a few minutes hose was stretched along the deck from the engine room to No. 4 hold, where the fire was then raging. Steam and water were quickly turned on into the burning compartment, and at 5 p. m. the fire was under control. Further precautions were then taken to prevent the possible outbreak and spread of the fire to the adjoining compartment.

Another detachment of the crew were ordered to stand by in case of emergency, and streams of water were kept constantly pouring into the burning compartment and on the main deck in the immediate vicinity of the fire. The cargo in the burning hold consisted chiefly of jute goods and other general cargo and will probably be a total loss.

Captain Young is unable to assign any reason for the cause of the fire, but it is supposed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion. The City of Rome proceeded at once to her dock, after a brief inspection at quarantine. The exact nature or the amount of damage cannot be ascertained until the steamer hatches are taken off and the cargo discharged.

Chile's New Cabinet.

London, June 28.—A dispatch from Santigao, says that President Errazuriz has accepted the following cabinet, to succeed the ministry of Senor Antunes, which resigned June 22: Senor Orrego Huco, minister of the interior; Senor Morta Vicuna, minister for foreign affairs; Senor Ismael Tocornal, minister of finance; Senor Amunategui, minister of justice; Senor Vergara, minister of war, and Senor Prats, minister of public works.

Horses Perish In a Fire.

New York, June 28.—Fire in the lumber yard and packing box factory of Frederick Buse, 1104 to 1112 First avenue, did damage to the amount of $20,000. Thirteen horses which were stabled on the premises were burned, the firemen being unable to save them. The fire began in a pile of rubbish in the boiler room. The Manhattan Cornice and Roofing company, whose building adjoins the box factory, suffered to the extent of $4,000.

Suicide of a Labor Union Officer.

Milford, Mass., June 28.—Charles Schrieval, treasurer of Cigar Makers' union, No. 109, and a director of the Central Labor union, died from the effects of a quarter of a pound of paris green, taken with suicidal intent. Schrieval had been despondent for several weeks and leaves a widow and daughter.

The Polk Place Sale.

Nashville, June 28.—By decree of the chancery court Polk place, in the center of the city, the home of President James Polk, was sold for distribution among the heirs and brought only $15,000. It is not probable the sale will be confirmed, but that the property will be again offered at public sale.

Steamer Sunk.

Huntington, W. Va., June 28.—The steamer W. F. Nisbet, owned by the Cincinnati-Pomeroy Packet company, bound for Pomeroy, has sunk one mile below Central City. The boat is on the bar in but five feet of water. Her cargo is not damaged, and the passengers are all safe.

Quiet at Key West.

Key West, June 28.—Everything is quiet here. A squad of United States soldiers were sent from the garrison to guard the Fort Taylor reservation at the request of the contractors, as there is a quantity of dynamite for blasting purposes and other ammuntion stored there.

New Mine In Peru.

Lima, Peru, via Galveston, June 28.—The manager and engineer of the Inca company have located a new and valuable mine in the province of Carabaya in the department of Puno.

Detained at Quarantine.

New York, June 28.—The Norwegian steamer Spero, which arrived from Caibarien, has been detained at quarantine for disinfection. All are well on board.

Marocco's Jubilee Envoy Insane.

London, June 28.—Simo-Hamed Ben Mousa, the special envoy of the sultan of Marocco to the jubilee festivities, has returned to Marocco insane.

Miners Killed In South America.

Valparaiso, June 28.—Twenty-six miners have been killed by a fall of rock in the Labrar mines, in the province of Atacama.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 4:31 a. m.
Sun Sets: 7:35 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 8:35 p. m.

GOSSIP OF THE CYCLERS.

TEMS INTERESTING TO DEVOTEES OF THE STEEL STEEDS.

The Popular Exercise Provides Incidents and Expressions That are of Especial Moment When Wheeling is the Rage.

John V. Beekman and sons, of West Eighth street, rode to Boynton Beach, Saturday afternoon, and spent several hours there.

Membership, June 25th, League of American Wheelmen: Renewals, 2,236; new, 1,946: total, 83,061; New Jersey Division, renewals, 152; new, 130; total, 5,485.

Sydney R. Titsworth, of West Fifth street, and Nathan E. Lewis, of West Eighth street, rode to Asbury Park, yesterday morniug on the Pierce tandem, returning in the evening.

Through the efforts of the L. A. W. members in Summit, sign boards have been placed at the head of Hobart Hill, at the top of the hill on Hobart avenue leading to Hobart Hill, also at the head of the Morris avenue hill leading to East Summit. The signs bear these words of warning to cyclists: "Danger, Don't Coast."

AN IMPORTANT DECISION.

Partners Liable for the Firm Until Notice of Dissolution is Given.

Some time ago the case of Herman Boker & Co. vs. Cobb & Archer, partners, came up for trial before Judge Van Syckel in the Supreme Court at Elizabeth. It appeared from the evidence in the case that the plaintiffs had sold hardware etc. amounting to somewhere in the neighborhood of $700. The evidence showed that these goods were ordered by one of the firm of Cobb & Archer and ordered to be charged to the firm of Cobb & Archer. The evidence also showed that at the time the goods were ordered the firm of Cobb & Archer had been dissolved for some months. The defendants sought to avoid payment on the ground that there was no such firm in existence at the time of the purchase

Assemblyman Codington, who represented the plaintiffs, however, insisted that all the partners would be liable under such circumstances where no notice of the dissolution of the firm had been given, either to the creditors in person or by advertisement. The court on Saturday handed down its decision sustaining this view, giving the plaintiffs judgement for the full amount. Lawyers Hetfield and Kirch represented the defendants.

TO REORGANIZE THE CATHOLIC CLUB.

A Meeting Was Held Yesterday Afternoon to Discuss the Project.

The members of the Plainfield Catholic Club met at their club house on Liberty street yesterday afternoon for the purpose of discussing the advisability of reorganizing the club and putting it on a better foundation than heretofore. George J. Tobin was chosen temporary chairman, and the discussion of the subject was thorough and interesting. Nearly everyone of the seventy-five members present were heartily in favor of reorganizing and they expressed their opinion that way.

In accordance with a motion the following members were appointed a committee to draft resolution and by-laws and ascertain how many of the members are in favor of reorganization They will report at a meeting to be held next Sunday afternoon at the same place and hour.

Bernard Brady, J. Traynor, Thomas Traynor, John Hickey, John Welsh, J. L Anderson and M. Owens.

Monthly Shoot of Dunellen Club.

The members of the Dunellen Gun Club, and a few friends, met Saturday afternoon for their regular monthly shoot. There was a good attendance of members and good scores were made. When the regular team of the above club shoot together they have few equals, and the reputation already established is an enviable one.

William Watts, formerly with Smalley Bros., of North avenue, has accepted a position with Blatz & Mundy.

DOWNED PERTH AMBOY.

THE CRESCENTS DEFEATED THE UNIONS BY A BIG SCORE.

The Fun Began in the First Inning and Continued to the Last—Lots of Base Running by the Home Team.

Perth Amboy's strongest aggregation of baseball players came to Plainfield Saturday afternoon and were mercilessly defeated by the Plainfield Crescents by a score of 25 to 10. The high score was more due to the fault of the Unions, as the Perth Amboy nine was called, than to anything else, but it was very evident that the visitors were outplayed and fairly beaten.

Those who saw the game with the Westfield Athletic Club a week ago were pleasantly surprised by the showing that the Crescents made. Several very needful changes had been made in the team and Saturday last everybody played good ball. Vroom, a catcher from Staten Island, was behind the bat and made a very satisfatory impression. He was strong and quick as a cat while his throwing to bases was a delight to the lovers of the National game. At batting, he was a great addition to the team. McLarty was hit rather freely during the game, but he did not lose his head and pitched a good game. He made the only home run of the game by a hit in far left field.

The fun began at the start and the rooters were given a chance to yell immediately. Some costly errors by the Amboy infield, two passed balls, and singles by Lederer, Symous, Corbin, Mumford and Vroom, netted seven runs before the agony was ended. In the third, Bradley, the visiting pitcher was batted freely and three more runs were the result. Then Noonan, an old league player, was put in the box. After one inning to get used to him, a three-bagger by Vroom, a single by Lederer and more errors on the part of the visitors allowed four men to cross the plate. Then they took it easy until the last inning when ten runs were scored on errors and a home run by McLarty. There was lots of base running in which Bolsterli especially distinguished himself.

The fielding of the visitors was very ragged at times while they showed remarkably poor judgment while on bases. Only two bases were stolen off Vroom while he nabbed several in their efforts to get to second and third. In the sixth inning, the visitors had a batting streak and with two doubles and five singles made things lively for a time Haddon Ivins, of the Perth Amboy Chronicle, the scorer, woke up and delighted the cranks with an exhibition of Amboy enthusiasm.

Although the score was uneven, there was plenty of excitement and the crowd was satisfied with the game.

The score in detail was as follows:

CRESCENTS.

	A. B.	R.	B. H.	P. O.	A.	E.
Bolsterli, ss	6	3	1	0	5	1
Ericksen rf	5	3	2	2	0	1
Lederer, 2b	6	3	3	4	1	1
Symons, lf	7	3	2	0	0	0
Corbin, 1b	6	2	1	3	1	1
Cooney, 3b	5	2	0	6	2	1
Mumford, cf	5	3	2	1	0	0
Vroom, c	6	3	4	10	2	0
McLarty, p	6	3	2	2	9	0
	52	25	17	27	20	5

UNIONS.

	A. B.	R.	B. H.	P. O.	A.	E.
Moylan, 2b	5	2	1	6	2	0
Galvin, 1b	6	1	2	11	1	0
Eagen, c	5	2	3	6	0	2
Noonan, 3b, p	4	1	3	1	3	3
Coley, lf	6	1	0	1	0	2
Bradley, p, 3b	5	1	3	1	7	3
Harting, rf	4	0	0	1	0	1
Lyons, ss	5	1	3	0	7	3
Cook, cf	3	1	0	0	0	0
	43	10	15	27	20	13

BY INNINGS.

Crescents	7	0	3	0	4	0	1	0	10	—25
Unions	0	1	0	0	0	5	3	1	0	—10

Earned runs—Crescents, 2; Unions, 4. Two-base hits—Galvin, Eagen, Bradley, Lyons, (2). Three-base hits—Vroom. Home run—McLarty. Stolen bases—Galvin, Bradley, Bolsterli, (5), Ericksen, Lederer, Symons, (2), Corbin, Cooney, Vroom, McLarty. Double plays—Lyons, Moylan and Galvin. Bases on balls—By McLarty, 7; by Bradley, 4; by Noonan, 1. Struck out—By McLarty, 8; by Bradley, 4; by Noonan, 1. Left on bases—Crescents, 6; Unions, 14. Passed balls—Vroom, 2; Eagen, 8; Wild pitches—McLarty, 2; Bradley, 0; Noonan, 3. Time of game—2 hours, 35 minutes. Umpire—James Brown, of Plainfield.

Accident at the Newark Bridge.

An accident occurred on the Newark Bay bridge, near the draw, this morning.

One of the rear wheels on the tender of the P. and R. engine 619, of the B. and O. express train, burned off in the journal box, letting one side of the tender down on the rails. Fortunately the tender did not leave the track. Traffic was delayed about one hour.

James Egany, of Mountain avenue, spent Sunday with friends in New York city.

TROTTING IN FAST TIME.

TWO EXCITING MATCHES AT THE GENTLEMEN'S DRIVING PARK.

There Were Several Single Heats Trotted Besides—Summaries of the Principal Matches Saturday Afternoon.

Lovers of fast horses and good sport have found the Gentlemen's Driving Park a very congenial place on Saturday afternoons, this month. The attendance at the matches on those occasions number up in the hundreds. Plainfield and the surrounding towns have a number of fast trotters and pacers and their owner like to meet weekly and try conclusions with their friends.

Saturday afternoon, there was a large crowd at the track and a number of the prominent men from the city were present. There were a number of single heats between some of the local horses, but the events of the afternoon were two matches which were closely contested and furnished lots of excitement to the audience in the grand stand.

One match was between the horses of W. E. Brock, Thomas Brantingham and J. W. Johnson. Three heats were trotted and the finishes in all were very close. Brock's "Active" passed under the wire a winner by a nose from Johnson's "Sidnut" in the first heat. Brantingham drove his pacer, "Myrtle Twig," to victory in the second heat, winning by a small distance. "Active" took the third heat in a race equally exciting. The fastest time was 2:26.

The second match, although not quite as fast, was of equal interest. The horses of Mr. Hayes, W. L. Smalley and N. B. Smalley were the contestants. Three heats were trotted and each horse finished first in one.

The summaries of the races were as follows:

FIRST MATCH.

W. E. Brock's b. g. "Active" (Campbell) 1 2 1
Thos. Brantingham's b. m. "Myrtle-twig" (owner) 3 1 2
J. W. Johnson's b. h. "Sidnut" (Osborn) 2 3 3
Time—2:26; 2:26; 2:28½.

SECOND MATCH.

Mr. Hayes's b. g. "Andy" (owner) 1 3 2
W. L. Smalley's b. m. "Belle" (Smalley) 2 2 1
N. B. Smalley's ch. m. "Bolette" (owner) 3 1 dr
Time—2:43½; 2:37½; 2:43½.

Dancing at the Hotel.

An informal hop was held at the Hotel Hunterston, Saturday evening. It was attended by a number of the residents of Netherwood and the guests at the hotel. The evening was a delightful one and all had a very enjoyable time.

ADULTERATION OF RUBBER.

The Collectors Augment Its Weight with Earth and Stones.

In spite of the constant talk of a substitute having been found for it, rubber seems likely to be for some time to come the standby of the electrician for insulating purposes. The manufacturers who prepare the rubber for the electrical and other markets complain of the increasing adulteration of the raw material, especially of that coming from Assam and Burmah. According to H. N. Thompson, the Chinese have a practical monopoly of the trade. The forests at the head of the Upper Namkong basin are rich in rubber, and the trees attain a height of 200 feet, with enormous girth. The great tribe of rubber collectors is the Sana Kachins, who go vast distances for their rubber harvest in the dry season. The chiefs levy toll on the produce as it passes down the river. The Chinese who control the trade, pay the Kachins for it in provisions and cloth, and as they are adepts in the art of concealing stones in it, by the time it reaches Rangoon its weight and bulk are largely augmented by foreign substances. The Assam supply is fed mainly by the Nagas, who, having got in their crops in December, set off for the rubber forests within the drainage area of the Tareu River, where they know every tree, the knowledge being in many cases passed on from father to son. The rubber in this district is said to be growing so scarce that it often takes a man forty days to collect a coolie load. In spite of this, the Singpho villages levy a tax on each collector. When first collected the rubber is very pure, but the Nagas have acquired the trick of adulterating it with earth and stones, and the Assam rubber is not regarded with favor in the Calcutta market. It is a sore point with the Chinese merchants that the Nagas so exhaust the capacity of the rubber to receive adulteration that there is no opening left for the exercise of their own ingenuity in the same direction.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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DAY OF FATE AT HAND.

BLOOD-CURDLING REVENGE AND SELF-DESTRUCTION PLANNED

His Neighbors Allege That Liebie Says That His Day Has Come, But That Four of His Friends Must Go First.

Next Sunday is the day of fate for Burnett Liebie, an old resident from the clump of dwellings spoken of as Greenbrook, or Sebring's Mills. He says that he has been called, that his time has come and that on Sunday next he will be laid six feet under clay. But before he goes, and as he says this a wild smile lights up his rough features, there are four of his friends that must precede and then he will join them down in the cold damp earth. Such, at least, is the story that all his neighbors tell, and from their earnest faces it would seem as if they spoke the truth.

Last Friday, an old man was brought before Justice Storms, of New Market, on the charge of carrying a revolver and threatening the lives of his neighbors with it. He was held for the Grand Jury and was bailed out by his son and a friend. There was apparently nothing very strange about the case, but a queer story has leaked out that puts a far different face on the matter. The authorities for the facts are the farmers living in Greenbrook and they have sworn to the truth of their statements.

Greenbrook is a small settlement in the neighborhood of the mill and electric plant of Charles P. Sebring, about three miles from Dunellen. The road that leads to it turns off from the main thoroughfare to Bound Brook, at the corner where Mannion's roadhouse stands. A mile down this road lives Burnett Liebie with his two sons. He is fifty-seven years old.

For nearly a year, his neighbors say, he has been acting queerly at times. He said that his time had almost come and that soon he would be under six feet of clay. Then he told them that there were four others there that must go before and he told them how he had planned to invite the fated four to his house on the eventful night and there drink and make merry. He had two big casks of wine that they would broach and all would be well until midnight, when he would draw his revolver from his pocket and kill them all in cold blood and then end his own life. He constantly carried a revolver in the breast pocket and refused to give it up, despite the earnest solicitations of his sons.

Two weeks ago, the Greenbrook people say, he declared that the time when he was to go was only two weeks off, and he picked out next Sunday as the day for the ending of his life. Then he stopped work. Next he announced who his companions in the wild revelry were to be. The four were August VonEssen, David Jones, John and Jacob Sebring, all farmers living in the immediate neighborhood, according to the testimony of the four and the others that heard the remarks, and they were many, for Liebie has talked of it often.

Liebie says that once John Sebring called him a name, a mean, contemptible name, and that "Jake" Sebring laughed and August VonEssen heard it. For that they must die. The reason he has for the doing away with Jones was not learned. The farmers there say that the man is stark mad on that subject, although perfectly rational on any other. They say his madness is caused by drink.

While he is accused of saying much, the first of his alleged actions took place on Monday evening of last week. Ed Jones, the Beekman boys and the Lavender children drove up to Abram Giddis' home to get their pay for picking strawberries. When they returned it was dark. They were just going up the road to Greenbrook when a shadowy form stepped out from behind the bushes and pointed something at them. There was a flash, a crash; and a bullet sailed over their heads. Two more followed in rapid succession and then the horses broke into a run and soon carried the children out of danger. It is alleged that Liebie was the one that did the shooting.

Thursday night Liebie came to the rear door of the VonEssen homestead. Mrs. VonEssen went to the door while her husband stood unobserved behind the door. The story told by Mr. and Mrs. VonEssen is that Liebie came and demanded VonEssen, and his wife said that he was out at the barn. Then he raved about the four men and continued to say that his time had come.

"I'll pour wine into 'em," he chuckled, "and then I'll give 'em something they'll never forget." Then his wandering mind turned in the direction of religion. At last he departed for the barn with the injunc-

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HE POISONED HIMSELF.

ABRAM GULICK WANTED TO PREVENT SCARLET FEVER.

His Friends Told Him That Camphor Would Prevent Contagion and So He Tried it Internally as Well as Externally.

The recent scarlet fever scare in this city nearly resulted in the death of Abram Gulick, the twenty-three-year-old son of J. S. Gulick, a wealthy farmer living at Lincoln.

One day last week young Gulick came to this city to see some of his Plainfield friends and then learned of the epidemic of scarlet fever in town. Gulick had never had the dread disease and he didn't want it. He feared that he had exposed himself to contagion when he came to Plainfield and he worried over the fact considerably. His worry did not stop when he returned to his home and he asked his friends what was the best thing to do to preserve him from the fever, and camphor was suggested.

Gulick purchased a stock of camphor and filled all his pockets with it, but still he worried about the scarlet fever. His presence could be detected by the strong odor of camphor and he had to make frequent trips outdoors to relieve the household of the all-pervading odor. That did not satisfy him. While he felt that the outside was thoroughly protected, it was the inside that worried him. He was afraid that he might eat or drink something that contained the germs of the dreaded disease, and so all his precautions might come to naught.

There is no doctor in Lincoln, and Gulick had nobody to consult. Not caring to be laughed at by his friends who thought it a great joke about the camphor, he prescribed for himself. As long as camphor was so good a preventative on the outside, why should it not be as good within, he wondered. So last Wednesday afternoon he took a lump of camphor, in inch in diameter, and ate it, although it did not have a particularly pleasant taste.

The result of Gulick's little experiment was very serious; in fact, it nearly proved fatal to the young man. He was taken ill soon after he had swollowed the camphor. He lost his reason temporarily and raved terribly to the horror of his family. Dr Fisher was hurriedly summoned from Bound Brook and attended the young man.

At first no one knew what the matter was, but it was finally learned and he was brought back to consciousness. He was very weak, however, and it was several days before he fully recovered from the effects of his little experiment. Dr. Fisher said that the only reason that the young man did not die from the effects of camphor poisoning was that he took so much. Had he taken thirty grains, instead of a hundred, as he did, the result would undoubtedly have been fatal.

GERMAN SINGERS ENTERTAIN.

The Afternoon Was Spent in the Mountains and a Supper Enjoyed.

The members of the singing section of the Gesang and Turn Verein met Sunday morning for the regular lesson which was postponed from last week. In the forenoon the members enjoyed a treat by having an unexpected visit from Prof. Hermann Eichorn, of Elizabeth, who stopped at Plainfield on his way back from Philadelphia where he was in attendance at the National Festival. Prof. Eichorn, while in tne Quaker City, acted as leader of one of the singing sections which captured one of the best prizes.

In honor of their guest, the Plainfield members of the Gesang and Turn Verein went to the mountains in the afternoon and had a very pleasant time playing games, while the singing section rendered several of their most popular songs under the direction of Prof. Eichorn. During the afternoon a beautiful lyre made entirely of wild flowers was presented to Prof. Eichorn, who received the gift in a short speech. He said that he appreciated the kindness of his Plainfield friends and there had not been any feature of his recent trip more enjoyable than that of yesterday.

After the presentation a fine supper was served and the assemblage numbering about one hundred returned to this city fully satisfied with the time they had passed on the mountains.

To View the Town.

The committee on lights and trees of the Common Council will make a tour of inspection about the city streets tomorrow night to note the effects of the present disposition of the street lights.

A Record Breaker.

The borough lockup remained empty from Saturday night until yesterday morning. There was not a single arrest made in that time. The order of the borough was never better.

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THEY DINED IN UNITY.

MANY OF THE DEMOCRATS GATHERED AT ELIZABETH.

The Dinner Was Gotten Up By the Union County Democrats—Some of the Strongest Gold Men Were Absent.

After many unsuccessful attempts, the gold and silver Democrats of Union county got together at the big Democratic banquet given by the Union county Democrats last night. Some of the strongest gold Democrats stayed away. The guests declared the banquet a success.

The guest of honor was Senator Wm. D. Daly, of Hudson. James E. Martine, of Plainfield, the farmer orator, was present. B. J. Lawrence presided and made the address of welcome. The toastmaster was Wm. J. Lansley. Wm. D. Wolfskiel spoke on "Our State," urging concentration of action and insisting that gold and silver must not separate Jersey Democrats.

Senator Daly spoke on the last Legislature. He said that Democratic defeat was due to "uncalled for legislation, prompted and suggested by alleged leaders of Democracy, who were willing to sacrifice their party for personal gain." His remarks were taken as direct raps at Allan McDermott, and seemed to please the assemblage.

MR. HIGGINS' NOVEL IDEA.

To Foil Thieves He Took a Wheel from Each Carriage.

Wm. Higgins, a New York merchant, owns a handsome country place in Stelton, about two miles from New Brunswick. Some months ago the family went to Chicago for a time Before going away Mr. Higgins hit upon a plan to make his four carriages safe from thieves. He took a wheel from each carriage, and these he stored in the garret of his residence.

'Now, if anyone attempts to steal those carriages while we are away they will have a job to get along with three wheels," he thought.

But the home of Mr. Higgins was burned down while the family was away. The four carriage wheels stored in the garret vanished in the flames.

A wheelwright was summoned from New Brunswick last week to supply the missing wheels. Possibly Mr. Higgins may find it necessary to equip every one of the four carriages with a full set of new wheels.

Hospital to Have a Fire Alarm Box.

The regular meeting of the Board of Governors of Muhlenberg Hospital was held last evening at the Public Library. There was a great deal of routine business considered, but the only thing of any great importance was the appointment of Mayor C. J. Fisk as a committee of one to arrange for the placing of a fire alarm box close to the hospital. This will be done so that practically those at the hospital will have the exclusive use of the box. The need of this has been apparent for some time. It will be intended for the protection of the hospital property, but if it is necessary it will be pulled for any fire which might break out close to the above institution.

A Nuisance Stopped.

Health Inspector Addis has notified Jeremiah Manning that the nuisance just off of Washington avenue, back of Front street, on Manning's property, must be stopped. Cartmen are in the habit of dumping papers, etc, on the above property and then they are allowed to burn and cause an unbearable stench which has been complained of. Saturday Mr. Manning sent a man to the place and had the fires extinguished which has been burning for several days. The Board of Health allows Mr. Manning to have ashes, etc., dumped on his property, but he is obliged to look after it and see that there is no nuisance.

Building Committee Met.

The building committee and the trustees of the Gesang and Turn Verein held a meeting Sunday afternoon for the purpose of preparing a report to be presented at the regular meeting of the society next Thursday evening. The report will be a final one concerning the proposed changes to the present building, which will be started this summer.

Thieves Around Metuchen.

The gang of burglars operating in Metuchen show no abatement of activity. Saturday night they robbed G. A. Hoffman's home, on the Amboy turnpike, of money and several hundred dollars worth of silverware. Local crooks are supposed to be responsible.

Summer Library Privileges.

The summer extension privilege, whereby library books may be taken out of town during the summer, will be continued this year. For particulars inquire at the Public Library.

'TWAS EXCITING HISTORY

STORY OF AN ALLEGED ASSAULT TOLD IN COURT.

The Testimony of the Plaintiff, Mrs. Bertha Guinaud, and the Defendant, Edward Galbraith, Did Not Agree.

A page from the history of a West End saloon was read over in Justice Moffett's court this morning, in the examination of Edward Galbraith on a charge of assault and battery preferred by Mrs. Bertha Guinaud.

Judge DeMeza appeared in Galbraith's behalf, and cross-examined Mrs. Guinaud as to her condition previous to the visit to Willis' saloon on Friday afternoon, when the alleged assault took place. Under cross-questioning the witness admitted that she had drunk more or less beer during the day. She was not drunk, however, she said, but was faint from the heat and went into the saloon to get some brandy to revive her, when she fainted. While in that condition Mrs. Guinaud stated that Galbraith roughly ejected her, using unnecessary violence in doing so. She exhibited an ugly bruise on each arm to bear out her story.

John Scott, Thomas O'Keefe and Daniel Galbraith, a brother of the accused man, were called and gave evidence to the effect that Mrs. Guinaud was under the influence of drink when she visited the saloon. O'Keefe, in answer to a question from Justice Moffett as to the woman's condition at the time, replied:

"Well, if a doctor had been present he wouldn't have said she was sick."

While O'Keefe's evidence was being taken Mrs. Guinaud caused a sensation in the court. Without warning she arosed and started through the crowd for the door exclaiming hysterically:

"It's no use! That evidence is bought!"

She was reprimanded by the Justice and soon became calmer and sat down.

Edward Galbraith was put upon the stand and told his story. He was upstairs, he said, when Mrs. Guinaud came into the saloon on Friday afternoon. He heard her fall and came down stairs. Twice he raised her to a chair. He believed she was intoxicated and told her she must go. When she refused, he went after Policeman Flanagan to remove her. He could not find the policeman and returned to find Mrs. Guinaud in his mother's apartments at the rear of the house. She attacked him, pulling his hair and scratching, and he forced her out upon the sidewalk.

Policeman Flanagan testified that he saw Mrs. Guinaud after the trouble. She had evidently been drinking, but was not drunk. Chief Grant testified to the good character of Mrs. Guinaud.

The Justice, after hearing all the evidence, held Galbraith in $200 bonds to await the action of the Grand Jury.

A QUIET WEDDING.

An Allentown Couple United at a Plainfield Home.

Miss Caroline Ehrie and Miles Smith, both of Allentown, were married Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Crouse, of 217 East Fourth street. Rev. Christian G. Fischer, of the Lutheran church of Elizabeth, performed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Crouse, the Misses Saxton, Miss B. Wilcox, Miss Marion Wilcox, John Ehrie, a brother of the bride, and others were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith left yesterday for Allentown, where the groom has a successful business.

A Sewing Circle Formed.

The members of Paughcaughnaughsinque Council, No. 34, Degree of Pocohontas, met a few days ago at the home of Mrs. Leland, of Elmwood place, and organized a sewing circle. The following officers were elected: President, Miss Ada Nash; secretary, Miss Sophie G. Wilson; treasurer, Miss Gertrude Netherwood. The Circle will meet every Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and tomorrow afternoon they will meet at the home of Mrs. Baker, of 61 Warren street.

Attachments Discontinued.

The attachments held against the property of Dr. John D. Wood by Neuman Bros., and Smalley Bros., of this city, were discontinued yesterday morning. This action was probably caused by the existence of chattel mortgages which rendered the attachments valueless.

Bids for Coal Asked.

The Board of Education of North Plainfield is now receiving bids for coal to be delivered at the school building. Bids are asked for on one hundred tones of hard Lehigh coal, stove size, to be delivered when and in such quantities as the Board wishes.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

CITY SOLONS' TROUBLES.

ONE COUNCILMAN OBJECTED AT NOTIFICATION TO CURB.

A Coolness Was Also Caused Between Members of the Police Board—Two Members Claimed That They Were Ignored.

A coolness, it is said, is existing at present in the club car Plainfield, among the members of the City Council who use that means of conveyance to and from New York. It seems that at the last session of the Council, during the absence of a prominent member, a resolution was passed directing, with others, that a sidewalk curbing should be placed around his residence. When the absent member returned and was informed of the occurance he was indignant, and said that he would curb his place when he got good and ready. It is hoped that a reconciliation will take place at the next meeting of the City Council.

In connection with the above there is another breach recorded in the "happy family." It appears that at the last drill and inspection of the police department, the chairman of the Police Board notified the other two members of the board that such a drill and inspection was to take place on a certain evening and hour. The time arrived and the two members went to the Cycle Academy to witness the performance. When they arrived at the academy they saw the policemen coming out of the building and walking down the street double file, and from all appearances they decided that the drill and inspection had taken place. They also seemed to realize that they had been ignored by the head of the department, and for a time there was a coolness existing between the head and the other two members. It is now said that all differences have been amicably adjusted.

MET THE PASTOR'S FAMILY.

Epworth League of the First M. E. Church Held a Social.

The sociable of the Epworth League of the First M. E. church, held last evening at the parsonage on Central avenue, turned out really to be an informal reception. It was the first gathering of the kind at which all the pastor's family were able to be present, and the evening was spent in getting better acquainted with them. It was also the first glimpse of the new parsonage, and everybody was pleased with its appearance. The reception was held in the parlors, on the piazza and on the lawn, where seats were placed. A row of Japanese lanterns were hung about the piazza and illuminated the scene.

There was a steady buzz of conversation from the first, for everybody found plenty to talk about. Although it was an Epworth League sociable, the older people came as well as the young people, over one hundred being present.

Refreshments were served to the guests by a committee from the League.

Working Against the Martin Act.

F. C. Lounsbury, of Plainfield avenue, who is affected by the enforcement of the Martin Act, has charge of the resolutions which were adopted at the meeting of citizens who oppose the measures of the act. He is now securing signatures to the paper and it will be presented to the commissioners when they meet Thursday, July 8th. The City Council will meet in the evening of the above date for special and regular business.

Energetic Women.

The Town Improvement Association, of Rahway, held its first public meeting yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, of this city, delivered an address on "The Mother's Duty Towards the Public Schools," and Mrs. Clarence Butler talked on "What Town Improvement Has Done for Montclair.' An open discussion followed on "How May We Best Secure a New Public Hall?"

Another Attempt.

The Freeholders of Middlesex county and officials of the Brunswick Traction Company will on Wednesday try to come to some understanding regarding the crossing of the Albany street spanning of the Raritan River at New Brunswick. The question has been under consideration for three years.

Disinfecting Machine Here.

The disinfecting machine, purchased by the Board of Health, arrived yesterday from the factory in Maine. The one which was borrowed from the Asbury Park authorities was returned several days ago.

Not on the Ice Wagon.

John Morton denies that he was on the ice wagon which was nearly run into by a girl on a wheel last Friday afternoon near Scheuer's grocery store.

WANTS HER WHEEL BACK

MRS. SADLER CLAIMS THAT HER WHEEL WAS ILLEGALLY KEPT.

Says That She Was Arranging a Trade With Frucht and Left Her Wheel While She Considered the Deal.

Miss Pauline Sadler, a young colored woman, has started proceedings against Mrs. Rosa Frucht, in whose name the bicycle store of her husband at the corner of Park avenue and West Second street, is conducted. The suit was started in Justice Nash's court yesterday.

The suit is brought to recover possession of a wheel which Miss Sadler alleges is in the illegal possession of the Fruchts. The story she tells on which she bases her claim is that she went to Frucht's store several weeks ago and made inquiries regarding the purchase of a new wheel. She had an old wheel that she wished to trade in if she could make satisfactory arrangements. She says that she was offered a new wheel for her old one and $20 in cash. Then she says that she left her own wheel at the store while she went back to the place where she was employed to consult her employer as to the bargain. She claims that she was to bring word in the morning.

The next morning, according to her story, she returned to Frucht's store and said that she had decided not to make the purchase. Then she says Frucht refused to give her back her old wheel, saying that he had put new tires on it and sold it and tried to force her to make the purchase. She absolutely refused and tried to get the wheel back but was unsuccessful. Now she has started suit through City Judge DeMeza, in Justice Nash's court, to recover the wheel.

The claim made by the defendants in the case was that she agreed to take the wheel and gave her own wheel in trade and then tried to back out of the agreement.

DAMAGE SUIT POSTPONED.

It Concerned the Claim of E. C. Winters Against the Plainfield Trolley Company.

The damage suit of Edward C. Winters against the Plainfield Trolley Company which was docketed for trial at Elizabeth yesterday, was postponed until Thursday, July 8th.

Winter is a carpenter living at Westfield. Early on the morning of April 14th he was driving his horse attached to a light wagon along East Fifth street, opposite the Bryant school building. A trolley car in charge of Motorman Welch was coming in the opposite direction. When Winter endeavored to turn his horse to the side of the street it balked, but soon became tractable again, and the car advanced. When it reached a place beside the horse the animal suddenly backed and threw the wagon in front of the car.

The motorman stopped the car in its own length, but the wagon was struck and overturned, and Winter was thrown out. The witnesses include S. R. Hope, John Adleman and Motorman Welch.

AN OFFENDING CARTER.

Alleged to Have Dumped Garbage on Manning's Flats.

William Thornton, of Park avenue, a licensed ash-carter, was brought up before the City Judge yesterday morning on the complaint of Inspector Addis of the Board of Health. Inspector Addis charged him with dumping a load of garbage on Manning's flats, near the Washington avenue bridge over Green brook.

Thornton has a regular city license to cart ashes, but he is not allowed to cart garbage. It is also violating a city ordinance to dump garbage on a city dumping ground. Thornton pleaded guilty to the charge and Judge DeMeza fined him $10, warning him that a second offence would mean the full penalty of the law.

A DISPUTED TITLE.

The Property Formerly Belonged to Watson J. Tunison, Then Went to C. H. Hand.

The case of Henry E. Ludovici against Charles H. Hand and others, concerning the title of a piece of property on Manson place came up in the Chancery Chambers at Trenton today. W. S. Angleman for the plaintiff and H. C. Runyon for the defendants appeared and argued upon a motion to strike out the answer of the defendants.

The property in question belonged to Watson J. Tunison, and Mr. Hand claims that he knew nothing whatever about it until he was sued in foreclosure proceedings upon a deed which had been made out in his name without his knowledge.

Miss Williston, of New York, is spending the season at the home of Harrison Coddington, of Mountain avenue.

PUTS DUTY ON HIDES

The Senate Settles Another Perplexing Tariff Schedule.

TRUSTS AGAIN UNDER THE LASH.

The Sugar Combine Severely Arraigned by Caffery and Lindsay—McCord's Nomination For Territorial Governor Still Hangs Fire.

Washington, June 29.—The senate has made good progress on the tariff bill, disposing of the paragraphs relating to hides, which have been the source of much controversy. As finally agreed on, the duty on hides is placed at 20 per cent ad valorem in place of 1½ cents per pound, as originally reported by the finance committee.

The discussion was protracted, drifting into a general debate on trusts and from that back to the Sugar trust. Mr. Smith of New Jersey spoke at length against the duty on hides, while Mr. Allen of Nebraska supported the duty. The new paragrph was agreed to—39 to 20—one Democrat, Rawlins of Utah, and several Populists and silver Republicans voting with the Republicans in the affirmative.

The incidental debate on the trusts led to severe arraignment of the Sugar trust by Messrs. Caffery and Lindsay and a general discussion of means to deal with trusts by Mr. Hoar. Among other paragraphs disposed of during the day were all those relating to gloves, a substitute for the paragraph on live animals, iron ore and stained glass windows.

Senator Davis has reported from the committee on foreign relations an amendment to the general deficiency bill to pay $6,000 to the families of three Italians lynched at New Orleans.

The senate has confirmed the following nominations: Henry Fink of Wisconsin, to be collector of internal revenue for the First district of Wisconsin; Hector Decastro of New York, to be consul general at Rome; Irving B. Dudley of California, to be minister to Peru; Thomas C. Dawson of Iowa, to be secretary of legation of the United States at Rio de Janeiro; Frank C. Denison of Vermont, to be consul at Woodstock, New Brunswick; Frank Dillingham of California, to be consul at Auckland, New Zealand; H. S. Harkins of North Carolina, to be collector of internal revenue for the Fifth district of North Carolina; M. W. Sutton of Kansas, to be collector of internal revenue for the district of Kansas; Colonel C. H. Carlton, Eighth cavalry, to be brigadier general; Captain G. C. Remey, to be commodore in the navy, and numerous naval promotions, and First Lieutenant Deakyne, corps of engineers, U. S. A., to be a member of the California debris commission.

The nomination of M. H. McCord to be governor of Arizona was under discussion by the senate in executive session for about half an hour, but no conclusion was reached. A great part of this time was spent in an effort to reach an understanding as to when the case should be disposed of, though there was also more or less discussion of the merits of the case. Senators Shoup and Carpenter spoke in defense of McCord and Senators White, Bate and Berry against. Senator Shoup took occasion to deny the charges of collusion published against himself in the case as chairman of the committee on territories. No time was set for disposing of the case.

The Republican members of the senate committee on judiciary will hold a meeting to consider the various forms presented for an antitrust amendment to the tariff bill. There are a dozen antitrust amendments in print, and others have been suggested. The judiciary committee is striving to secure a form that will be acceptable to all Republican senators and that will also stand the test of the courts.

The President to Visit Canton.

Washington, June 29.—Unless the condition of public business prevents, President and Mrs. McKinley will leave here Friday for a visit to Canton, O. They will remain until Monday.

Telephone Companies Elect Officers.

Chicago, June 29.—The directors of the Chicago Telephone company have elected Robert T. Lincoln president pro tem. with all the powers of the president, to take effect on July 1. The directors of the Central Union Telephone company have elected W. A. Jackson president, to take effect on July 1. Mr. Jackson has been the vice president and general manager of the company. Both of these elections have been held to fill vacancies caused by the resignation of H. B. Stone as president of both companies.

Superintendent Tetlor Arrested.

Providence, June 29.—Superintendent Joseph Tetlor of the local railroad company has been arrested, charged with assault on several police officers. The police say he persisted in running a trolley car so as to interfere with a circus parade despite the fact that the policemen stood on the track to prevent its passage. The officers were forced off the track to save their lives. The warrant was ordered sworn out by the mayor.

Death of Hon. Matthew Winne.

Schenectady, N. Y., June 29.—Hon. Matthew Winne, the oldest ex-member of the New York state legislature and father of the present assemblyman of Schenectady county, Hon. Thomas Winne, died at his home in Niskayuna, this county. He was a member of the assembly in 1854, representing Schenectady county. He was 91 years old, and death was caused by old age. He is survived by a widow, daughter and two sons.

Original Lunch Cart Man Assigns.

Worcester, Mass., June 29.—T. H. Buckley, the originator of the night lunch carts, which are now common all over the country, has filed a voluntary petition in insolvency, with liabilities estimated at $30,000. The handsome cafe which he recently opened in this city is said to have caused the failure.

Suicide on Account of Ill Health.

Chicago, June 29.—Guy C. Ledyard, Jr., manager of the American Starch company and son of Guy C. Ledyard, Sr., a pioneer sugar broker of Chicago, shot himself through the heart with a fowling piece. He died instantly. Ill health had caused him to be despondent.

THE MYSTERY UNSOLVED.

No Progress Made In the Identification of the Mutilated Remains.

New York, June 29.—The mystery of the murdered man, one portion of whose body was found in the East river and another at Kingsbridge, is still unsolved. Thorough search has been made for the head in the neighborhood of the place where the lower part of the body was found, but without success. Apparently the detectives are no nearer to a solution of the case than they were 24 hours ago.

Many people who have relatives or friends missing have called at the morgue, but no one has yet been able to identify the mutilated body. A number have thought they found resemblance to missing persons, but in no case was the identification complete or at all satisfactory to the coroner and detectives.

A dozen or more theories have been advanced as to the probable manner and motive of the crime, some plausible and some otherwise. Among these theories are the following:

That the man was murdered as the result of a deliberate plot.

That he was lured to the place where the crime was committed and killed after a desperate fight.

That he was a victim of the Mafia or some secret organization, whose laws he had offended and whose death as a spy or a traitor had been decreed.

That he was murdered for whatever money he possessed.

That a woman figured in the case, and that he was a victim of jealousy.

That a lunatic committed the crime, and the fact that two men who escaped from King's Park Insane asylum are still at large is pointed out.

All of these theories are speculative, as there are yet no developments in the strange case upon which to base definite conclusions.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At New York—
New York..... 3 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 *— 4
Baltimore ..... 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0— 2
New York—Hits, 4; errors, 3. Baltimore—Hits, 5; errors, 5.

At Boston—
Boston ..... 4 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 3— 9
Brooklyn ..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 2 3 2— 8
Boston—Hits, 10; errors, 3. Brooklyn—Hits, 14; errors, 1.

At Philadelphia—
Washington ... 1 0 0 2 1 0 2 0 0— 6
Philadelphia .. 4 1 0 1 0 0 0 1 *— 7
Washington—Hits, 13; errors, 1. Philadelphia—Hits, 16; errors, 3.

At Cleveland—
Cleveland ..... 5 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 5—12
Pittsburg ..... 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0— 2
Cleveland—Hits, 18; errors, 1. Pittsburg—Hits, 7; errors, 14.

At Chicago—
Chicago ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0— 2
Louisville ..... 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 1 3— 7
Chicago—Hits, 7; errors, 2. Louisville—Hits, 8; errors, 1.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Boston	38	14	.731
Baltimore	35	16	.686
Cincinnati	32	17	.653
New York	32	19	.628
Brooklyn	26	26	.500
Pittsburg	25	26	.490
Cleveland	25	27	.481
Philadelphia	26	29	.473
Washington	21	30	.412
Louisville	21	30	.412
Chicago	19	34	.359
St. Louis	11	43	.204

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Colonel F. D. Mussey, the well known Washington correspondent, died suddenly at Middlebury, Vt., of Bright's disease. He was 51 years of age and had been ill for some time.

Another attempt upon the part of the sultan to secure Germany's support for the retention of Thessaly has met with a refusal and the advice to conform to Europe's wishes on the subject.

Mrs. Priscilla Fitzgerald, a colored woman formerly a slave in Virginia, died at the home of her son, at Annapolis, aged 115 years. Mrs. Fitzgerald was born on a Virginia plantation on Christmas day, 1782.

Governor Lowndes has signed the death warrant of Peter Monahan, who was recently convicted in the criminal court of Baltimore of the murder of his wife. He will be hanged in the Baltimore city jailyard on Friday, Aug. 13.

James H. Smith, colored, 14, is in jail at Annapolis, charged with an attempt to wreck the Bay Ridge excursion train from Washington. Smith was seen to place a railroad tie on the track at a point near Darkwoods. An employee of the road saw the occurrence and frightened the boy away.

Volcano Eruption.

Manilla, June 29.—The volcano Mayou has been in a state of violent eruption, and the flow of lava has done great damage in the province of Albany, particularly to the village of Liboug, where the tobacco crop has been completely destroyed. There has been considerable loss of life. More than 275 years have elapsed since the last eruption.

Weather Predictions.

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BUYING PAINT is not an every day occurrence — like buying a cigar. Buy a mean cigar and you have but a moment's disappointment and little is lost. Buy mean paint and it's a lasting annoyance and waste of money. For this reason it is wise to inform yourself about makers with a reputation — a reputation covering 100 years, like the House of Harrison who have goods that are guaranteed pure and warranted to wear — like the Town and Country READY MIXED PAINTS. Then find the dealer who sells their goods and (if the big "H" is on the label) your paint investment is a safe one.
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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—A cinemetrograph entertainment will be given at Hope chapel this evening.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by L. W. Randolph.

Miss Mamie Smith, of Westfield, who has been visiting friends in Plainfield, has returned home.

The True Remedy.

W. M. Repine, editor Tiskilwa, Ill., "Chief," says: "We won't keep house without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Experimented with many others, but never got the true remedy until we used Dr. King's New Discovery. No other remedy can take its place in our home, as in it we have a certain and sure cure for Coughs, Colds, Whoop-Cough, etc." It is idle to experiment with other remedies, even if they are urged on you as just as good as Dr. King's New Discovery. They are not as good, because this remedy has a record of cures and besides is guaranteed. It never fails to satisfy. Trial bottles free at L. W. Randolph's Drug Store.

Miss Hyde, of New Brunswick, is visiting friends in the city for a few days.

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guarranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c. per box. Sold by L. W. Randolph, Druggist.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Marguerite Loughlin, of East Third street, who has been confined to the hospital for several days, the result of a fall from a cherry tree, has been removed to her home. She has about recovered from her injuries.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman fo the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

Edward Nelson, ticket agent at the North Avenue station, was the guest of Brooklyn friends Sunday.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—Joseph Dunham, of Arlington avenue, has secured a position at the Pond Tool Works.

"There's no use in talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, La Cygne, Kas., "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy does the work. After taking medicines of my own preparation and those of others, I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—Charles Haggerty, of this city, has secured a position at Scheuer's grocery store.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are to-day its warmest friends. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

IRON MILLS TO CLOSE

To Remain So Until the Wage Scales Are Settled

NO SERIOUS TROUBLE EXPECTED.

The Question Is to Be Taken Up and Settled Definitely—No General Strike Is to Be Ordered—The Proceedings Are to Be Friendly.

Pittsburg, June 29.—All the union iron mills in the country, the tin plate plants and sheet mills will close tomorrow night and remain closed until the wage scales are settled. No serious trouble is expected, and the failure to adjust the wage schedules before the close of the year is not an indication that a strike is to be inaugurated.

President Garland of the Amalgamated association denies a telegraphic report from Chicago that he will order a general strike at the plants of the Illinois Steel company if the scale is not signed for the Bay View mill before Thursday.

He said the Bay View and all the union iron mills in the country will close on that day, pending a settlement of the scale, but that a suspension is necessary at this time for annual repairs, and that manufacturers are not in a hurry to come to a settlement at once.

The iron scale will be taken up at the conference at Youngstown tomorrow. As the present agreement expires on tomorrow night, all the tin plate plants, with the exception of four nonunion concerns, will close at that time. There will be no difficulty in arranging the iron and steel sheet scale. It is practically settled now, but the manufacturers will not sign until the tin plate scale is adjusted at the mines at the rates that are now being paid.

Another meeting of the board will likely be called within a week or two, but President Donan did not care to venture a prediction on the result.

Children Accidentally Burned.

Lockport, N. Y., June 29.—During childrens' day exercises at St. Mary's church, in Swormsville, Erie county, a veil worn by Grace Regnett, aged 12, was ignited accidentally by a candle bearer. The child was enveloped in an instant in flames. The veil and clothing of a little girl named Denner also caught fire. A panic in the crowded church was imminent, when Mrs. Frank Reink of Buffalo and Mrs. Regnett seized the burning children and put out the flames with their hands. The Regnett child is so terribly burned that she can hardly recover. Miss Denner's injuries were slight. Mrs. Reink was very badly burned about the hands and arms.

Death of a Celebrated Engineer.

Philadelphia, June 29.—William S. Stamm, a retired chief engineer of the United States navy, died at his home here, aged 72 years. He entered the service in 1851. In 1858 he was engaged in the work of assisting in laying the Atlantic telegraph cable, receiving as a token of his energy and ingenuity a gold medal from the New York chamber of commerce. He became a chief engineer in July, 1861, and during the latter part of the war was superintendent of repairs of the ironclad fleet off Charleston harbor. He was placed on the retired in December, 1887, when he attained the age of 64 years.

Refuses to Sign Requisition Papers.

Providence, June 29.—Governor Dyer has decided not to sign the requisition papers from Governor Black of New York for the surrender of James Sheridan and William Smith, alias William Connors, alleged fugitives from justice, on the ground that no evidence has been furnished him to show that the two men are those who are indicted in New York. In the absence of such evidence, Governor Dyer says, he feels that it would be manifestly unjust to require them to be taken to New York under custody to defend themselves. Sheridan and Smith will now probably be discharged.

Killed by an Explosion.

Rockland, Me., June 29.—By a premature explosion in the engine lime quarry owned by the Cobb Lime company, Silas Banker, a workman, lost his life, and two other employees were badly injured. A dozen men had just completed drilling and loading with dynamite eight holes. Three of these had been connected when lightning struck the battery wire, igniting the charges, a tremendous explosion following. About 1,000 casks of rock were lifted into the air and fell, with Banker beneath. The other workmen were hurled in all directions and most of them stunned.

Railway Incorporated.

Albany, June 29.—The Saratoga Northern railway has been incorporated with the secretary of state, with capital stock of $1,000,000. The company proposes to construct an electric railroad from Saratoga Springs to the village of Wilton and Mount McGregor, in Saratoga county, a distance of 11 miles. The directors are: A. C. Kaufman, Harrison Hale Schoff and Edward A. Maurice of Pittsfield, Mass.; J. B. Robertson of New Haven; C. F. Arnold, H. McGonegal and L. C. Jordan of New York city; A. J. Voyer of Albany, and J. B. Hampton of Philadelphia.

Persecution of Jews.

London, June 29.—The Daily Chronicle publishes this morning, under reserve, a letter from Teheran, the capital of Persia, describing a terrible persecution of the Jews. According to the correspondent, a mob of fanatical Moslems has savagely attacked the Jewish quarters of the city and is threatening to exterminate the Jews unless they embrace Mohammedanism. The government, although it has dispatched troops to quell the disorders, appears to be almost powerless to stem the tide of fanaticism.

Philadelphia's Large Custom Receipts.

Philadelphia, June 29.—The largest receipts in the history of the Philadelphia custom house for any one day were taken in by Collector of the Port Read yesterday. The largest previous record was made on March 31 last, during the flurry in the tobacco trade, when the receipts aggregated $414,789. Yesterday's receipts were made up largely of withdrawals of sugar from bond, over $300,000 in clearing house certificates of $10,000 being paid in for these duties, the total receipts for the day being $439,342.

POLICY OF WEYLER.

Outlined In a Speech Made In Santiago de Cuba.

HE DESIRES TO PACIFY THE ISLAND.

He Says, However, That if War Is Necessary He Has Plenty of Troops Behind Him—Arrival of Prisoners at Havana.

Havana, June 29.—Addressing the local authorities yesterday evening in the palace of Santiago de Cuba, the captain general said he remembered with pleasure that region where he had engaged in a campaign during the previous war in Cuba. Continuing, he explained that he was coming to pacify that part of the island, and that though he was strongly desirous of peace his system of making war was to be rigorous toward the rebels who refuse to accept the clemency which Spain and himself offered them. The general added:

"Notwithstanding the examples in rigor set by other colonial nations, I attend to the reconstruction of the wealth of this island. This was the purpose which inspired my last decrees, and I propose to continue this policy, though I have been compelled in some instances to countenance destruction, owing to the fact that circumstances have made it necessary in some cases to destroy the resources of the rebels."

The captain general then referred to the sincerity of the Spanish government in its desire to introduce reforms in Cuba, concluding with the remark:

"I come to bring peace or war. If the former is accepted, we will then return to the law; but, if the latter is desired, behind me come 40 battalions of troops."

At 9 o'clock the same evening Governor Ordax banqueted the captain general. Much enthusiasm is said to have been manifested by the people.

The coasting steamer Triton, which has arrived here from ports in the province of Pinar del Rio, brought 11 officers and 25 sick soldiers in addition to 14 prisoners of war.

Arrival of Prisoners.

The coasting steamer Alava, which has arrived here from Santa Clara ports, had on board 52 prisoners of war.

The Puerto Rico battalion, in the district of Sancti Spiritus, has destroyed an insurgent rifle store and captured 9 insurgents and 14 women.

Advices received from official sources at Sancti Spiritus announce the surrender there to the Spanish authorities of the insurgent governor Felix Companioni, an insurgent major, three insurgent prefects, three insurgent mail carriers, six insurgents belonging to the escort of Velloso, the insurgent leader, and 84 men and 344 women and children.

Official dispatches from Trinidad, province of Santa Clara, say that 390 persons have surrendered there to the Spaniards. The families, it is said, are lodged in the railroad station, which is overcrowded. Fifteen of the party died from fever.

Small skirmishes only have taken place recently in the other provinces, with but slight loss on either side.

A Remarkable Suicide.

St. Louis, June 29.—Minnie Rose, aged 20, the only daughter of Louis Rose, a prominent business man, has committed suicide under remarkable circumstances. The girl's mind was unbalanced by the great tornado of May 27, 1896. The home of the Rose family was in the heart of the tornado and was wrecked by it. The fright and terrible ordeal through which Miss Rose passed developed a hysterical mania, which after the first attack never deserted her. Sunday morning an attack worked her into a frenzy, as a result of the thunderstorms on that day, which had been frequent and terrific, during which she took a dose of paris green. She lingered for a time, but finally died in terrible agony.

Will of a Chewing Gum Manufacturer.

Portland, Me., June 29.—The will of the late John B. Curtis, the wealthy chewing gum manufacturer, has been filed for probate. The testator's entire property, amounting to $500,000, is left to the care of trustees to be named by the court, the income from which is to be paid to testator's widow during her lifetime. After her death the residue, after some small personal bequests, is to be divided among several public institutions and $20,000 to be used to establish a free public library in the town of Bradford, Me. The will expressly disinherits an only son, to whom it refers as "an alleged issue of my body."

General Row at a Picnic.

Louisville, June 29.—A special from Vanceburg, Ky., says: Tom Logan and Wyatt Cooper brought about a shooting affray at a picnic on Straight fork Saturday in which two were killed instantly and many wounded. Logan and Cooper were enemies, and when they met at the picnic Logan opened fire, killing Cooper at the first shot. He fired five other bullets into his prostrate body, and then the latter's friends took up the fight, and the shooting became general. An unknown man was killed, and about 20 were wounded, some fatally, it is believed.

Murderer Removed Under Guard.

Louisville, June 29.—George Dinning, a negro murderer, has been escorted from this city to Franklin, Simpson county, by a company of the Kentucky state guard. Dinning is charged with the murder of Jodie Conn. His trial will begin this afternoon, and the soldiers will guard him during its progress

Hohenlohe Visits Bismarck.

Friedrichsruhe, June 29.—Prince Hohenlohe, accompanied by Prince von Bulow and Baron Wilmowsky, paid a four hours' visit to Prince Bismarck yesterday while on their way from Kiel to Berlin. The party also drove out for an hour and a half, Prince Hohenlohe sitting with Prince Bismarck.

Copper Bullion For England.

Revelstoke, B. C., June 29.—A train of eight cars loaded with copper bullion and matte from the Hall mines, has left here for Montreal for shipment to England. This is the first copper made in Canada and goes high in silver and gold. Its value is about $500 per ton.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Naegle.)

Showers Tonight; Probably Fair Wednesday; Slightly Warmer.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 88 Degrees.

Subscribers to The Daily Press who are leaving town for summer vacations can have the paper sent to their temporary address without extra expense by simply notifying the business office.

SOME REMEDY NEEDED.

If the members of the Plainfield Common Council were obliged to sit on their piazzas these summer evenings and digest the amount of dust and dirt that the residents along the line of the Plainfield street railway are compelled to, it would not be long before some action would be taken to remedy the difficulty. It is one of the greatest impositions that the people living on the route of the trolley have to put up with, and especially is this true from Grant avenue to Dunellen. Residents along that thoroughfare are compelled often to forego the pleasure of enjoying their piazzas owing to the unbearable quantity of dust raised by the trolley. On the trolley road between Elizabeth and Newark, a special car for sprinkling the roadway is kept constantly in use. Some similar action should be taken here.

HARD TO TELL.

It is rather difficult to learn what really did happen at the Democratic union dinner in Elizabeth, last evening. All the Republican and gold Democratic papers declare that it was a complete failure while the silver Democratic organs are just as enthusiastic over what they call the complete success of the dinner. The silver Democrats, who were present all declare that everything was as harmonious and successful as could be wished.

NEW JERSEY'S SENATOR.

Senator James Smith, Jr., one of the two representatives of New Jersey in the United States Senate, made a very strong speech against the duty on hides in the Senate yesterday morning. The speech was an eloquent one and held the attention of the galleries as well as the Senators. Senator Smith advanced many strong arguments to back up his statements.

WORKING FOR THE CITY'S INTEREST.

The Town Improvement Association of Rahway is going to work without delay. A public meeting was held yesterday and there was a discussion on the question of a new public hall. The Rahway women evidently believe in going to work at once and not waiting for the slow revolution of the city machinery.

FOUND ON THE MOUNTAIN.

The Skeleton of a Romance Discovered in a Letter.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—While a Plainfielder was traveling on our mountains on Wednesday evening, near the Mountain Park Inn, he saw lying on the side of the road a letter marked "Important," which upon opening he found to be the skeleton of a romance. It had been given to some messenger who had unfortunately lost it. It was filled with reproaches to the young man for his faithlessness, he had evidently failed to keep the fire of love burning and for some reason had fallen off in his attentions to the fair one.

It is very entertaining and can be had by addressing,

O. F. F.,
Plainfield P. O.

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Funeral of Miss Kiely.

The funeral services of the late Miss Bessie Kiely were held this morning from St. Mary's church. There was a very large attendance of relatives and friends. Rev. Father Smyth, assisted by Rev. Father Stafford, conducted the services. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery, this city.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Lawyer Newcorn has resumed his work after his recent affliction.

Richard Randolph, of West Eighth street, is visiting friends at Stelton.

Miss Etta Raybert, of North avenue, is the guest of friends at South Orange.

Walter G. Williams, of West Seventh street, went to Trenton today on business.

John Putnam, of Newark, is visiting his brother, L. C. Putnam, of West Second street.

H. S. Thatcher, of New street, is convalescing from a severe attack of acute indigestion.

James Daly, driver of Gazelle engine, had a day off Sunday. Harry Bush took his place.

Miss Matie VanHorn, of 171 Duer street, is entertaining Miss Carrie Young, of Baltimore.

Dr. Halsey, of New York was the guest yesterday of Rev. C. E. Herring, of East Second street.

Mrs. J. C. Pope, of West Fourth street, drove yesterday to Newark with friends from New York.

Mr. Green, tonsorial artist, formerly of Plainfield, is now residing in Newark. His health is much improved.

—Joseph Jacot, of Somerset street, has gone to Patchogue, L. I., to accept a position at the Clifton House.

Eugene Cave and family, of Sandford avenue, will leave the city next week for Belmar, where they will pass their vacation.

Percy Wheeler, of LaGrande avenue, has entirely recovered from his recent accident which confined him to the house.

Miss Amelia Day, who is spending the summer at Asbury Park, is visiting her aunts, the Misses Day of Mercer avenue.

William Dunn and Mr. Leonard, of Elizabeth, were the guests yesterday of John Goff and family, of West Third street.

Patrolman Mattox is now enjoying his annual vacation of ten days. Patrolmen Higgins and Fraleigh have returned to duty.

Ernest Mallard, of North avenue, has been obliged to give up his position at Bound Brook for the present, owing to ill health.

Miss Minnie Ammerman and Miss Burnett, of Madison, who have been visiting borough relatives, returned home last Saturday.

Miss Anna Manktelow, who has been staying at 515 Park avenue, will spend the summer at her home in Westmoreland, N. Y.

B. A. Brown and wife, of Bristol, Conn., are visiting Mr. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Brown, of East Fourth street.

Mrs. C. F. Abbott and daughter, Miss Abbott, of Central avenue, who have been in Europe for sometime, are expected to arrive home today.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Matthews, of Washington Park, returned yesterday from Monmouth Beach, where they have been enjoying a brief vacation.

Peter B. Matthews, of Washington Park, who has been spending a week at Asbury Park, returned Sunday, riding the entire distance on his wheel.

Mr. Woodhull, of the firm of Woodhull & Martin, and family, will leave town Friday for Schooley's Mountains, where they will spend their vacation.

Mrs. H. N. Smith, of Brooklyn, spent Sunday with friends on East Fifth street, and she was so charmed with the place that she will board in Plainfield the remainder of the summer.

Miss Mary E. Robinson, of East Fifth street, left Plainfield yesterday with the Christian Endeavor special for California. She will not return with the excursion, but will remain in the west till some time in August.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Linke, of West Second street, entertained a few of their friends at their farm, near Stirling, Sunday. The day was passed in many pleasant ways and a sumptuous repast was not the least enjoyable.

C B. Rowe, the poet, of Massachusetts, who has been confined to the hospital for some time past, was discharged this morning and he left the city for his home. He will return to Plainfield in a few weeks, after which he will resume his position as a traveling agent.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional local news on the third page.

—The T. A. B. Society will give a dance at T. A. B. Hall on Saturday night.

—The house occupied by Mrs. Gilbert, of Woodland avenue, is being painted.

—A telephone has just been placed in the office of the Board of Health. The number is 221 F.

—Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, met last evening and transacted nothing but routine business.

—Nearly all the Plainfield churches will hold patriotic services next Sunday in honor of Independence Day.

—Thursday, July 15th, is the date of the First Presbyterian church Sunday-school excursion to Asbury Park.

—Dorsey Hyde's house, corner of Woodland and Watchung avenues, is being painted by Woolston & Buckle.

—George Anderson, of this city, left last night for Lakewood, where he has secured a good position at one of the hotels.

—A stone walk is to be laid soon about the residence of Thomas Minford, corner of Watchung and Woodland avenues.

—The Queen Esther Band, of Grace M. E. church, made a profit of $60 on the recent festival held on the lawn of the church.

—The work of laying gas pipes through the new extension of Watchung avenue on the city side was started yesterday.

—Justice Mosher today issued a summons in the case of Edward White against John C. Smalley, on contract, returnable July 6th.

—The first coat of heavy stone has been placed on Harmony street, and the work of rolling the same will be started in a few days.

—Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F and A. M., will hold a special communication this evening, when the Fellow Craft degree will be conferred.

—Smith V. Wyckoff, of West Fourth street, formerly janitor at the Crescent League Club house, has secured a similar position in New York city.

—George C. Needham desires to meet the Christian workers of Plainfield at the union Bible class to be held in Y. M. C. A. Hall this evening.

—A grand rally was held at the Fillmore Avenue Baptist church Sunday and the members subscribed a considerable sum of money to the church fund.

—Irving L. Brady, assignee, gives notice in another column that he will offer for sale next Thursday the coal and wood yard of John A. Thickstun, located at the corner of Madison avenue and Third street.

—Martha Washington Council, No. 23, D. of A., meets this evening, at which time the election of officers and other important business will be transacted. A large attendance of the members is requested.

—The Statue of Liberty made of soap, attracted considerable attention at Woodhull & Martin's dry goods store last evening. A large incandescent light illuminated the statue and made it look very pretty.

—It would be well for the street commissioner to see that the street railway company live up to their contract in keeping the road in repair eighteen inches outside of the rails. On West Front street there are many instances to show that they have not

—Through the real estate agency of E. C. Mulford & Son, the John M. Crane house on West Eighth street has been leased for the summer to Dr. Jereckie, of New York. This will make the sixth consecutive season that the doctor and his family have passed in Plainfield.

—There are many positions in the public schools of this country to be filled in the next few months and there are many candidates for them. The Union Teachers' Agencies of America have for their object to supply positions for these candidates. Notice their ad in another column.

Was He Stealing a Ride?

A westbound freight train, Sunday, picked up the mutilated body of a man on the Pennsylvania tracks at Iselin. The body was taken to New Brunswick. It was that of a man about thirty-five, with a stubby beard. The clothes seemed to be fair quality, but much worn. It is thought the man was stealing a ride on a freight and fell beneath the wheels.

Business College to Close.

Interesting exercises will be held this evening at 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the Plainfield Business College, over the new City National Bank. Addresses will be made by Rev. C. E. Herring and Lawyer Swackhamer, and various parts will be taken by the teachers and students. All are welcome.

The United States Government will not buy baking powders containing alum at any price.

The Government does buy Cleveland's baking powder, which speaks volumes in its favor.

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DAY OF FATE AT HAND.

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tion to the frightened wife that he would soon return and fix her.

The door was quickly barred and the couple retired to the upper story to spend the long night anxiously watching for the mad man.

Then Liebie went to the home of Mr. Johnson, nearby, where "Jake" Sebring was calling. "Jake" quietly departed at the first appearance of Liebie, fearing trouble. At 10:30 o'clock, three shots were fired down the road and the farmers supposed that Liebie was practicing for his promised slaughter.

The next day a warrant was sworn out for Liebie's arrest, and he was taken to the New Brunswick jail to be released Saturday night after bail of $400 was furnished by James Mannion and Charles Liebie. Then the Elder Liebie returned to his home and sat about the place waiting for the time to come.

The neighbors are very much worried over the present state of affairs, and it is needless to say that none of the four will accept any invitation from Liebie for Sunday, even if the most alluring time is promised.

WOULD CLIMB THE SPIRES.

Henry Brennan Proposes to Fix Flags on the Cathedral 300 Feet in Air.

Henry Brennan, of 844 Second avenue, Elizabeth, who on July 5, if the pastor of St. Patrick's new church at Elizabethport gives him permission, undertake the feat of climbing the lofty spires of the church and affix two American flags to their tops. The spires tower about 300 feet from the ground. Brennan is confident that he can perform the feat.

Had Sold It For Years.

On a charge of selling liquor on Sunday Joseph Fagan and Jerome C. Neal, proprietors of Florida Grove, a summer resort near Perth Amboy, patronized by many from this city, were arrested last Sunday by Detective William A. Housel, of New Brunswick. They were released on bail by Recorder Ward, of Perth Amboy. Both men protested that their arrest was an outrage, as liquor had been sold there on Sunday for forty years.

—At the meeting of the Sons of Veterans, to be held this evening, arrangements will be made for the anniversary celebration of the camp to be held in the near future.

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Sale of Real Estate.

—ON—

THURSDAY, JULY 1st,

at 2 p. m., next, the

COAL AND WOOD YARD

of John A. Thickstun, located at the corner of Madison Avenue and Third street, will be sold at public auction. The property is 330 feet long, has a railroad siding the entire length of the yard, sheds for storage of coal, large platform scales, two office buildings, large barn, and is in a good condition. Undoubtedly it is the best available site in this city for the coal and wood business. $7,000 of the purchase money can remain on the property on bond and mortgage. The property must be sold, and the sale affords an excellent opportunity for a good investment.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mrs. and Miss Morris, of Brooklyn, are visiting Mrs. B. S. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs Clarence White have returned from their wedding trip.

M. F. Marclay, of Plainfield, was in the borough yesterday calling on friends.

The Foresters met last evening and received four propositions for membership.

George Reusch and family, of Cranford, are the guests of relatives in the borough.

William Lorton, of New Market, was the guest of Plainfield friends over Sunday.

The usual Fourth of July games will be held at New Market next Monday afternoon.

Miss Dodwell, daughter of Conductor Dodwell, is much improved from a severe illness.

Mrs. R. I. Roberts, of Long Island, has been paying her annual visit to Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Warden.

Mrs. Susan Rudes, of New York, is the guest for a few days at the home of her cousin, Mrs. A. W. Warden.

Rev. Mr. Peterson, pastor of the New Market Seventh-Day Baptist church, is expected home this week.

A report is in circulation that Elston Lowrie has returned from his long absence. As yet no one has seen Mr. Lowrie.

Mr. and Mrs. Peters and daughter, of the borough, spent last Sunday afternoon at the home of Cranford friends.

Miss Hetfield, of New Brunswick, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. A. S. Giles, of the borough, has returned home.

The Misses Meslers, of the borough, returned home yesterday after a week's sojourn with their grandparents at Morristown.

Miss Ethel Gray, of Irvington, who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Sally Gray, of the borough, returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Carpenter, of Plainfield, have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Apgar, of Washington avenue.

Engineer John McCall and his grandson returned on Sunday from Providence, R. I., where they have been visiting relatives.

Next Thursday the members of the Dunellen Gun Club will go out hunting for woodcock. They have selected their place but have not made it known.

Mrs. Watters and daughter, Mrs. Harry Vail and grandson, Master Willie Vail, of the borough, have returned home from a visit with friends at High Bridge.

Rev. A. I Martine, pastor of the Presbyterian church, left last Monday for California to attend the Christian Endeavor convention. His pulpit during his absence will be occupied by different ministers.

No evening service was held at the Presbyterian church last Sunday. The pastor, Rev. A. I. Martine, attended the Christian Endeavor service held in the Congregational church, Plainfield, and was one of the speakers.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

John Stillger is spending a few days in Monmouth county.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clark and son spent Sunday in Lincoln.

Richard Hunt, who has been visiting John Stillger, has returned to his home in Delaware.

The Misses Annie and Jennie Collins, of New York, spent yesterday with Mrs. John Blimm.

Presiding Elder G. W. Smith will lead the prayer meeting in the Methodist church this evening.

The teachers of the Baptist Sunday-school will meet at the residence of G. E. Hall, Thursday evening.

Clifford Braider, of Plainfield, led the Christian Endeavor meeting in the Baptist church Sunday evening.

Mrs. Helen C. Henderson, who has been visiting Mrs. W. H. Turton, returned to her home in Brooklyn yesterday.

Judge Joseph Clark has commenced to paint the Baptist church property, on Park avenue. This statement is absolutely correct.

Mrs. Thomas Cleaver has rented her house, on Forest avenue, to Prof. and Mrs. John R. Morey and will occupy her residence, on Park avenue, adjoining the Baptist parsonage.

Edward Jacquin, of Plainfield, and Louis Jacquin and George H. Breden, of New York, were wheeling from Newark to Plainfield on Sunday. They reached Scotch Plains and were turning from the Springfield road into Park avenue when the crank of Edward Jacquin's wheel broke and he was thrown violently to the ground. His left knee was badly lacerated and his clothing was torn. The injured man was taken to Blimm's hotel where he was well cared for. Later in the day he was sent to Plainfield in a carriage.

WESTFIELD

TAXPAYERS' DILEMMA.

WERE OVER-ASSESSED BY SEWER COMMISSION.

Westfield Township Committee Cannot Give Relief—Simpson-Benner Wedding —Mr. and Mrs. Cruttenden Serenaded.

Several property owners of Westfield have fallen into a serious predicament because of mistakes in their sewer assessments, and the efforts of the Township Committee to give relief are likely to prove unavailing. When the construction of the town's sewer system was nearly completed the court, according to law, appointed a commission to estimate the cost of the work and levy assessments upon the real estate. Maps of the township were draughted, showing the location and the number of feet frontage of each piece of property. These maps were placed in the township rooms and property owners were invited to inspect them and report any errors that were detected. In two weeks' time the commissioners levied assessments in accordance with the maps, reported their work finished, and were discharged by the court. At the next meeting of the Township Committee a communication was received from a Mrs. Hickock, of Clark street, asking that an error in the assessment upon her property be corrected. The frontage of her lot is 75 feet, but the assessment was upon 122 feet. Similar complaints of over assessment were afterwards received from about a dozen other property owners, and when the Township Committee sought the advice of counsel upon the matter, it was told that it had no power to remedy the mistakes. This news spread consternation among the interested parties, and they have since been trying to discover some means of escape from their dilemma. With the Town Committee powerless in the matter, it is difficult to say who can give aid, unless it be the courts or the State Legislature. The general opinion among lawyers now is that it will be necessary to wait until the Legislature meets and then to secure an amendment to the law which will empower the Town Committee or the courts to rectify the errors.

Master Reginald Douglas has an attack of measles.

The Board of Health will hold a meeting Friday evening in the town rooms,

The Sunday-school board of the M. E. church held a meeting last night.

The I. O S. will meet at the residence of R. V. Hoffman, Thursday evening.

Mrs. W. Turnbull, of Walnut street, has been entertaining her nieces from Brooklyn.

Rev. and Mrs. William H. Ruth are spending a few days with friends in Nyack, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Delatour, of Central avenue, are entertaining a brand new girl baby.

The M. E. church choir gave a successful concert in the Cranford M. E. church last evening.

B. J. Crosby, of Westfield avenue, returned last evening from an extended trip in the west.

Frank Deming, of this place, will undergo an operation in New York today for the removal of a cancer upon his face.

Donald Nicholas, of Washington, D. C., has returned home after a visit with H. A. Knight, of Elm street.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Arnold and children leave Friday for Sullivan county, N. Y., where they will spend the summer.

A handicap tennis tournament, open to club members only, will be held on the Westfield Club courts, Saturday and Monday. Entries will close Thursday.

Miss Julia Simpson and Captain George C. Benner will be married at the residence of the bride's parents on Ross place tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. The maid of honor will be Miss Marie Simpson, a sister of the bride, and Albert B. Wade, of New York city, will act as best man.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Cruttenden returned from their wedding trip yesterday and took up their residence with Mrs Elizabeth MacQuoid, on Elm street. At 9 o'clock in the evening about forty friends assembled upon the lawn in front of the house and serenaded the couple. After receiving many invitations, Mr. Cruttenden came forth and escorted the visitors to a neighboring soda fountain. They then returned to the house and a number of songs were sung, after which the callers left expressing their wishes for Mr. and Mrs. Cruttenden's happiness.

WILLOW GROVE.

Miss Littell is the guest of friends in Brooklyn this week.

William Steward, of New York, has been visiting friends at the Grove.

Mrs. Martin conducted the services at the chapel last Sunday evening.

Miss Lambert will attend the Primary School of Methods to be held at Asbury Park next week.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Children's Day was observed at the Baptist church last Sunday evening, when a programme of singing, recitations and an address by Rev. A. I. Martine, of Dunellen, was presented. The attendance was very large and the service thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Primary Teachers' Union.

Miss May E. Howlett led the devotional exercises at the meeting of the Primary Teachers' Union, held yesterday afternoon, and Miss Shinn taught the lesson which included a very interesting review of St. Paul's first journey. In conclusion she offered an earnest prayer that God would let the light of his love into the hearts of the little ones.

Children's Festival.

A children's festival will be held on the lawn corner of Grove street and Craig place, tomorrow, from 3 to 6 o'clock, for the benefit of the Day Nursery. Helen F. Adams, Helen Armstrong and Marguerite Lee is the committee in charge.

Westfield, N. J., May 28, 1897.—I had a severe attack of rheumatism and the medicine I was taking did not relieve me. I resorted to Hood's Sarsaparilla, which accomplished a cure. Mrs. Mary Kimmey.

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L. W. RANDOLPH, Prescription Druggist,
143 WEST FRONT STREET. TELEPHONE CALL 109.

—The West End baseball team and the North Plainfield team played an interesting game at the end of Central avenue, Saturday. The West Ends won by the score of 20 to 12.

THE BEE HIVE.

KID GLOVES.

Ladies' 4-button kid gloves, in tans and browns, 69c.

"Foster Hook" gloves, tans, slates and brown, 79c.

White kid gloves, 4 buttons, heavy black stitching, 79c.

Children's kid gloves, 69c.

Men's kid gloves, in tans, reds and browns, every pair warranted, $1.00.

LOUIS CALLMAN
222 West Front Street.

HIGH TESTIMONIAL.

Mr. Silas D. Drake, President New Jersey Mutual Realty Co.

Dear Sir:

Last March, 1897, four months ago, you induced me to subscribe for a number of shares of stock of the New Jersey Mutual Realty Co., at par, and I hereby certify that on this date you have sold five shares $100 each of said stock for $1,000.

Yours Truly,
C. E Dunham.

Bound Brook, June 26, 1897.

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NOTICE!

The North Plainfield Board of Education are now open to receive bids for 100 tons of hard Lehigh coal, (stove size,) to be delivered at the school building in North Plainfield at such imes and in such quantities as the Board may suggest. E. Loomis, D. C.

PARTICULAR PLAINFIELDERS

like Rand's Fireworks I did not spare trouble or expense to get the best there are made. Money won't buy better. People tell me now how well they went off last year One young man expressed it this way; "Gee whiz! but your fireworks go off good."

I can sell you exhibition assortments if you want them. They range in price from $12.50 up, and the discount is 60 per cent or more on a large assortment.

See about it now.

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Randolph Runyon,
Funeral Director
and Embalmer,
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LARGE pleasant rooms with first class board. 62 Sanford Ave. 6 29 6

WANTED—For cash, lady's bicycle. Address Wheel, care Press.

WANTED—Immediately, a boy in a grocery store; quick, active and industrious; 15 to 18 years. Reference required. Address "Quick Delivery," care Press. 6 29 3

WANTED—A first-class laundress by the week; must do shirts, collars and cuffs Apply after 6, tonight. 304 Belvidere avenue, Netherwood.

THE AUTOCRAT of the North Plainfield High School, containing pictures and essays of the graduates, will be found for sale on newsstands. 6 29 2.

GOOD man wants home; handle horses or do any thing. 374 Cottage place. 6 26 5 eod

FOR RENT—Furnished sunny front room, without board, in private family for single lady or gentleman; two doors from Crescent avenue. Modern conveniences. Address M. care Press. 6 28 2

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We sell goods cheaper than any Plainfield store.

Business Reputations are not made by selling penny prints or three cent stockings—there is something better in this store than that You will find at all times useful merchandise here that you can buy with confidence and wear with satisfaction. Cheap goods are not always

Goods Cheap.

A BIG WEEK

in the Wash Goods. We are facing a condition here—half the season gone and no wash goods weather—only one thing is to be done and we are not slow in doing it. We will have less yards of goods a few days hence—all our Lawns, Dimities, Cambrics, Challies that have been 12, 15 and 18c, all to go for 8c. the yd.

MEN'S OUTING SHIRTS.

You can afford to buy liberally of these lots for we are going to reduce the stock. The goods and prices talk stronger than we can. Here they are—

	Were.	Now.		Were.	Now.
Men's silk striped shirts,	75c, $1	49c	Men's cambric laundered shirts	75c	48c
Men's cheviot striped shirts	50, 75c	32c	Men's balbriggan shirts and drawers		25c

HOSIERY FOR

Ladies, Gentlemen and Children. You can buy better hosiery here for less money than ever before.

Ladies' fine lisle hose, drop stitch	15c	pair; value	22c
Ladies' plain lisle hose	15c	"	25c
Children's ribbed bicycle hose	10c	"	15c
Children's plain hose, extra fine	15c	"	25c
Men's extra fine fast black hose	13c	"	25c
Men's tan hose, very fine	15c	"	25c
Men's fancy ½-hose	18c	"	35c

SALE OF SUMMER

Underwear for ladies and children. The weather is to blame for it this time. A month ago they would have brought double—now they go at half.

Ladies' ribbed vests were 10c, now 4c	Ladies' ribbed vests were 12c, now 7c
Ladies' lisle vests were 25c, now 15c	Ladies' lisle vests were 37c, now 25c

Children's ribbed vests, were 20c, now 10c.

SPECIAL BARGAIN LOTS

They come from every department in the store and all well worth seeing.

34-in check suiting	10c yard	36-in French nainsook	10c yard
36 in fine percales	5c yard	30-in fine dimities	6c yard
Extra heavy bath towels	10c	4-button chamois gloves	67c
Fine seamless matting, 20-yd rolls	2 49	Porch rugs, 3x6	1.19
Ladies' silk belts	19c	Heavy all-linen crash	5c
Fine figured doylies	45c doz	A good summer corset	39c

40-in black or blue all-wool suiting.....25c
54-in all-wool bicycle suiting.....49c
Boy's wash suits 49c, 59c and 69c.....reduced from 69c, 79c and 98c

EDWARD WHITE.

CLOSING OUT
Baby Carriages
Discount 20 per cent.
GARRET Q. PACKER,
301-303 West Front Street.

The Watchung Dairy,
No. 327 Watchung Avenue,
Will Be Opened On
THURSDAY, JULY 1.

By Mr. B. Meyer, for the sale of *STERILIZED MILK* from the Riverside Stock Farm, at Finderne. Orders left at the dairy will be delivered daily free of charge. We also keep on hand a supply of cream, eggs and butter from the above farm. An inspection of our dairy by the public and a trial order of our milk is respectfully solicited.

YOUNG AND OLD

Have heard of **Hanan's Shoes.** They have been on sale for nearly fifty years, and in all that time have stood the fire of the just as good kind. They are Crack-a-Jacks. Come and see them.

A. WILLETT & SON,
NO. 107 PARK AVENUE.

$25 reward! If the person who on Saturday last at twelve o'clock took a gold hunting-case watch from the house of Mr. Jocelyn Johnstone, 15 Prospect place, will return it personally, or by agent to the owner, no questions of any kind will be asked, no trouble will be given, and Mr. Johnstone will give bearer twenty-five dollars. 6 28 2

OFFICE to let in Schwed building, next First National Bank. Elston M. French, 24 Somerset St. 6 23 6

FIRST-CLASS help and first-class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

MRS. GOULD,
of 250 W. 22d St., New York, will visit Plainfield on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month hereafter to treat ladies' and gentlemen's hair and scalp. Office, 431 Park Ave. Hours 10 a. m. to 8 p. m. oaw tu

Assessor Hubbard
will be at the office.
109 Park Avenue,
until July 10th.—"Evenings by appointment."
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A PRESIDENT'S LOVE.

ANDREW JOHNSON'S COURTSHIP OF MISS SARAH WORD

She Rejected the Future Chief Magistrate for a Saddler.—He was not Illiterate when Young, but to the Contrary was Exceptionally Intelligent.

Three-quarters of a century ago, in the little village of Laurens, in the State of South Carolina, there lived and labored at the tailor's trade a young man who was destined to play an important part in the affairs of this Nation. Of humble origin and having had practically no educational advantages, he had in his character the elements of true manhood, and by force of brain power and ability attained the highest position of honor and trust in the Republic

Andrew Johnson left his home in North Carolina by reason of some trouble with his employer, and went to the then ultra-exclusive and aristocratic village of Laurens. He had no influential family connections, and was as poor as the traditional church mouse, his worldly possessions consisting only of the clothes he wore. To one acquainted with the social conditions of the ante-bellum South, the difficulties incident to obtaining recognition by a man handicapped as Johnson was can be readily imagined. The sterling worth of the young tailor, however, made itself felt, and demanded the admiration and respect soon accorded him by those who were wont to consider one not to the manor born deserving of but condescending notice.

Johnson's stay at Laurens marked a very important epoch in his life. It was there that he met his first love, Miss Sarah Word, a charming young woman of education and refinement, who saw in the modest and retiring young journeyman tailor, a man of character and strength and promise. Johnson's regard for Miss Word was reciprocated, and the young people entered into an engagement to marry. They were thrown constantly in each other's society, and the future President of the United States once assisted his fiancee in laying, stuffing and quilting a quilt.

The irresistible tendency that young men in love have to carve their sweethearts' names on everything movable and immovable in their immediate vicinity was not wanting in Johnson. On the bottom of an old split-bottomed chair he engraved the inscription "S. W.—1820." It is needless to say that it was the chair in which Miss Word was accustomed to sit on the porch of her home.

Having satisfactorily adjusted the trouble with his former employer in North Carolina, Johnson decided to return and resume his place. Before leaving Laurens, as a token of his affectionate regard, he gave to Miss Word his dearest possession, the goose with which he had worked at his trade. This act shows the tender simplicity of the young tailor. He had no false pride about the matter. He was leaving the woman he loved for an indefinite time, and not ashamed of his lowly calling, gave her something that would be a constant reminder of him and his work. After leaving Laurens differences arose between Miss Word and Johnson, and their engagement was terminated, but the tailor's goose was never returned. Miss Word rejected the tailor and married William Hance, a saddler. The tailor became President of the United States.

Johnson's biographers have all maintained that in early life he was uncouth, illiterate and ignorant, with no refinement nor grace of manner. It has been stated that he could neither read nor write, and that his wife taught him both after marriage. This error has become so firmly fixed that it is generally accepted as an historic fact, and school children are told the romantic story of how a man who afterward became President was taught to read and write by a wife who was ambitious for his advancement. This story may be a beautiful object lesson on the grand possibilities of American youth, but it has the fatal defect of being untrue. When Johnson lived in Laurens he could both read and write, and was considered a young man of considerable intelligence. Miss Word, to whom he was engaged, is authority for the statement that she received many notes and letters from him, and that he wrote a good business hand. She has also frequently said that he was a man of more than ordinary intelligence, of elegant address and a brilliant conversationalist.—National Magazine.

Song Birds for Market in Italy.

Dr. Carl Landstriner, president of the Vienna Society for the Protection of Animals, says that in the large cities of Italy "huge piles of nightingales, larks, finches, and, of late, even swallows," are seen on the market stalls. These little creatures are caught by the wholesale in fowlers' nets during the fall of the year, when the birds are migrating to the south.

Matrimonial Business Rushing.

First Preacher—Doing much in the wedding trade now?

Second Preacher—Yes; business is good. People get married this year who never got married before.—Truth.

Miss Mobile—Well, Martha, how is your husband now?

Martha—Po'ly, miss, po'ly. He's got the exclamatory rheumatism.

Miss Mobile—You mean inflammatory rheumatism, Martha. "Exclamatory" is to cry out.

Martha (with solemn conviction)—"That's it, mum; that's it! He don't do nothing but holler!—Northern Chrostian Advocate.

READY-TO-WEAR CLOTHING.

A Young Industry which has Rapidly Increased—Fair Profits for Merchants.

The popularity and sale of ready-made, or "ready-to-wear," clothing, as the merchants now prefer to call it, has greatly increased in the last eight or ten years, according to good authorities. The cause is not hard to find. It is due to the greater care exercised in the making up and the style of the goods. More pains are taken to make up the clothing in good style, and in such varieties of shapes and sizes, that it is rarely that a man cannot be fitted, and where alteration is necessary it is no more than a custom-made suit usually needs. A man may decide some morning that his cutaway is a little shabby, and, as he may be going out that evening, he requires something better. It is only necessary to visit one of the clothing houses in New York city to find just what he wants, at almost any price, try it on, and have it sent home during the day; any necessary alteration is made in the course of a few hours, and he can comfortably pass the evening, confident that his appearance is all that can be desired.

The cost and profits of the business make interesting reading. The fancy suit, everything except plain black, which retails for $15, is sold at wholesale for about $11. In small towns and out-of-the-way places, the retailer puts the price at whatever he thinks he can get, but in the larger places the profits are practically the same in the reliable stores. In addition there is a discount of from 7 to 8 per cent. allowed by the wholesale dealer, which the retailer seldom fails to take advantage of.

The manufacturer's profit is, as a rule, about 15 per cent. It requires three and a fourth yards of cloth for a suit, which, at $1.50 per yard, makes the cost of the cloth $4.87½. The cutters are paid on an average $20 a week, and it is estimated that the cutting of a sack suit costs the manufacturer 35 cents. For making up the suit they pay $1 for the coat and 50 cents each for trousers and vest—$2 for the suit. The linings, buttons, canvas, padding, silk, stay-tape, &c., cost about $1.50 more. These items cannot be figured exactly, as they vary with different suits, being much cheaper for black clothes. The manufacturers purchase black buttons, linings, &c., in large quantities, and get them proportionately cheaper, whereas, for brown, gray, or other fancy suits, the buttons and trimmings must match the cloth, and the great variety of shades necessarily limits the quantity purchased. This makes the suit that the manufacturer sells for $11 cost him about $8.72½, and leaves him a profit of $2.27½, not including the discounts allowed to the retail merchant.

POSITION OF FRENCH WIVES.

It is Dignified and that of a Comrade and Loyal Helpmate.

French women have a loyal champion in Mrs. Crawford, the brilliant and well-known journalist, who, having lived amongst them for a period extending over thirty years, should know something about their characteristics. To quote her own words in speaking of French women: "They occupy a very dignified position, and the wife is more the comrade of her husband than in England. In the higher circles she makes his social position by her grace and tact, and if she has special culture and aptitude she forms a salon, and becomes a great power. In business the wife is frequently the dominant partner; she studies the markets, secures customers and invests the money." Mrs. Crawford very poignantly remarks that "although the influence of women upon politics is more indirect than it is in England, since they do not come on to the political platform, yet, as the first Napoleon discovered, they direct men how to act.

Sight Said to be Restored by Prayer.

The story comes from Anderson, Ind: The Rev. Charles Morton, the evangelist, who has been totally blind as the result of a fall, was divinely healed. Dr. G. N. Eldridge, pastor of the M. E. Church, and wife, and Mr. Morton spent one entire day in fasting and prayer. Late in the evening they were joined by Mmes. Andrew and Finnegan and T. N. Stillwell, and all united in prayer. After reading the following passages in the Bible, James v., 14th, 15th, and 16th verses; I John v. 14th and 15th verses; Mark xi., 24, Dr. Eldridge annointed Mr. Morton with oil, and then, with silent prayer, the healing was claimed and the miracle wrought. Mr. Morton appeared in the M. E. Church that night and told the story of his healing. The event created intense emotion, and crowds lingered in the church until a late hour.

She Mistook Him.

It is not every great man who carries his honors as meekly as the Mayor of Inverness, who rebuked an admiring crowd in the words: "Fr'ens, I'm just a mortal man like yersels." Sir Wilfred Lawson tells the following story: "A woman was once pursuing her fugative cow down a lane, when she called out to some one in front: 'Man, turn my cow.' The man took no notice and allowed the cow to pass. When she came up she said: 'Man, why did you not turn my cow?' He replied: 'Woman, I am not a man; I am a magistrate.'"—Household Words.

Minnie—"I want to introduce you to a young lady—a very nice young lady—and she's worth her weight in gold." Bob—"Stout girl, I hope."

The softest shades of tan are correct for gloves now that we have so much color in our gowns.

Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.
Plainfield, N. J., June 21st, 1897.

AN ORDINANCE

to amend an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance Relating to the City Treasurer and the Payment of City Moneys," approved February 8th, 1893.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That Section 8 of the ordinance entitled as aforesaid be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 8. The check or draft shall be in the first instance attached to the claim and shall be substantially in the following form:

No.— The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield,

To.....Dr. Address.....

Amount of bill rendered..... $

The above has been duly approved for payment

.....President of Council, ...Mayor.

Received ..... of the Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield ..... Dollars in full for the above account.

$.....

This receipt must be dated and signed by the party in whose favor this voucher is made out.

The ..... National Bank will pay this voucher when duly receipted.

..... City Treasurer

The words "The ..... National Bank will pay this voucher when duly receipted," shall be printed across the end of the said check or draft, and spaces all be left below for the signature of the City Treasurer. Upon the said check or draft being properly signed by all the requisite officers of the City, the same shall be detached from the claim, and upon being duly receipted by the claiment, payment may be made, and upon the said check or draft being returned to the City Treasurer, the same shall be attached to the original claim. All checks, drafts or receipts shall be filed by the City Treasurer regularly numbered, and a detailed record of each kept by him. The City Treasurer shall also require proper receipts for all other checks or drafts issued by him and shall file the same in regular order, and safely preserve as vouchers all such receipts as well as the claims and checks or drafts hereinabove first referred to, subject to the orders of the Common Council.

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between Harry S. Potter and Frank R. Kellogg, both of the Township of Raritan, County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey, under the firm of Potter & Kellogg, retail coal dealers, doing business in the City of Plainfield, County of Union and State of New Jersey, was dissolved on the seventh day of June, 1897. Harry S. Potter is authorized to settle all debts due to and by the firm.

Dated June 7th, A. D. 1897. 6 8 4 oaw-tu

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Rushton, Hansen & Luthman is this day dissolved. Rushton & Hansen will continue the business and pay all debts owing by the old firm and receive all bills due.

ROBERT H. RUSHTON,
JAMES C. HANSEN,
ALFRED LUTHMAN.

Plainfield, N. J., June 12, 1897. 6 15 6 oaw tu

Safe Deposit Vaults

THE FIRST NATIONAL BNAK

Of Plainfield, New Jersey

Capital..... $200,000.
Surplus and Profits ..... $90,000.

J. W. JOHNSON, Pres. F. S. RUNYON, Cashier.
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W. Johnson. Wm. B. Codington
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SAFE DEPOSIT VAULTS.

Boxes to Rent from $5 and upwards per annum.

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Families accomodated for the fall and winter months at greatly reduced prices.

The house contains all modern improvements lighted by Gas and electricity. Sanitary arrangements perfect. Cuisene unsurpassed

GEO. B. DE REVERE.

We handle all good kinds of

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at prices to suit the times. The best tea and coffee in the world ought not to be any too good for you, especially when you can buy it at the right price. Our teas and coffees are the best, and being so, are most healthful and most satisfactory in every way. Good goods and honorable dealing are elements counted in buisiness.

Grand Union Tea Co.,
138 WEST FRONT ST.
Headquarters. 79, 81 & 83 Front St., New York City. PLAINFIELD, N. J.

I have a full assortment of

UNEXCELLED FIRE WORKS,

also a complete line of firecrackers, torpedoes, blank cartridges, pistols, revolvers, caps, balloons, flags, lanterns, cannons, etc. All this years goods and of the very best quality.

HARPER, The Stationer,
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VARIETY MARKET.

Meats, fruits, vegetables, poultry, eggs, etc. Goods delivered to any part of the city free of charge.

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Your Valuables

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Lock boxes from $3.50 to $10 a year.

—NEW YORK—

& Elizabeth Despatch

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161 North Ave.

Goods forwarded by direct line to all parts of the world.

Hoagland's Express.

Furniture and Pianos removed, Freight Baggage, Trunks and general cartage.

161 NORTH AVENUE.

TELEPHONE NO. 121. 5 21 tf

PLAINFIELD
ICE and COLD STORAGE CO.,
wholesale and retail dealers in
Lake Hopatcong Ice.
Office, 153 North Avenue.
TELEPHONE 41.
The Serving of Private Families a Specialty. 6 4 2mo

E. D. BARRETT,
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Sole Agent for the
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STEAM and HOT WATER
SANITARY PLUMBING
TELEPHONE 212 A.

A. H. ENANDER,
Sanitary Plumbing,
Gas Fitting, Steam and Hot Water Heating.
Contractor for sewer connections.
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Dealer in
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Yard—No. 208 Madison avenue. Office for coal orders with Woolston & Buckle, 145 North ave.
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Dealers in all the best kinds of cleaned and well-screened Lehigh Valley.
COAL.
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The Plainfield Confectionery,
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Candies from 10, 15 and 20 cents per lb. up. The very best goods. Made daily on the premises. Formerly known as the New York and Philadelphia Confectionery Comp'y. 9 9 1y

J. C. Pope & Co.,
INSURANCE AGENTS,
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Plainfield, N. J.

J. W. VanSickle,
FRESH AND SALTED MEATS.
Game in season. No. 122 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J. Telephone 148b. Orders called for and delivered promptly. Philadelphia Scrapple.

FRANK DAY,
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(Near Park Avenue)
Livery and boarding stable in all its branches all kinds of turnouts night or day at short notice. Horses boarded by day, week or month. Telephone No. 152. 9 10 t

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Pool and Shuffle Boards
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12 22 1y Manager.

A large assortment of choice blooming plants, Hydrangeas, Azaleas, Rose Bushes, Hyacinths, Palms and Ferns. Church and house decorations. Floral design Work for receptions, weddings and funerals a specialty. Sends out nothing but the best. The largest assortment of cut flowers in the city, fresh every day.

A. E. LINCOLN
1226 PARK AVENUE. 11 15 3m

TOUR TO NOVA SCOTIA.

A first-of-September vacation tour to Boston St. John, Halifax and Newport, September 2, for 10 days. Address for circular,

HONEYMAN'S PRIVATE TOURS.
Plainfield.

Edwin B. Maynard,
Hair Cutting and Shampooing.
Tonsorial parlor, 204 Park ave., Plainfield. Ladies' shampooing and children's hair cuttings specialty.

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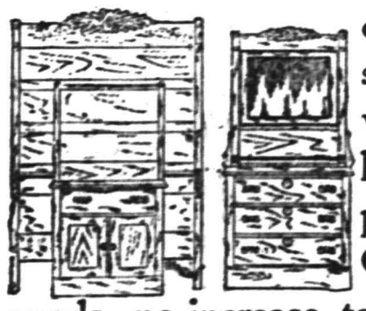
A Mattress and Woven Wire Spring Free to Every Buyer

of Bedroom Suits for one week—our enormous bedroom suit stock is new in every way—all woods—best known makes—and prices below compare. Old prices remain on goods—no increase to "make up" cost to us—our word on it.



Carpets and mattings at prices that make buying easy—mattings, $4 roll—and up to $16. None but '97 importations. Carpets, Ingrains, 27c. yd.; Brussels, 55c. yd.; Velvets, 77c. yd.; and hosts of others.

Nothing Ever Like It!

Parlor suits—about 15 of them—patterns we'll not carry any longer—have to go—we've marked them less than cost to us—you'll admit the value once they're seen!

A $20.00 Brocatelle Suit, new frame, for $15.00.
A $35.00 Plush Suit for $25.00.
A $50.00 Silk Brocatelle Suit for $40.00.
A $75.00 Overstuffed Suit, very late in design, for $50.00.
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A $125.00 Suit of Silk Tapestry for $90.00.

Refrigerators in Hardwood $4.85
—Then we have others at $2.85—we can't see how this stock can be bettered—it's perfect.

Baby Carriages for $3.50 and up as high as right pricing should go—no higher.

"Insurance" '97.

The Insurance Gasolene Stove
—we are the only house selling the new model—have sole agency—carry full line. Without exception, the "insurance" is a marvel—explosion absolutely impossible—if you'll step in, we'll show how it's operated—and why it's safe.

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Goods delivered free to any part of State. NEWARK, N. J.
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TRY OUR NEW ENGLAND AND HOME MADE BREAD.
VIENNA BREAD A SPECIALTY.
Charlotte de Russe, Cream Puffs, Chocolate Eclair, all kinds of Pastry and Cakes, FRESH EVERY DAY.
Delivery to any part of the City or Borough at any time.

E. C. MULFORD, BROKER.
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Bargains in REAL ESTATE, for sale or to let. MONEY to loan on first mortgage. FIRE INSURANCE—North America, of Philadelphia, Phœnix, of London, London and Lancashire of Liverpool, Queen of America. LIFE INSURANCE—New York Life.

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Halibut. Cod. Blue. Weak. Butter. Spanish Mackerel. Fresh Mackerel. Striped Bass. Porgies. Flounders. Eels.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

WE manufacture our own goods; we save the wholesale man's profit. We give that to you.

Our Trousers at $1.45 are worth every cent of $3.00 and those at $2.45 cannot be equalled for the money.

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The Smith Premier Typewriter. "Improvement the Order of the Age."

Best Value Writing Machine.

First in Improvements, Honest Construction and all High-grade Typewriter Essentials.

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6 19 2m

Central Railroad of New Jersey.
Anthracite Coal Used Exclusively, Insuring Cleanliness and Comfort.

Station in New York foot of Liberty Street
Time Table in Effect JUNE 27th, 1897.

PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 28, 7 30, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 38, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 03, 4 25, 5 04, 5 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28, p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16, a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 22, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 am; 12 m., (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00 except Saturdays) 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30, 11 45, p. m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 57, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8 00, 8 28, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, am; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 50, 8 20, 9 03, 10 05, a. m; 1 15, 1 35, 2 25, 3 30, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 6 40, 7 19, 7 15, 7 30, 8 40 85, 9 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 15, 9 05, 9 30, 1 00 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 10.

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m 1 01, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 05, 5 36, 5 36, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 7 38, 7 12, 7 36, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a m; 2 05, 3 39, 5 09, 6 30, 10 15, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 38, 7 45, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 2 35, 4 35, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 1 01, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 9 40, 10 a m; 2 05, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 32 a. m; 6 30, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 7 10, 9 54 a m; 2 11, 5 08, 6 35 p. m. Sundays, 8 06 a. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

8 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

8 15 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

3 11 p.m.—High Bridge Branch for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

4 08 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

9 06 a. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton.

3 05 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

FOR LONG BRANCH, OCEAN GROVE, ETC.

Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m. 1 15, 2 07, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 8 52 a. m.; 12 28, 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 8 07, 8 13, 10 27, a. m 1 15, 2 07, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 08, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 12 28, 3 30 p. m.

For Boyton Beach, 8 13, 10 27 a m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 7 08 p. m. Sunday, 8 25 a. m.; 12 28 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 32 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 36*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 37* night. Sundays—5 17, 5 45, 9 55 10 44 a. m., 1 35, 4 55, 5 09* 6 45 p. m. 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, a. m., 12 46, 2 17, 4 30, 5 36*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m., 2 26, 4 51, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m., 2 17, 5 36* 6 45 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 10 44 a. m., 5 09*, 6 45, p. m., 1 17 night.

For Buffalo, Chicago and all points West, week-days at 9 54 a. m., 8 21 p. m. Sunday 6 35 p. m.

Plainfield passengers by trains marked (*) change cars at Bound Brook.

Through tickets to all points at lowest rates may be had on application in advance to the ticket agent at the station.

J. H. OLHAUSEN,
General Superintendent.
H. P. BALDWIN,
General Passenger Agent.

LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD.

In effect June 13, 1897.

LEAVE SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

WESTWARD.

7 44 a. m. and 1 44 p. m. Daily (Sundays 80 1) Local for Mauch Chunk.

9 10 a. m. Daily express for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Chicago, and principal intermediate stations.

10 07 a. m. 3 34, 5 22, 7 32 p. m. daily except Sunday, (Sundays 11 39 a.m.) Local for Bound Brook.

11 54 a. m. Daily except Sunday. Local for Mauch Chunk.

12 52 p. m. daily except Sunday. "BLACK DIAMOND EXPRESS" for Rochester and Buffalo.

2 34 and 4 58 p. m. daily except Sunday, express for Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Pottsville, Hazleton, Shamokin, and principal intermediate stations.

6 25 p. m. daily. Local for Easton.

7 10 p. m., daily except Sunday, for Slatington and principal intermediate stations.

7 52 and 9 58 p. m. daily, solid vestibule express for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Chicago, and principal intermediate stations.

9 32 p. m. daily except Sunday. Fast line for Buffalo.

2 15 p.m. Sundays, local for L. & B. Junction.

EASTWARD.

For New York and Brooklyn-Local-6 47, 7 15, 7 43, 9 40, a. m. 2 29, 4 45 and 7 10 p. m. Sunday 7 55 9 03 a. m., 2 21, 7 10 p. m. Express—7 25, 8 27, 10 02 a. m. 12 13, 2 17, 5 11, 7 07 and 9 06 p. m. Sundays—7 25 a. m. and 7 07 p. m.

For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 7 45, 7 50, 10 05 a. m. 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. m. Sunday 8 00, 9 00 local a. m. 2 20 and 7 10 p. m.

For Metuchen only 6 25 p. m. except Sunday

For further information consult Ticket Agent.

ROLLIN H. WILBUR,
General Superintendent.
S. Bethlehem, Pa.
CHAS. S. LEE,
General Passenger Agent.
Philadelphia, Pa.
A. W. NONNEMACHER,
Ass't General Passenger Agt
South Bethlehem, Pa.

NEW YORK TERMINALS—Foot of Cortlandt Desbrosses and 23d streets.

Arrival and Departure of Mails.

NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:30 a. m., 2:30, 5, 5:30 p.m. Close—7:20, 9:20 a. m., 1:30, 5:00 and 7:30 p.m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:15 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA.—Direct

Arrive—8:40, 11:30 a. m.; 1:00 and 2:30 p. m.
Close—7:20, 9:20 a. m.; 12:15 and 5:00 p. m.
Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.

Delicate Dress Goods.

Some gowns are so dainty in the weave, so delicate in tint, that they seem to soil by being looked at—one or two wearings making them unpresentable, NOT USELESS. We make a specialty of cleaning fine fabrics, the more delicate the material, the better the results. Sometimes an accident will ruin a gown, without injuring the texture We dye them then, sometimes we get a prettier effect than the original color. Fine goods stand redyeing. The finer the material the better the new color. We charge so little for cleaning or dyeing, that even if you are in doubt as to the result, it's worth while to experiment. Want a new evening gown for a dollar or two? Laundry drives will receive your work.

Hillier & Co.,
79 North ave., Plainfield.
Telephone 30M

A Moving Spectacle
is to observe the interior of our great store. Wall paper is being moved in and out and even the visitor is moved by the superb excellence of our varied stock.

Marsh, Ayers & Co.,
Wall Paper, Paints, Oils, Glass, etc.,
201 Park avenue, corner Second street.
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STAGES
For Parties, etc., 518 Park ave.

A. LUSARDI,
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Wholesale and Retail
Dealer in choice fruit of all kinds of Confectionery, Peanuts, Cigars, etc. Soda Water of all flavors and always ice cold. Branch store corner Front and Somerset streets

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C. V. D. CORLE, - - - - - - Proprietor
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Livery, Boarding and Sale Stables.
Horses boarded by the day, week, month or hour. Reasonable prices. 11 17 1y
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Mason and Builder
Plainfield, N. J.
Residence, 18 Elm Place.
Estimates cheerfully given.
Jobbing promptly attended to.

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Office 209 North avenue. All orders will receive prompt attention. Yard—At Mt. Pleasant, Lehigh Valley Railroad. 10 20 1y

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PAINTERS
AND PAPER HANGERS,
Office and shop Sycamore and 4th sts.
Interior decorating a specialty. Our motto—first-class work. Estimates cheerfully given. Orders promptly attended to. 2 11 tf

PLAINFIELD COUNCIL,
No. 711, Royal Arcanum.
The regular meetings of this Council are held on the second and fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p.m.
M. L. Bullock, Regent.
Frederick C. Pope, Secretary.

McCullough's STEAM MILL,
21 Steiner place, North Plainfield.
R. H. McCullough, Prop.
Sash, blinds, doors, mouldings, scroll sawing, turning, &c. Estimates cheerfully furnished.

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121 Park ave.,
Manufacturer of the Celebrated
C. O. D. CIGAR
The best 5c cigar in the State, and made on the premises from the finest Havana. Clear Havana cigars a specialty. A large assort-

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In Three Weeks.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK
OF
MEN'S, BOYS' and CHILDREN'S CLOTHING,

and Men's furnishing goods must positively be sold by July 1st; not a dollar's worth do we want on our hands, and in order to dispose of so large a stock we will cut the prices down so low that you can come to our large store and buy a whole suit for what other stores will ask you for a single pair of pants. Don't buy a dollar's worth of clothing until you see our stock and prices. Every garment will be marked down in plain figures, and there should be no mistake of your getting the right price and the right goods. Remember that we sold over 45,000 dollars worth of clothing in Plainfield in one year. Ask anyone and everybody who ever bought of us and they will tell you that we give 3 times as many goods for the same amount that any other store in Plainfield will give you, in order to prove what we say. We will give you

A FEW PRICES

Men's all wool royal blue serge suits, worth $12, at selling out price, $4.50; men's best all wool blue serge suit, worth $16, at selling out price, $5.90; men's fine gray clay serge, all-wool suit, worth $13.50, at selling out price, $5; fine men's gray or dark brown clay diagonal suit, worth $16, selling out price $6.25. No other store in Plainfield will sell the same suit for less than $18. A very fine business suit in all-wool worsted or cassimeres, worth $10, at $4.25; fine men's working suit, worth $8, at $2.50. This suit is all wool and warranted not to fade. Extra fine all-wool silk or satin lined clay diagonal all-wool suit in frocks, worth $20, at $8.25; a very fine English silk-mixed suit, worth not less than $22, at $6.90; over 500 suits in fancy cheviots and overplaids, dark or light colors, that we are selling at $2, $3, $3.50 and $4.50. Every one of them are worth from $8 to $15 of any man's money. Don't wait one minute, but come at once, as you never will have the chance again. Youths' suits in all-wool clay diagonal sacks, worth $10, at $4.50: young men's plaid suits, all wool, worth $8, at $2.90; boy's long pants suit at $2; children's suits, latest style plaids in brown and light colors at $1, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75, worth from $2 to $5; men's fine summer underwear at 15c; men's bicycle suits, $1.75, $2, $2.50 and $3.50, worth from $4 to $10; men's bicycle pants from 35c up. Be on hand early and avoid the rush. Over 2,000 suits to choose from. Durable men's pants at 75c; fine Sunday pants at 95c, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75; every pair of them all wool and they are worth from $2.50 to $6. This closing out sale commences Saturday, June 12, at 7:30 a. m.

Car Fare Paid to All Buyers of Clothing.

NEW YORK CLOTHING CO.,
214 W. Front St., Plainfield, N. J.
M. WEINBERGER.
Next door to Music Hall

STRAW HATS FROM 3c to $3.00.
UP-TO-DATE **FURNISHINGS.**
CRANE & CLARK
Leading Hatters, 120 West Front street.

Special Notice.

We have just received word that Messrs. Woolston & Buckle, owners of our building, that they commence to rebuild, and we must close our sale in 12 days.

Balance of Stock on Hand
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DASHED TO DEATH.

Two Men Killed and Another Wounded by a Falling Derrick.

Atlanta, June 29.—A derrick on the roof of a new building fell, knocking three workmen from a scaffold on the ninth story. Two of them were dashed to instant death on the ground, 125 feet below, and the third was saved in a miraculous way.

The killed are: Palmotto Ayres, colored, aged 40, living at Austell; Charles Kargill, colored, aged 35, of this city. W. M. Brown, white, carpenter, was cut about the head and arms.

The men were standing on a platform which skirts the edge of the ninth floor when the derrick fell, the part of the scaffolding upon which they stood was swept away, and the men were thrown into space. Brown grasped one of the derrick ropes as he shot through the air. As the boom of the hoisting engine fell, the ropes on the tackle were set in motion, one going up and the other going down. It was Brown's good fortune to catch the rope being drawn upward, and he was hauled safely to the roof. To another boom of the derrick projecting out on the other side of the building was attached a car, in which four men were standing. This boom likewise fell, but was held up by the roof. The car was dashed over the side of the building and swung there in safety. The men were shoved through a window, none of them being injured.

DEADWOOD BANK ROBBED.

Four Masked Men Take All the Money In Sight and Escape.

Deadwood, S. D., June 29.—Four masked men have robbed the Butte County bank at Bellefourche. Entering the bank with revolvers drawn, they ordered the customers present and bank officials to hold up their hands. A little hesitation on the part of Cashier Marble drew a shot from the gun of one of the robbers which clipped off a large portion of the cashier's right ear and forced compliance with the demand. The safe and counters were relieved of the cash they contained, and the robbers, mounting their horses, which had been conveniently stationed, rode away.

An alarm was immediately given, and in a few minutes a well mounted and armed posse was in pursuit of the robbers. A few miles from town the posse came up with the fugitives, and a running fight ensued, which resulted in one of the robbers surrendering. The others, being better mounted, continued their flight, but are being closely pursued and have very few chances of escape.

The day was favorable for a raid on the bank, as the weather was such that it kept the townspeople off the street, and the robbers, having little opposition, had quite a start before the alarm could be given.

A QUEER SHOOTING SCRAPE.

Instead of Hitting Burglars the Town Marshal Wounds a Neighbor.

Cleveland, June 29.—A most extraordinary shooting affray occurred in Lakewood. For some time past Mrs. Mary Obermiller has been troubled with burglars. Two of her neighbors, Edward Ratcliffe and William Beneke, suggested to her that she obtain a tin horn and blow it when the burglars came again. She blew the horn yesterday morning.

Ratcliffe and Beneke jumped out of bed and started for the house. Mrs. Obermiller was very much excited and shot off a revolver. Ratcliffe and Beneke shot off theirs and made such a racket that they awakened the town marshal, who came running to the scene with a shotgun loaded with buckshot.

He emptied the contents of the gun into Ratcliffe. The burglars existed merely in the imagination of Mrs. Obermiller. Thirteen buckshot were extracted from Ratcliffe's thigh. He will live.

PRISONERS RETURNED.

Two Counterfeiters Who Broke Jail Gave Themselves Up Again.

Canton, N. Y., June 29.—George Flint and Henry Mashaw, who were held here for the United States grand jury on a charge of counterfeiting and who broke jail on Thursday night last, are back again in their cells. They were traced by the sheriff through letters they had received in jail from women.

After escaping they separated, but were located at Natural Dam and a search instituted. They were not found by officers, but Flint returned to jail, and Mashaw followed his example. The sheriff refuses to give any details and merely states that the men were not regularly rearrested. Mashaw and Flint say they made their escape by loosening the bolt of their cell lock and using a wooden key in the other doors. This is not according to the sheriff's story.

The Paris Bomb a Fake.

Paris, June 29.—An iron quart pot, supposed to be filled with an explosive powder, has been found near the Strasburg statue on the Place de la Concorde. The theory at first was that this was another attempt on the part of the anarchists to cause an explosion at that spot, but subsequent investigation showed that the whole thing was a hoax, for the supposed bomb was merely a pot filled with sand.

Prominent Physician Indicted.

St. Louis, June 29.—Dr. Richard L. Metcalfe, a venerable and wealthy physician of this city, has been indicted by the grand jury for assult with intent to kill. He gave himself up. Willie Smith, the youthful victim of the doctor, was shot and wounded in the shoulder while trespassing on the latter's property. For some time he was in a precarious condition, but is now recovering.

Cotton Mills Closed.

Lowell, Mass., June 29.—The Massachusetts Cotton mills have been closed and will not be reopened until July 12. The mills employ 1,900 hands. The shutdown was decided upon because of the low price at which goods are selling and the poor demand.

Strike of Pilots at an End.

Quebec, June 29.—Louis Belisle, secretary of the Pilots' association of the river St. Lawrence, announces that the strike is at an end and that the pilots will go to work again. Many of them will not be employed again, however.

Church Falls In Spain.

Madrid, June 29.—Nine children have been killed and many others injured by the collapse of a church wall at Solana in the province of Ciudad Real.

A TARIFF COMPLAINT

A Prominent Argentine Republic Citizen Makes a Protest.

SAYS THEY ARE UNFAIRLY TREATED.

Shows How England and European Countries Allow Argentine Goods to Be Admitted Free—Says Our Trade Will Be Greatly Injured.

Cincinnati, June 29.—The most significant feature of the tour of the pan-American commercial men thus far was the expression on the tariff question made by one of the foreigners. The speaker was Carlos Lix Klett of the Argentine Republic, editor of the most prominent newspaper in his country and a specialist in wool, hides and skins. The place where he voiced his views was the chamber of commerce. What he said follows in part:

"The United States have never had a better opportunity to extend their commercial relations than this one offered by the Philadelphia museums in assembling noted business men of Latin America, as my colleagues are. I am perfectly sure that all of the delegates are inspired with the best wishes in regard to closer relations with the United States, and I should feel very glad if the Argentine Republic should find herself in the same position, but unfortunately our visit to the United States and our good will are put aside by the tariff bill that is now passing in your congress, and whose result will render difficult the realization of closer commercial relations with Latin America.

"The two principal products that we export to the United States are wool and hides. We have over 1,000,000 sheep, which produce every year about 250,000,000 kilos of wool, and this article has always been imported into the United States free of duty the same as we import free of duty your machinery and your petroleum.

"But now the new tariff bill has imposed a prohibitive tax upon our wool. We have been exporting to your country our hides during the past 25 years free of duty, but now you have taxed them with 1½ cents per pound. You may consider how much this duty will affect our trade when you think that we have over 22,000,000 of oxen.

Treated In an Unfriendly Manner.

"We have been treated in an unfriendly manner, and at the same time you submit to us the idea of a reciprocity treaty. I am very sorry to say that under the circumstances the statesmen of the Argentine Republic will not accept any kind of treaties, not only for certain reasons that you can easily understand, but because our products are exported free of duty to England, France, Germany, Belgium and Italy, and we receive from Europe all the goods we require, all the capital that we need for our commercial development and all the immigration necessary to populate our extended territory.

"As we find no compensation or any reason to tie ourselves to the United States under the present circumstances, we think that, taking into consideration the protectionist doctrine of this country, we have nothing to do but to use the same principle in our own defense and impose prohibitive duties upon all the American goods that may be imported into Argentine Republic.

"We regret very much to take such action, but we will be compelled to do so, and it is convenient to note that Europe is trying by all means to hold the Latin-American markets and is sending to all of the republics to study the resources, the commerce and the financial state of each.

"I think I am right when I call your attention to the opportunity that is offered to you to control the markets of Latin-America, which offer a most extensive field for the consumption of your manufactured products. All you have to do is to put to one side the obstacles that I have noted, so that the way will be completely open, and the commercial relations with the country of Washington can be easily extended."

Race Trouble Ended.

Key West, June 29.—Quiet prevails here, and the trouble between the blacks and whites over Johnson, the alleged assailant of Mrs. Atwell, is believed to be at an end. The local papers are censuring county officials because they have not arrested the leaders of the negro mob and are urging the county commissioners to offer a reward of $1,000 for the apprehension of Gardner's murderer. A special session of the circuit court will be held next month to try the negro Johnson.

Big Mortgage Filed.

Buffalo, June 29.—A mortgage for $2,000,000, given by the Cataract Power and Conduit company on its property and effects to the Metropolitan Trust company of New York, has been filed with the county clerk. The mortgage is to bear interest at 5 per cent, payable semiannually, and is to become due and payable in the gold coin of the United States not more than 30 years from date. The company will secure the mortgage by issuing 2,000 bonds of $1,000 each.

Damage by a Windstorm.

Macon, Ga., June 29.—A wind and rain storm, which struck Cordele, Ga., blew down a Methodist church and the steeple off another church, prostrated telegraph wires and blew down trees and many fences. There is also much damage to crops in the path of the storm. Advices from Carrollton report much damage to crops. Several people were badly hurt, but no one was killed.

A New York Lawyer Contributes.

Staunton, Va., June 29.—James C. Carter, a New York lawyer, has contributed $5,000 to the Randolph Tucker Memorial hall, to be erected at Washington and Lee university, Lexington, Va., at a cost of $50,000, for the accommodation of the law school.

Iron Works Resume.

Reading, Pa., June 29.—After being idle for some weeks the tube department and the sheet mill of the Reading iron works have resumed operations. The former gives employment to over 900 hands, while 250 will be given work at the sheet mill.

Guns Shipped to Sandy Hook.

Bethlehem, Pa., June 29.—Four breech loading mortars have been shipped to Sandy Hook by the Bethlehem Iron

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 4:31 a. m.
Sun Sets: 7:35 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 8:35 p. m.

GOSSIP OF THE CYCLERS.

TEMS INTERESTING TO DEVOTEES OF THE STEEL STEEDS.

The Popular Exercise Provides Incidents and Expressions That are of Especial Moment When Wheeling is the Rage.

William Schaffer was out on his tandem Sunday and became all tangled up in a piece of barbed wire fence. Both tires were badly cut by the spikes on the wire.

There was a big crowd of wheelmen at the Crescent Oval Sunday afternoon, and there were a number of little spurts between some of the fast men. One trifling accident occurred during the afternoon.

There is a movement on foot among a number of the young men of this city, who are enthusiastic cyclers and not yet members of the L. A. W., to join that organization at once. Applications blanks and further information may be obtained at this office.

AMONG THE STEPPERS.

Henry Gynette has shipped his trotters, "Dyra" and "Daisy M." to Binghamton, N. Y., to take part in the trotting matches there.

W. L. Smalley, Jr., of Somerset street, has sold his pacing mare "Belle" to former Judge W. A. Coddington, of the law firm of Reed & Coddington.

WITH ROD AND GUN.

John Goff, of West Third street, and Prof. Eugene O'Reilly took a fishing trip to Atlantic Highlands last Saturday and returned with a fine catch.

SUIT FOR SLANDER.

It Will Come Up For Trial In Elizabeth, Thursday.

The series of robberies in the West End are still fresh in the memories of the inhabitants of that district. They will also remember the rumors that spread about there which implicated a man named Neal, living on Clinton avenue. He accused Mrs. Annie Sherman of starting the rumors and sued her for slander. The case has been adjourned a number of times, but will come up for trial on Thursday before the district court at Elizabeth.

It was said that Mrs. Sherman positively stated that she saw Neal in her home one night, robbing or starting to rob her bureau. A number of subpœnas have been issued for prominent men in this city and the case promises to be a lively one. The plaintiff is represented by Prosecutor Fred C. Marsh and the defendent by City Judge DeMeza of this city.

A Suburb for Elizabeth.

Hon. John R. McPherson, former United States Senator from New Jersey, is now at Elizabeth looking after his landed interests at Colonial Park, a few miles this side of Elizabeth. It is planned to make Colonial Park a charming little suburb to the county seat, and with that object in view the promoters of the place are trying to persuade some of the Elizabeth people to build handsome residences there.

Traction Company at Work.

The New York and Philadelphia Traction Company will begin active operations in Bridgewater township, this week. G. D. W. Vroom, general solicitor for the company, has made application to Chief Justice Magie, of Somerville, for a rule to show cause why the return to the Schure certiorari should not be set aside. It will be argued on Saturday.

Health Authorities to Meet.

A very important meeting of the Board of Health will be held this evening, when some action regarding the city jail will be taken. It is quite likely that the rookery will be closed and the city obliged to seek other quarters.

Joint Action Expected.

It is understood that the Boards of Health of Plainfield and North Plainfield will hold a conference together so as to take joint action in regard to certain subjects.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Anna West, of Moorestown, is visiting her friend, Miss Shreve, of Grove street.

Miss Berry, of Rahway, is a guest at the home of Robert Dryden, of Watchung avenue.

The Misses Quinn, of Park avenue, have returned after a sojourn at Delaware Water Gap.

A. S Patterson, of Central avenue, sailed for Europe on the steamship, Lahn, on Tuesday.

Former County Clerk Wm. M. Oliver, of Union county, is seriously ill at his home in Elizabeth.

Miss Mellick, of New York, is the guest of Miss Sarah Schuyler, of LaGrande avenue.

F. O. Bristol and his two sons, Frank and Herbert, will start for the Boys' Camp on Lake Champlain, July 6th.

William F. Koch and Frank Koch, of Scranton, Pa., are visiting their uncle, William Trust, of East Front street.

Mrs. A. S Patterson, of Central avenue, is sojourning at Lake Minnewaska, Ulster county, New York, where she will spend the summer.

Wilbur F. Cornwell, of New York, returned home this morning after a visit with his friends, George Proctor Smith, of Crescent avenue, and Charles B. Morse, of Franklin place.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—All bills against the city must be at the office of the City Clerk by Wednesday evening.

—This evening, the monthly Christian Endeavor Consecration meeting will be held at Warren Chapel.

—Justice Newcorn has issued a summons in the case of Murphy against Smith, on contract. It is returnable July 6th.

—A summons was issued from Justice Newcorn's court today in the case of White against Baglin, on contract, returnable on July 8th.

—All contractors who desire to figure on the new building for East Third Street Mission should call on Charles H. Smith, architect, of Grove street.

—Justice Newcorn today issued summons in the contract cases of Hand against Levell. Hand against Finch, and Hand against Knight. All the cases will be tried July 6th.

—The case of McCarthy against Dorgan for the possession of premises was tried in Justice Newcorn's court yesterday afternoon and judgment was given in favor of the plaintiff.

Sterilized Milk For Sale.

Those who have feared contagion through milk need worry no longer for a dairy, at which sterilized milk is to be sold, will be opened on Thursday at 327 Watchung avenue. It will be opened under the name of the Watchung Dairy. B. Meyers, the wealthy proprietor of the Riverdale Farm, at Finderne, has started to sterilize milk and will sell it in this city at the place already mentioned. He will also sell cream, butter and eggs.

Bicycling Accident.

Miss Alice Thompson, a stenographer, employed in Assemblyman W. R. Codington's office, fell while mounting her bicycle at the corner of Park avenue and and Second street at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Her head struck upon the curb and she was unconscious for half an hour. She was carried upstairs to Mr. Codington's office and revived.

To the Shore.

A party of young women of the borough went to Boynton Beach, this morning, in a stage to spend the day. The party was gotten up by Miss Laura Emmons, of Jackson avenue, and Miss Nora Williams, of Somerset street, in honor of Miss Emmons' cousin, Miss Hettie Holman, of New Brunswick.

McMichael's Barns Burned.

A destructive fire, probably the work of incendiaries, occurred Sunday night at Bernardsville. The barns owned by Charles McMichael were burned and six horses, fifteen carriages, a sleigh, farming utensils and many tons of hay were destroyed. The loss will reach $5,000.

—A rehearsal of the Plainfield Mandolin Club was held at the home of Fred G. Smith, of Putnam avenue, last evening.

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That is the corner stone of the community. Each member is an equal stockholder in the association, and all share exactly alike. Every member is guaranteed employment by all. A day's labor is fixed at nine hours. Every member receives exactly the same compensation for his work, no matter what it is; if sick his pay goes on just the same.

There is no interference with individual tastes or private, religious or domestic affairs. The association owns all the land and means of production and distribution, and owns all buildings, but each member owns his own household furniture and clothing. Members have separate houses, but there is a common kitchen and dining hall. Some of the best laundry machinery has been put in. Schooling, medicine and medical attendance are furnished free, and there is a good school and kindergarten going, with twenty-five or thirty children.

The people in this little ideal world are nearly all Americans. There are a few Germans. They come from all over the Union, but there are few if any from the South. Ohio and Pennsylvania furnish the largest quota. Very few come from farms, and those who do have lived at least for a few years in cities, so that it can be said to be wholly a city community.

There is no church or minister in the place, and no official religious services. If any one wished to start religious services there would be no objection, but I doubt if it would be possible to get them officially recognized by the association. Some of the members are pronounced free thinkers. Almost all of them are bitter against church organizations as not doing their duty, but all of them admire Jesus Christ and many are deeply religious. The animating spirit of the colony is distinctively altruistic.

Imagine a community without police or sheriffs. Such a place is Ruskin. There are no officials save that one member is a notary public and another postmaster. There is no immorality, no thieving, no drunkenness. They do not keep or sell liquors.

The principal business of the community is the publishing of a socialistic weekly paper. This paper accepts no advertisements and prints no news, but it has an outside circulation of 35,000 copies, and on one occasion sold an edition of 100,000. They also publish a telegraphers' journal that has a considerable circulation, and issue yearly a number of books, chiefly on socialistic topics. The authors and editors are all members of the community, and receive for their literary labor precisely the same wages as woodchoppers and farmers and stablemen.

DISABLED SIXTY-FOUR WHEELS.

Malicious Person Sprinkled Tacks Where Bicycle Tires Would Suffer.

The bicycles of many wheelmen who rode into Woodbridge, Sunday, to visit Boynton Beach, were injured by the act of some malicious person who strewed the bicycle path near the beach with tacks, causing the puncturing of tires on sixty-four wheels.

The place where the damage was done is a narrow path running from the sidewalk to the smooth path for the wheelmen. The road at this point is very dusty, and the tracks could not be seen.

About 100 yards south of the place is a bicycle repairing shop, which has recently been opened.

Several of the wheelmen said they would report the matter to the L. A. W. committee.

Run Into by a Wheelman.

John Daly, of East Second street, is just recovering from a sprained wrist, that he received last week by a fall from his wheel in Brooklyn. He was run into by another wheelman and thrown against the wheels of a truck.

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THE WHEEL PARAMOUNT.

ITS SUCCESS AS USED BY ENDEAVORERS DEMONSTRATED.

The Christian Endeavor Bicycle Squad Will Go to Marconnier Tomorrow Night—Epworth Leaguers' Second Run Friday.

The second of the visitation runs of the cycling squad of the Local Union of Christian Endeavor Societies and the second of the bicycle sociables of the Epworth League of the First M. E. church are both to be held this week if the weather is propitious.

Tomorrow evening the Endeavorers will again try their novel scheme of visiting the outlying societies in the Union. This time the destination of the run will be Oak Tree and the Marconnier chapel. The ride is over some of the finest roads in New Jersey and those who did not go to Mount Pleasant on account of the rough roads need have no fear on this occasion.

Miss Ernestine Smith, who so successfully managed the first run, will again be in command, and Miss Elizabeth Allis will act in the capacity of color bearer. Miss Smith's lieutenants have not yet been formally selected and she will not make her choice until the night of the run when it is known who will be able to go. The repair squad will also be organized that evening but preparations for their outfit will be made beforehand. It is understood that a man well-versed in wheel repairing will fill the position of "bicycle-surgeon."

Miss Smith has announced her orders for the evening. The Endeavorers will assemble in front of the Seventh-day Baptist church at 7:15 o'clock tomorrow evening. The column will start promptly and proceed along West Fifth street to Park avenue, there turning to the right. Then the cyclers will enjoy a delightful spin along the smooth surface of Park avenue to Holly's Corners; there the procession will turn to the left along the charming road that leads to the front of the chapel. Provision has been made for the care of the wheels and they will be placed in security from dampness and bicycle thieves.

The Endeavor Society of the chapel changed the night of their meeting to suit the wishes of the cycling squad. A short service of prayer, praise and testimony will be held after the party arrives. Then the inner man will be remembered and the party will bid adieu to their hosts and return homeward. The distance to the chapel is three miles, over the best roads in Union county. There are no hills to encounter, going or coming, and the pace will be one that everybody will be able to keep without trouble.

The next attempt of the Epworth Leaguers to enjoy an evening on wheels will be held on Friday evening. The success of the first attempt won over every member that rides a wheel to be an enthusiastic supporter of that kind of sociables. The success of James A. Stafford in arranging and carrying out the bicycle sociable was marked. Mr. Stafford thought that everybody ought to have a hand in arranging these delightful affairs and refused to be reappointed as committee to take charge of the next one. Miss Madeline Day is a committee of one in charge of Friday's affair and it promises to be as successful as the first. Of course, the moon won't be out to guide the riders on their way, but the nights are comparatively light and the lamps will illuminate the road sufficiently for the most inexperienced rider of them all to navigate his machine safely and without trouble.

Mr. Stafford will act as one of Miss Day's lieutenants and the other will be Ray T. Snodgrass, who served so efficiently at the last one.

The party will gather in front of the First M. E. church at 7:30 o'clock and then ride in the direction of Springfield, at which place they hope to reach and make a short halt for refreshments. Then the party will return by the same road they went.

Poor Thing.

An imprisoned dog, in the 'stockade" back of the Schepflin block, makes the nights hideous with his frantic appeals for freedom. Unless his petitions are heeded, by those responsible for this disturber of the peace, the poor suffering canine will doubtless soon be relegated to the "Shades of Tartarus."

Music for Adirondack Guests.

Prof. P. Ludwig Conde and his orchestra left New York this morning on the New York Central express for Hotel Childwold, in the Adirondacks, where they will furnish daily concerts for the remainder of the season.

Fair Luck for Anglers.

Anglers report pretty fair luck all along the Jersey coast. In the upper section of the State bass and pickerel are said to be biting in a comparatively satisfactory manner.

BUSINESS COLLEGE OVER

CLOSING EXERCISES OF THE PLAINFIELD BUSINESS COLLEGE HELD.

A Class of Eight Received Their Graduation Diplomas—Addresses Given by Rev. C. E. Herring and S. S. Swackhamer.

The closing exercises of the Plainfield Business College, under the direction of Prof. A. A. Phelps, were held last evening in the rooms at the corner of Park avenue and Front street. Considering the excessive warm weather, the attendance was remarkably good and the programme presented was listened to with pleasure. After an opening prayer by Rev. C. E. Herring, the opening remarks were given by Prof. Phelps.

This was followed with an essay, "Electricity," by Albert V. V. Hibson, of Cranford, who is a student in the college. A reading by Miss Mary G. Morrison, of this city, also a student, was followed with the reading of the class history by Mrs. Roberts, wife of Prof. N. H. Roberts, of the commercial course. At this point Rev. C. E. Herring delivered a short address on "Honesty," in which he said many interesting and helpful things.

Alvah B. Davis, student, of this city, gave a reading, which preceded a stump speech by Garrett Kiely, who used the nom de plume of Hon. Perverse Peabody. An essay, "If," by Miss Ada B. Chandler, another student, was well given. This was followed with another address by Lawyer S. S. Swackhamer, who selected for his subject, "Life Work."

"The New Woman," was the subject of an essay delivered by Miss G. M. Vail, a student, of Dunellen. Miss Caroline M. Borrup, of Netherwood, also a student, gave an excellent reading.

In conclusion Prof. Phelps presented the graduates with diplomas as follows:—Commercial course, Miss Mabel B. Potter, Mount Pleasant; Miss M. E. Vail, Dunellen. Shorthand course, Miss Mary E. Miller, Delaware; Miss Cornelia Shearn, Raritan; Miss Bertha E. Needham, Miss Adelaide G Ball, North Plainfield; Charles A. Coriell, Jr., Dunellen; Miss Clara L. Williams, Plainfield.

This closes the second year of the college. During the first year there were sixty-five students and six graduated. This year there were seventy-eight students and eight graduated. The students attending the school have come from almost all of the nearby towns and one was in attendance from Delaware. They all speak very highly of Prof Phelps and his assistants, Prof W. K. Klugh, of the shorthand class, and Prof. N. H. Roberts, of the commercial course.

WILL THE TROLLEY GO?

EVERYTHING IS BEING PREPARED TO START WORK.

The Men and Tools Have Arrived and all Lacking are the Ties—Great Secrecy About the Movement.

From all appearances the work of building the extension of the trolley to Mountain Park Inn will be started this week and before a great while people will probably have the pleasure of riding up through Washingtonville to the top of the mountain.

Last evening a colony of Italians arrived in Plainfield and settled in quarters in North Plainfield. Just what time the work will be started has not yet been learned, but it is understood that it will be commenced on Friday or Saturday of this week. A delay is caused just at present for the reason that the ties have not yet arrived.

The necessary tools to be used have arrived and have been located on Hudson lane It is said that the line will run through the remaining portion of Somerset street to Washingtonville and from that point will make a circle around the mountain to the Mountain Park Inn, where the road will end.

If the above is true, and The Daily Press has every reason to believe that it is, it will prove a great boon to Washingtonville and Inn.

A Daily Press reporter made a number of attempts this morning to secure positive information from those interested in the building of the extension, but there seemed to be an air of secrecy about the affair.

The courts will close Friday, and will not reopen for several days, and the work will probably be started right after court adjourns. This will give the street railway company an opportunity to build their road in front of the property of owners who have objected to the trolley before an injunction could be secured.

—Best place to buy trunks, Doane & Edsall's.

L. H. VanBuren, of Central avenue, is improving from his severe illness and was able to sit up for the first last Sunday.

EVENTFUL FIVE YEARS.

ENDEAVORERS OF EAST THIRD STREET MISSION SUCCESSFUL.

Last Night They Celebrated the Fifth Anniversary of the Organization of Their Society—A New Building to Be Erected.

The fifth anniversary of the Christian Endeavor Society of the East Third Street mission was held in the mission last evening, at which time an appropriate programme was presented in honor of the event. The superintendent, L. W. Randolph, was in charge and announced the several numbers on the programme. Mr. Randolph conducted the opening exercises, consisting of Scripture reading and prayer.

Following this an address was made by Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph.D., pastor of Trinity Reformed church. He spoke on the "Three-Fold Meaning of Christian Endeavor, Evangelization, Enthusiasm and Energy." From each of the above sub-topics Mr. Schenck presented many strong and helpful lessons. His remarks were listened to with a great deal of pleasure by all in attendance. At the close a vote of thanks was extended to the speaker.

A vocal solo, by Miss Nancy Randolph, and a piano solo, by Miss Libby Joseph, were given. Just at this time there was an intermission and refreshments, consisting of cake and lemonade, were served in abundance. Following this there were vocal solos by Miss Lena Jomini, recitations by Miss Beulah Waters; charade, "Sunshine and Shade;" plantation songs, the Misses Freeman.

Those who served as waitresses were the Misses Kyle, Smith, Randolph, Thompson; Messrs. Hepburn and Waters.

During the past year there has been an increase in membership and interest, and the society is in good working condition. The members have accomplished much and they start the new year with bright prospects of doing a great deal more. With the prospects of having a new chapel they feel as though a great work is before them.

The attendance at the anniversary last evening showed conclusively that the society is awakening an interest among many friends of the mission and society.

SILVER WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. John Case Celebrated Their Twenty-fifth Wedding Anniversary.

A pleasing event of last evening was the celebration by Mr. and Mrs. John Case, of Greenbrook, of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary, which was held at their home. The grounds and house were beautifully illuminated with Chinese lanterns, and the effect was very pretty. The celebration was continued from the afternoon until late in the evening, and during that time a large number of guests called and extended congratulations to the bride and groom. Many expensive and useful presents were received from relatives and friends. Pleasing refreshments were served to the guests and the sociability of all was a marked feature of the happy event.

During the stated hours Prof. Naylor and his orchestra discoursed the latest selections.

Among those present were the following:

Mrs. S. Richardson, Mrs. T. J. Todd, Mrs. Henry Vail and daughters, Charles Tilton and family, Mrs George Vail, of Greenbrook; Mr. and Mrs. Weaver, of Raritan; Mrs. Mary Dean, of Flemington; Master Horace Vail, of Plainfield; Mrs. George Vail, of Greenbrook; Mr. and Mrs. Hague, of Clinton avenue; Mrs. John Stein, Fred Whyncoff and Stanley Emmons, of South Plainfield.

Sunday-School Teachers to Meet.

The New Jersey Sunday-school Teachers' Association will meet in conference in the Asbury Park Auditorium next week and, besides, conduct a "summer school of methods." First on the programme will be ten lessons in blackboard sketching by Miss Struble, of Trenton. This will be followed by ten lectures on 'Child Nature" by Miss Cushman, of Newark, and five conferences on practical classwork by Mrs. J. W. Barnes, of Newark. Four illustrative lessons will be given by Miss B. F. Vella, Miss I. H. Polhemus and others. A paper on "Separate Primary Lessons" will be read by Miss Julia E Peck The subject of primary music will also receive special attention.

The Town Clock is Silent.

The tongue of the old clock in the tower of the First M. E. church is paralyzed. A little skillful surgery on the part of the janitor might avail to set the "unruly member" wagging again. People miss its cheerful tones and are asking "What's the matter with the clock?"

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HEALTH OF THE CITY.

THE BOARD HELD AN IMPORTANT MEETING LAST NIGHT.

Ordinances Providing for the Licensing of Milk and Ice Dealers Considered Favorably—Inspector Addis' Report.

The recent scarlet fever scare and the campaign against the carters who have overstepped the powers of their license have both combined to attract attention to the actions of the Plainfield Board of Health. A rumor to the effect that the city jail was to be closed by action of the board at the meeting, last evening, was another cause of the unusual interest in the proceedings of the meeting. Despite all the rumors that flew about town, there was nothing definite decided upon by the board, although several interesting questions were discussed and favorably commented on.

Mayor Fisk has been taking a great interest in the work of the board and he has been of great assistance to the members in their efforts. He was present at the meeting, last evening, and was an interested listener.

A very interesting report was submitted by Inspector Addis, which was as follows:

To the Honorable, the Board of Health, city of Plainfield:

Gentlemen, I herewith submit my report for month ending June 29th, 1897:

No. houses under quarantine last report...	1
No. houses under quarantine during the month...	48
	49
No. houses relieved from quarantine during the month...	2
No. houses now under quarantine...	47
No. of persons in above houses with contagious diseases...	59
No. visits to h uses under quarantine...	337
No. inspections on complaint...	10
No. inspections, water test...	29
" peppermint tests...	7
" air tests...	3
" sewer connections...	71
" new plumbing systems complete...	10
No. house inspections as per daily memorandum...	56
Total...	573

I am pleased to say that the quarantines are being maintained, with one exception.

I have disinfected the following places and contents of rooms during the month:

K. Rottburg, 462 Orchard place; K. Rottburg, 505 W. Third street; James Melvin, Cottage place; M. Ettinger, Cottage place; Mrs. Waters, Third and Washington streets; Catholic School; Hon. Chas. J. Fisk Golf Clubhouse; Wm. Warnock, North avenue; Nelson B. Giles.

On June 19th, as per instructions of the president, I caused to be emptied into the city sewer all of the milk that I found at the Madison avenue milk depot, and supposed to be owned by Nelson B. Giles. Also one can of milk found at McVey's restaurant, and 15 qts. including sugar, at the Italians 124 W. Front street, was also emptied into the city sewer. Sunday morning, June 20, I found Mifford Giles with can of milk in his wagon; I learned that he had left one can at McVey's restaurant, which I caused to be emptied into the city sewer; also the can of milk which was in the wagon.

My reason for this was that I forbid him to handle any milk until such time as he had received permission from the board or inspector.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

W. ADDIS, Sr.,
Sanitary Inspector.

The recent epidemic has drawn the attention of the Board to the milkmen with unusual force. The investigation among the milkmen showed the necessity of some ordinance to govern their care for sanitary conditions. The report of George W. McGuire, dairy inspector for this part of the State, told of his personal visits to the milk depots in this city. The different places were mentioned and their equipment described. In a few of them, the conditions were such that the inspector stated that they must be cleaned at once or the proprietor ought not to be allowed to continue in business.

There was a general discussion regarding the necessary regulations for the furnishing of the milk supply of the city and there seemed to be a general sentiment in favor of the adoption of an ordinance similar to the one in Asbury Park.

The Asbury Park ordinance provides for one or more inspector to investigate the sources of milk supply, and the methods used in handling the milk before and after it reaches the city.

It also provides that no milk shall be brought into the city that has been adulterated, has been transported or stored in an unclean place or manner, or which has been produced from cows that are stabled in an unhealthy manner. Each milkman shall be duly licensed and shall furnish the Board of Health with a list of all his customers, which shall be corrected weekly. The violation of the ordinance shall incur the payment of a fine of $50.

The board also discussed the adoption of an ordinance relating to ice men somewhat similar to the other and necessitating the securing of a license and of reporting where the ice is harvested and by whom and the circumstances of its transportation and then how it is delivered and by whom.

The members of the board decided that the scavangers in the city had been very lax about providing air-tight barrels for their use and it was decided that they should be called to account if they did not promptly comply with the present ordinance that regulates that subject.

There was some talk about the closing up of the public dumps at the

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BICYCLE THIEF AT WORK.

CARRIED AWAY TWO WHEELS LEFT AT THE CURB.

Bicycles Belonged to Robert M Clerk and Edward O. Clark—Had Been Left in Front of the City National Bank.

A daring bicycle robbery was committed in the centre of the business section, this morning, at an hour when the streets were filled with vehicles and pedestrians. Two wheels were taken and there is not a trace of the thief to be found.

Lawyer Robert M. Clark rode down on his wheel from his home near Washingtonville, this morning. His brother, Edward O. Clark, who is studying law in the offices of McNabb & Clark, rode his wheel also. The law offices of the firm are located in the new City National Bank building at the corner of Front street and Park avenue. The Clarks left their wheels in front of the entrance to the second story which is on East Front street and then they went upstairs.

People passed and repassed. Then the thieves appeared on the scene. There must have been two, for both wheels were taken. They probably came up to the wheels and carelessly jumped on as if they owned them and rode away. Both wheels were '96 Crescents.

Robert M. Clark came downstairs at about 10 o'clock and started to ride away on an errand, but his wheel was not there. At first it was thought that it was all a joke and that some of their friends had taken the wheels and hidden them for fun. Neither wheels have been found as yet, although the owners and the police have searched for them.

Many business men are in the habit of leaving their wheels outside on the sidewalk and there was a panic among them for fear that the bicycle thief would continue his course and make other appropriations. None have been reported as yet, however.

EXPENSIVE CHERRIES.

WHILE PICKING THEM BRENNAN FELL AND WAS SERIOUSLY INJURED.

A Limb Gave Way and He Fell Over 30 Feet—Collarbone Broken and Possibly He Received Internal Injuries.

James Brennan, Jr., a fifteen-year-old boy, fell from a cherry tree yesterday afternoon and narrowly escaped being fatally injured. The boy lives with his parents at 17 Rose street.

Brennan has a habit of climbing, and has often been warned that he would some day meet with a serious accident. Yesterday, shortly after 12 o'clock, he mounted a particularly high tree that stands in his father's yard. He went from limb to limb after the fruit, until he had reached a position about 30 feet from the ground.

Suddenly there was the snap of a branch, followed by a cry, and the next instant Brennan was lying unconscious in a heap upon the ground.

Neighbors come to the help of Mrs. Brennan, and the injured boy was carried into the house and a physician summoned.

Dr. Marc. Clawson responded, and after making an examination declared that the boy's collarbone was broken. There is also a possibility of internal injuries.

Dr. Clawson set the injured bone and gave what further treatment was necessary and in half an hour the boy revived. He has suffered much pain ever since. Considering the height of Brennan's fall it is thought that he escaped rather luckily. Dr. Carman will be able to decide tomorrow whether internal injuries exist.

CHIEF GRANT'S ORDERS.

Independence Day is to be Celebrated On July 5th Only.

This year the Fourth comes on Sunday and so that holiday will be celebrated on Monday, July 5th. So the small boy must remember that he is to celebrate on that day and no other.

It has heretofore been the custom among the boys of the city to begin their fun a week or two in advance and make things lively during the daytime with firecrackers and at night with fireworks. Last year Chief Grant began a campaign against the youthful offenders. This year it will be continued. The Chief has not the slightest objection to all the firecrackers and fireworks anybody wants on the Fourth but what he does object to is the preliminary celebration. He has issued a notice stating that it must not be done and he says that the police will be instructed to arrest anybody who shoots off fireworks or firecrackers before midnight Sunday night.

Returning the Cut in Prices

A Press reporter called at the store of the Plainfield Cycle and Sporting Goods Company to interview Charles C. Lister regarding the cut in the prices of his cycles, but he was not there.

BIG CUT IN BICYCLES.

THE POPE MANUFACTURING COMPANY STARTED THE MOVEMENT.

The Price of Columbias Was Reduced From $100 to $75, and Hartfords in Like Proportion—Local Dealers Talk.

Like a bomb-shell in the midst of the camp of the bicycle dealers comes the announcement that the Pope Manufacturing Company, makers of the Columbia and Hartford wheels, the oldest bicycle manufacturers in the country, have reduced the price of their '97 wheel from $100 to $75. Everybody expected a cut in the price of wheels in the spring, but when it did not come the general impression was that the present price would remain until the beginning of the season of '98.

There are few families in town, one member of which does not know how to ride, and so the news of a fall in the cost of a mount will excite general interest. Plainfield has one of the highest percentages of wheelmen and wheelwomen to her population in the State, and is generally looked upon as a wheeling centre.

With the news of the cut in the prices of Columbias and Hartfords, comes the information that the J. P. Lovell Arms Company has reduced the price of the Lovell Diamond to $65. While to an outsider, there is nothing particularly startling in the fact that two manufacturers have decided to reduce the price of their product, it means considerably more to the trade. The Pope Company has been one of the most persistent advocates of the $100 wheel and has prided itself on the fact that the Columbia could not be bought for less than $100. There are other firms that have sold machines, marked at $100, for almost anything they could get for them and they will be only too willing to follow the lead of the Pope Company and rate their wheels somewhere nearer the price they have been selling them for. Other companies will be compelled to drop their price to keep in the "swim" and place their wheel on an even basis with the others.

The cause of the drop in prices may be attributed to several causes, among which the most important are the advent of the chainless bicycle and the growing popularity of the cheap wheels. Department stores all over the country have been playing havoc with the bicycle trade. In some cases they have had really excellent wheels bought from manufacturers who had failed or were about to do so. Others are machines that are put together hastily and are poor specimens of cycle workmanship. It is an easy thing for a clever salesman to convince an uninitiated buyer that one of the latter is just as good as any other, simply because it appears so.

Economical buyers throughout the country have therefore looked among the cheaper wheels for their purchase and the sale of the first grade wheels has suffered in consequence. Local dealers have reported from the first of the season that there was a much greater demand from the start for a second grade of wheels at a reduced price.

The effect of the cut will be that most of the other manufacturers will follow and reduce their prices in comparison. The smaller companies will be called upon to make still greater reductions of their inferior wheel and will, in consequence, be pushed to the wall. It will be a survival of the fittest and the manufacturers will find all their energies taxed to keep out of the rut that may be their ruin.

One of the largest manufacturers said yesterday: "It means that Col. Pope is tired of the tactics of the small dealers and makers—men that list their wheels at a fair figure and then take whatever price is offered, provided it leaves any margin of profit, however small. I think the price will be still further lowered if such a course shall be found necessary to drive the small men out of business."

N. C. Overman said: "We shall not lower the prices of our wheel, no matter what other concerns decide to do; but I feel sure there is going to be some stiff competition among the small fry."

Others said practically that a big bicycle rate war is on, and that the public will get some cheap wheels this summer. But next year, when only one or two large firms are left, it may be different.

A Press reporter visited the managers of the principal bicycle stores in town this morning and took a census of the opinions. The announcement came as a surprise to them and they had different views of the matter.

When seen by a Daily Press reporter today, W. L. Price, manager of the Eldridge Cycle Company's store on Park avenue, said:

"Yes, we are the agents in this city

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THE UNKNOWN VICTIM

Little Progress Made In Identifying the Remains.

A CLEW RECEIVED FROM BALTIMORE.

A Resident of That City Says He Believes the Murdered Man Was His Uncle. Had Met With Heavy Financial Reverses.

New York, June 30.—But little progress has been made in the search for the perpetrators of the East river and Kingsbridge murder mystery, but several clews, which seem to give some promise of aiding in solving the mystery, are being followed up.

The police of the Highbridge station have in custody an eccentric sort of an individual, who described himself as Henry Gardner, a peddler, 54 years old, and a lodger at 347 West street.

About 5 o'clock last evening the prisoner approached Michael Faith, a foreman on the street improvements on Sedgwick avenue, near where the abandoned valise was found on Monday evening, and said he had seen a human head in the woods.

Gardner exhibited a hatband which, he claimed, he had picked up near where the head lay. Faith took the crank to the police station, and a search was made of the woods, but the missing head was not found.

Then it was discovered that Gardner had torn the hatband which he said he had found from his own headgear. As the man is doubtless unbalanced, the police decided to hold him for further investigation.

A Baltimore Clew.

Baltimore, June 30.—A statement made to a press representative here may help to establish the identity of the mutilated body found on Saturday last in the East river. A young German Hebrew, called S. Weinkrantz and residing at 909 East Baltimore street, says that from information he has received he believes the headless trunk to be that of his uncle, also called S. Weinkrantz.

Weinkrantz says that since the finding of the remains he has made numerous attempts to communicate by telegrams and otherwise with his uncle, who resides at 119 Park row, New York, but has received no response.

The supposed victim visited Baltimore about six weeks ago, and in a conversation with his nephew acquainted the young man with the facts relating to his domestic and commercial reverses, saying that he had many enemies and was reasonably afraid that they would resort to violence.

Young Weinkrantz says that his uncle was 32 years old and a bookbinder by trade. He was recently divorced, and his wife's relations are said to feel bitterly toward him. According to the nephew, Weinkrantz was a man of exemplary moral habits and handsome in appearance, standing about 6 feet and weighing between 180 and 190 pounds.

Appeal For Destitute Greeks.

Boston, June 30.—The many appeals for help sent out by individuals and societies in Greece have called forth liberal responses, but it would seem that the returns are by far insufficient to relieve the destitute citizens and refugees in the country. A communication just received by the consul at Boston says, "We beg of you to make a fervent appeal not only to our countrymen, but to every charitably disposed person to lend a helping hand."

Bookkeeper's Accomplice Arrested.

Louisville, June 30.—Louis Gallot, who in conjunction with Individual Bookkeeper Colomb abstracted about $300,000 from the Union National bank by juggling the balances so as to always show a credit to Gallot in the bank, has been found guilty on about 40 counts in the indictment against him. The discovery of the frauds led to the closing of the bank, and Colomb committed suicide before he could be arrested.

Held For Causing Boy's Death.

Buffalo, June 30.—William Drennan, a saloon keeper, has been arrested, charged with manslaughter in the first degree in causing the death of Antoni Providero, aged 10 years. The boy claimed that Drennan struck him with an ice shaver. Drennan claims that he merely spanked the boy for stealing a kimmelwecht from his bar. The assault occurred on June 2, and the boy died yesterday.

To Establish a New "Heaven."

Monett, Mo., June 30.—Schweinfurth, the so called Messiah of Rockford, Ills., has returned from Benton county, Ark., where it is reported he has contracted for the purchase of 2,000 acres of land of Senator Blackburn, with the view of removing his proteges from Illinois and establishing one of his "heavens" there. People in that section are wrought up over the matter.

Bicycle Mile Record Broken.

Springfield, Ills., June 30.—Arthur Gardiner of Chicago, in the races of the national circuit bicycle meet held at the State Fair grounds, broke the world's one mile handicap record. There were 18 starters in the race. Gardiner won the race, his time being 2m. 5 1-5s. The world's previous record was 2m. 5 3-5s., made by Mertens this year.

The Key West Murder.

Key West, June 30.—The murder of William Gardner by the negro mob last Thursday night is still being investigated by the coroner's jury, and a verdict is soon expected, when it is probable several arrests will be made. The city remains quiet. The sheriff's posse of citizens and the militia patrol the city on alternate nights to keep order.

Planing Mill Burned.

Sandy Hill, N. Y., June 30.—The Griffin Lumber company's planing mill has been burned. Loss, $20,000; insurance, $9,950. Much valuable machinery and workmen's tools were destroyed. The fire started among the shavings. The piles of lumber were saved by the efforts of the firemen.

To Investigate Panama Scandal.

Paris, June 30.—The chamber of deputies has appointed another committee of inquiry to sift fresh charges brought against members of the chamber in connection with the Panama scandal.

DEBS' COLONIZATION SCHEME.

Not Abandoned as Reported, but Will Be Carried Out.

Milwaukee, June 30.—The Debs colonization scheme has not been abandoned as has been reported. Victor L. Berger, editor of The Vorwaerts of this city, who attended the conference of the leaders of the Social Democracy at Chicago recently, says the whole matter has been misunderstood. He says it is the intention of the Social Democracy all over the country to go on organizing in the hope that eventually they will get into power and revolutionize the social system of the United States.

Meanwhile, as fast as they get means, they intend to send unemployed people from the cities to a point in the west, still to be selected, where they may have a chance to earn a livelihood. The colonization scheme is only a side issue with the Social Democracy, but Mr. Berger says the press of the country have made it the main plan. Mr. Debs is in full accord with the plan outlined by Mr. Berger.

The latter says there are 3,000,000 unemployed in the country, and he will consider his party lucky if it can raise money enough to transport only 10,000 to the west. There was never any intention of forming a vast army to invade the west in search of homes and a livelihood.

LITHOGRAPHERS ASSIGN

One of the Most Extensive Companies In the Country Goes Under.

Chicago, June 30.—The Clinton Lithographing company, which was organized about two years ago as the successor of the Orcutt company and began business with one of the most extensive lithographing plants in the city, has made an assignment to Albert M. Baker. The failure was precipitated by a suit against the corporation which has just come to trial. The assets, according to a statement filed about a year ago, are nominally $419,694, and liabilities $104,442. It is said, however, that this does not represent the true state of the company's affairs at the present time. Attorneys for the company say that the assets that can be realized on will not meet the liabilities. The company has suffered greatly from the general business depression.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At New York—

New York.....	0	0	3	1	0	4	0	0	*	— 8
Baltimore	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	— 2

New York—Hits, 11; errors, 2. Baltimore—Hits, 6; errors, 1.

At Philadelphia—

Washington ...	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	— 9
Philadelphia ..	1	0	0	1	0	3	3	1	1	—10

Washington—Hits, 13; errors, 9. Philadelphia—Hits, 14; errors, 2.

At Boston—

Boston	1	0	2	2	0	0	2	0	1	— 8
Brooklyn	1	0	0	2	0	3	0	1	0	— 7

Boston—Hits, 11; errors, 0. Brooklyn—Hits, 11; errors, 5.

At Cleveland—

Cleveland	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	— 3
Pittsburg	0	0	0	6	0	0	1	2	*	— 9

Cleveland—Hits, 7; errors, 4. Pittsburg—Hits, 9; errors, 0.

At Chicago—

Chicago	3	5	7	1	2	1	2	7	8	—36
Louisville	0	0	1	0	5	0	1	0	0	— 7

Chicago—Hits, 32; errors, 1. Louisville—Hits, 14; errors, 9.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Boston	39	14	.736
Baltimore	35	17	.673
Cincinnati	32	17	.653
New York	33	19	.635
Pittsburg	26	26	.500
Brooklyn	26	27	.491
Philadelphia	27	29	.482
Cleveland	25	28	.472
Washington	21	31	.412
Louisville	21	31	.412
Chicago	20	34	.370
St. Louis	11	43	.204

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Woods, the murderer who recently escaped from jail, and McDonald, the escaped burglar, were captured near Nelson, B. C., after a struggle.

The well known sealing schooner Agnes McDonald of Victoria, B. C., Captain Cutlet, was wrecked off the coast of Japan. All the crew and 489 skins were saved.

Robert J. Powley was put to death in the electric chair at Auburn, N. Y. The execution was successful. His crime was the murder of his wife on March 8 at Niagara Falls.

Acting under orders from Judge Owers of the district court, a posse of deputy sheriffs raided every gambling establishment in Leadville, Colo. All the proprietors of the gambling houses were arrested.

Governor Steunenberg is advised that 300 Indians, mostly Bannocks from the Lemhi agency and some from the Nevada, are ghost dancing on the prairie near Haley, Ida. The settlers are greatly alarmed and have appealed to have them removed.

Charles Bertrand, known under the alias of Colonel Hay, an alleged brother of the United States embassador, who was committed for trial on June 19 charged with fraud, has been sentenced in Old Bailey, London, to ten years' penal servitude.

Weather Predictions.

Fair, with southerly winds.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western dull and lower to sell; city mills patents, $4.60@4.85; winter patents, $4.35@4.70; city mills clears, $4.60@4.75; winter straights, $4@4.10.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened dull and weak under bearish home crop estimates and lower cables, but rallied toward noon; July, 75¼@75⅝c.; September, 70½@70¾c.

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T. W. Brakely, M. D., Dunellen.

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Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to widen Westervelt Avenue from the Northwesterly side line of East Front street to a point 108.66 feet Southeast of Orange Place," a copy of which is subjoined to this notice, has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Common Council to adopt such ordinance at the special meeting of the Common Council to be held in the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, N. J., at eight o'clock p. m., on Thursday, the eighth day of July, A. D. eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, at which time and place prior to the adoption of said ordinance, said ordinance will be considered by the Common Council, and all persons interested may be heard before the Common Council.

By order of the Common Council.
James T. MacMurray, City Clerk.
Dated, June 21, 1897. 6 22-29 30

AN ORDINANCE

to Widen Westervelt Avenue from the Northwesterly side line of East Front Street to a point 108.66 feet Southeast of Orange Place.

WHEREAS, The Common Council has judged and hereby judges that the public good requires the widening of Westervelt Avenue between the points named in the title of this ordinance, therefore,

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That Westervelt Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, from the northwesterly side line of East Front Street to a point one hundred and eight and 66-100 feet southeast of Orange Place, be widened and laid out so that said Westervelt Avenue shall be of the uniform width of twenty-five feet on each side of the center line thereof, which said center line is described as follows: Beginning at a point in the northwesterly side line of East Front Street, said point being distant three hundred twenty-four and 56 100 feet in a southwesterly direction along said northwesterly side line of East Front Street, from the centre line of Sandford Avenue, as now laid out and opened; and running from said point in a magnetic course of north forty-four degrees and fifty-six minutes west, a distance of three hundred sixty and 3-100 feet to the northwesterly line of property owned by William C. Kelly.

The land to be taken for the widening of said Westervelt Avenue includes that portion of the property of Antoinette De Bard, Mrs. Sarah Bird and William C. Kelly, which lies between the present Southwesterly side line of said Avenue as now laid out and opened and a line parallel with the center line of said Avenue and distant therefrom twenty-five (25) feet in a Southwesterly direction.

The land to be taken and the lines of Westervelt avenue, as the same is hereinabove ordered to be widened, are shown on a map on file with the City Clerk entitled: "Assessment Map for the widening of Westervelt Avenue from East Front Street to a point 108.66 feet Southeast of Orange Place, March, 1897," to which reference is hereby made for greater certainty.

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Miss Hettie Holman, of New Brunswick, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Laura Emmons, of Jackson avenue.

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—The Ladies' Society for Christian Work of the Seventh-day Baptist church held a sewing meeting this afternoon in the parlors of the church.

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guarranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c. per box. Sold by L. W. Randolph, Druggist.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Katheryn Baxter, of Putnam avenue, is sojourning at Belmar.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. V., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evens, then salesman fo the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

—A valuable calf was received from the south yesterday by A. O. Trust, of the borough.

A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by T. S. Armstrong, Apothecary, corner Park and North avenues.

William Miller, of the graduating class of Lehigh University, is stopping on East Front street with friends.

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Physical Director Heywood, of the Y. M. C. A., returned Monday from Springfield, Mass., where he was in attendance upon the International Conference of Physical Directors.

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CONATY'S ELEVATION

Honor Conferred on the Rector of the Catholic University.

MADE A MONSIGNEUR BY THE POPE.

The Announcement Was Given at a Dinner to Archbishop Martinelli at the De La Salle Institute and Came as a Surprise.

New York, June 30.—The rector of the Roman Catholic university at Washington, Dr. Thomas A. Conaty, has been elevated by Pope Leo XIII. The distinguished theologian is now Mgr. Conaty, domestic prelate to the holy see, with the title of right reverend.

The announcement of Dr. Conaty's elevation was made last night for the first time by Archbishop Martinelli, papal delegate, at a dinner given in the latter's honor by Brother Justin, president of Manhattan college, in the De La Salle institute, on West Fifty-ninth street.

Archbishop Michael Corrigan, General O'Beirne, Dr. Morrisey of Hartford, Father Charles, prior of the Dominicans in Florida, Brother Elogius, director of the De La Salle institute; Brother Quintinian, assistant visitor general, and about a dozen other eminent clerics were present when the papal delegate made the pleasant announcement of Dr. Conaty's elevation.

The Announcement a Surprise.

The guests were at dessert when the rector of the Catholic university entered the dining hall, accompanied by Brother Bernard. The latter said, "Permit me to introduce Dr. Conaty."

At that moment Archbishop Martinelli stood up, and, waving his hand for silence, said, with a smile: "Pardon, but it is no longer Dr. Conaty. It is now Mgr. Conaty." All were taken by surprise, and Dr. Conaty could scarcely realize what he had heard, for he had had no intimation that the great honor was even contemplated.

Archbishop Martinelli then explained that he had the day before received word from Rome of the elevation of Dr. Conaty, and he also told how it came about and what the title is to be.

Archbishop Corrigan and the other prelates present then congratulated the Right Rev. Mgr. Conaty.

Belgian Miners on Strike.

Mons, Belgium, June 30.—A very extensive strike is in progress in the district of Borinage, province of Hainaut. At least 12,000 borains (miners) are out. The district of Borinage is important for its coal mines. It comprises the communes of Jemmapes, Quaregnon, Hornu, Paturages and Frameries, with a population of about 32,000. Mons is the capital town of the province of Hainaut. It is a center of manufacturing interests, chiefly linen, woolen and cotton fabrics, firearms, cutlery and musical instruments. It has also copper, lead and pewter foundries and carries on an active trade in lumber, the transfer of which is facilitated by canals.

Increase In Patent Office Business.

Washington, June 30.—Commissioner of Patents Butterworth says the business of the patent office for the current calendar year will be an increase of 7 per cent over last year, and that the receipts will be over $100,000 more. In view of this encouraging showing and of the inadequacy of the force, he has asked congress to insert in the urgent deficiency bill an appropriation of 40 per cent of this increase for additional appointments. Over $4,500,000 is now in the treasury to the credit of the patent office, and this fact and the crippled service have been pointed out to congress.

Failure of a National Bank.

Washington, June 30.—Comptroller Eckels has received notice of the failure of the Keystone National bank of Erie, Pa. The bank's statement of May 14 showed the following condition: Capital, $15,000; surplus, $10,000; individual deposits, $340,000; demand certificates of deposit, $156,000; notes and bills rediscounted, $35,000; loans and discounts, $433,712. It is said at the comptroller's office that the bank has been in a weak condition for a long time, and its failure created little surprise. Bank Examiner Hugh Young has been placed in charge.

Found Dead In a Hotel.

Stroudsburg, Pa., June 30.—A man, registered as J. B. Davison of Buffalo, has been found dead in bed at the Central House, on Main street. Davison arrived at the hotel Monday morning and was well dressed and of good appearance. The coroner's jury held an inquest and found a bottle containing opium on his person. Davison were a Masonic button, and local Masons had the body embalmed, awaiting telegrams that have been sent out to identify the body.

Price of Bicycles Reduced.

Boston, June 30.—After years of ironclad agreement to maintain prices the Boston bicycle pool has broken at last. Colonel Albert A. Pope of the Pope Manufacturing company has put down the '97 Columbias to $75, and Colonel Benjamin S. Lovell of the John P. Lovell Arms company, reduced the '97 Lovell diamond to $65.

Address to Dartmouth Societies.

Hanover, N. H., June 30.—Hon. Carroll D. Wright of Washington gave an address to the Dartmouth literary societies, including the former Fraternity of Social Friends and the United Fraternity. His subject was, "Is There Any Solution of the Labor Question?"

Savings Institution Closed.

Montpelier, Vt., June 30.—The closing of the South Dakota Savings institution at Pierre, S. D., will affect a large number of investors in this city and vicinity, who hold nearly all of the capital stock of the bank, amounting to $50,000.

Senator Harris Better.

Washington, June 30.—Senator Harris of Tennessee is reported to be a little better. He is still very weak, but his physician hopes the senator will recuperate sufficiently to be able to go to his Tennessee home next week.

Assistant Rifle Inspector Appointed.

Trenton, June 30.—Governor Griggs has decided to appoint Captain Charles A. Reid of this city assistant inspector of rifle practice of the New Jersey national guard.

LEAD PARAGRAPHS.

Disposed of by the Senate After Short Debate.

TILLMAN AND CHANDLER ARGUE.

An Amusing Colloquy Between the Two Senators—Senator Gallinger's Report Upon the Pension Bill—One Consul's Nomination Confirmed.

Washington, June 30.—After tedious consideration of the tariff bill the senate wound up with a half hour of lively and amusing colloquy between Senators Tillman of South Carolina and Chandler of New Hampshire.

The former had proposed an amendment to the tariff bill providing a $10 head tax on immigrants, and a restriction against all those not coming to the United States to become citizens.

Mr. Tillman made an earnest speech on the depressed condition of labor, but he was soon diverted from his theme by Mr. Chandler. The latter, adopting a style of mock gravity, directed the discussion toward Mr. Cleveland's administration.

This in turn brought from Mr. Tillman a vehement criticism of the late president, while Mr. Chandler drolly protested against these assaults on Mr. Cleveland by a member of his own party.

When the fun had been fast and furious for some time, the Tillman amendments were defeated—yeas, 3; nays, 43. The three affirmative votes were cast by Messrs. Butler, Quay and Tillman.

During the day the senate disposed of the lead paragraphs, the committee rate of 1½ cents per pound on lead ore being agreed to—yeas, 30; nays, 23. The other paragraphs considered were of comparatively minor importance.

The nomination of Soren Listoe of Minnesota to be consul at Rotterdam was confirmed.

The senate, in executive session, has ordered that all the testimony in the case of Hon. M. H. McCord, nominated for governor of Arizona, be printed. The order was made on the motion of Senator Berry, who opposes McCord's confirmation.

Senator Gallinger from the pension committee has favorably reported the bill providing "that upon the consideration of any application for a pension under any law of the United States the fact that the applicant was accepted and mustered into the military or naval service of the United States shall be taken and held as prima facie proof that such applicant was of sound body and mind at the time he was so accepted and mustered."

Silver Certificate Counterfeit.

Washington, June 30.—The first counterfeit of the new design of silver certificates has reached the secret service bureau. It is of the $5 denomination and bears check letter B, plate No. 4. It is a photolithographic production and is printed upon two pieces of paper, between which silk fiber has been distributed, then pasted together. Much of the work on the note is blurred and indistinct.

Especially is this true of the face of the figure representing "America," the imprint of the "Bureau of Engraving and Printing," right end border face of note, most of the parallel ruling and "Series 1896" in scroll at the lower right center face of note. The seal is much darker red than the genuine and badly blurred. The numbering is too large, and the dark outlines of the original numbers can be faintly discerned beneath those stamped on the counterfeit.

The back of the note has a dull, faded appearance. The green ink is a lighter shade than that used on the genuine. The portraits of Grant and Sheridan are flat and do not stand out in relief as in the genuine.

The note has the appearance of having been circulated, owing in a degree to the soft, fibrous character of the paper.

Consuls Nominated.

Washington, June 30.—The president has sent the following nominations to the senate: To be consuls general of the United States, Church Howe of Nebraska at Apia and Nukualofa, Tonga; John P. Bray of North Dakota at Melbourne; to be consuls of the United States, Hugo Donselmann of Wyoming at Prague, Bohemia; Louis A. Dent of the District of Columbia at Kingston, Jamaica; Samuel S. Lyon of New Jersey at Osaka and Hiogo, Japan; Rounsevelle Wildman of California at Hongkong; Charles V. Herliska of the District of Columbia to be secretary of the legation of the United States at Vienna.

Queen Lil Visits the Senate.

Washington, June 30.—Ex-Queen Liliuokalani of the Hawaiian islands spent some time in the private gallery of the senate yesterday, accompanied by three members of her suit. She first appeared in the senate marble room and sent her card to Senator Perkins of California, who, after exchanging a few words with her and introducing her to many of his colleagues, escorted her to the gallery, where she took a front seat and appeared to be an interested listener to the debate on lead ore.

Sale of an Iron Mine.

Milwaukee, June 30.—The Aragon iron mine, largely a bessemer producer, located at Norway, Mich., has been sold by Angus Smith of this city to the Commonwealth Iron company of Cleveland, which company takes possession July 1, and the mine will then resume on full time. The price paid was under $200,000.

Receiver Removed.

Charleston, June 30.—W. F. Herbert was relieved of the receivership of the Carolina, Cumberland Gap and Chicago railway by Judge C. H. Simonton, sitting in the United States circuit court here. This action is taken without prejudice to any of the claimants against the road now before the courts.

Striking Miners Return to Work.

Knoxville, June 30.—One thousand miners employed by the Coal Creek company have returned to work at the old scale after a brief strike. The men were in sympathy with the strikers in the Jellico district.

National Bank to Close.

Erie, Pa., June 30.—The Keystone National bank, by a unanimous vote of its directors, has decided to close its doors. The depositors will be paid full.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Naegle.)

Generally Fair Tonight and Thursday; Warmer Thursday.

At 2 o'Clock the Thermometer at Leggett's Pharmacy Registered 92 Degrees.

Subscribers to The Daily Press who are leaving town for summer vacations can have the paper sent to their temporary address without extra expense by simply notifying the business office.

THE TROLLEY AND THE DUST.

The residents along the line of the Plainfield street railway still continue to enjoy, if they can find any enjoyment in it, the clouds of dust that follow the passage of each car as it whirls along. The dust did not begin to blow yesterday, nor the day before, it first came when the trolley did, but the people are beginning to wake to the realization of the unpleasantness which they are condemned to suffer during the summer months unless the railroad company or the Common Council comes to their assistance. Especially is this so on the outskirts of the city where the sprinkling carts never go. Of course, where the streets are watered, there is no trouble about the dust.

It is very evident that the people who have daily to encounter these clouds of dust have real grievance that deserves immediate attention.

Weehawken has been troubled with the same thing and the people of that place have unsuccessfully petitioned the street railway company there for relief. Then the Board of Council of Weehawken took the matter in hand and have been trying to devise a method to compel the company to water the streets through which the cars run. One of the Weehawken councilmen hit upon the expedient of stopping the cars from running through the town on Sunday until the company shall do what is asked. It is claimed that this can be enforced under the old blue laws and measures will be taken to carry it out.

A TUMBLE IN PRICES.

A war for existence is now on among the smaller bicycle manufacturers and the public will benefit by it by getting wheels at greatly reduced rates. The Pope Manufacturing Company reduced the price of their wheel yesterday, and most of the other leading manufacturers will fall in line. The news came as a surprise to all and many opinions are hazarded as to the result. The spring trade, the greatest of the year, is over, but the reduction of the prices will enable many who hitherto could not afford a wheel to invest in one. The bicycle has become such a necessity to the American people that great care should be exercised in its manufacture and none but the best material used. If the cut in the prices will result in the extinction of the many small companies that make up wheels out of the cheapest material to be had without regard to the life and limb of the riders, then the movement just started will be a good thing for wheelmen and the community, for no one cares to have a relative or friend brought home in small pieces as a result of a fatal defect in the wheel they were riding.

A GOOD WORK.

Street Commissioner Gavett's "White Wings" were at work in the business portion of town yesterday picking up the loose stones out of the roadway. Street Commissioner Gavett is a wheelman and appreciates the fact that loose stones are dangerous things to have in the path of the cyclist, especially at night. He has now set his men at work picking them up and carrying them away. The work is a good one and will be much appreciated by every rider and pedestrian in the city.

Now that Montclair has a Y. M. C. A. building, her citizens want a town hall and the matter has been brought to the attention of the Common Council of that city.

Thousands suffer from Catarrah or cold in head and have never tried the popular remedy. There is no longer any excuse, as a 10 cent trial size of Ely's Cream Balm can be had of your druggist or we mail it for 10 cents. Full size 50 cents. ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City. A friend advised me to try Ely's Cream Balm and after using it six weeks I believe myself cured of catarrah. It is a most valuable remedy.—Joseph Stewart, 624 Grand avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Rev. G. Kennedy Newell, of West Fifth street, is improving from his recent illness.

John C. Probasco, representing the Mutual Life Insurance Company, of Newark, is stopping in Plainfield for a

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Miss Edith Horton, of Grove street, is away on her summer vacation.

Patrolman Watson has returned to duty after enjoying a vacation.

Harlan E. Snodgrass, of Central avenue, is on a week's vacation.

Harry Fulper, of Brooklyn, has been visiting friends in Plainfield.

Mrs. E. A. Campbell, of Park avenue, is entertaining friends from out of town.

Mayor Wilson, of the borough, has about recovered from his recent indisposition.

Miss Maud Acock, of Craig place, has gone to Trenton to spend the summer vacation.

Miss Elizabeth Allis, of West Fifth street, is visiting at the home of her brother in Montclair.

Charles W. Burton, of Watchung avenue, has gone to St. John, Province of New Brunswick.

Rev. A. E. Main, pastor of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, has returned from Westerly, R. I.

Samuel Kimball and family, of Madison avenue, are sojourning at Seabright for the summer.

Driver George Feiring, of the fire department, spent yesterday with friends at Coney Island.

Miss Grace L. Kent, of Newark, has been visiting Miss Gertrude Snodgrass, of Central avenue.

LeRoy Radford is the latest one in Plainfield to decide to go to the Boys' Camp at Lake Champlain.

Miss Luella Crowther, of Grove street, has gone to her home in Oil City, Pa., for the summer.

M. J. Bulkley and family, of Plainfield, are spending a short sojourn at the La Pierre, Ocean Grove.

The Misses Quinn, of Park avenue, are entertaining their friend, Miss Annie Caulfield, of Trenton.

Mrs. Sadie Mitchell and son, Daniel, of Newark, have been guests at the home of friends on Central avenue.

Dr. F. C. Ard, of Park avenue, will sail for Europe on Saturday. He will be absent from Plainfield for some time.

Miss May Baldwin, of Grandview avenue, has gone to New Haven to spend her summer vacation at her home there.

J. M. Clark and family, of this city, are enjoying the sea breezes at Asbury Park. They are quartered at Norwood Hall.

Sergeant Kiely returned to his post last evening after a short time off duty owing to the death of his aunt, Miss Bessie Kiely.

J. Wesley Johnson and family, have closed up their residence on LaGrande avenue for the summer and are now staying at their summer residence at Lake Champlain.

J. W. Reinhart and family, of Belvidere avenue, leave today for White Sulphur Springs, Virginia, where they will spend the summer.

The Misses Etta and Ratie Johnson, of Madison avenue, have returned after a visit of several weeks at their home in Raritan.

Miss Alice Miller, of East Fifth street, has gone to Brewsters, N. Y., to visit friends, and will then spend the remainder of the summer at her home in Oswego, N. Y.

Mrs. J. V. Beekman, J. V. Beekman, Jr., and James G. Beekman, of West Eighth street, are registered at the Hotel Brunswick, Asbury Park, where they will spend some time.

Miss Mary A. Snodgrass, assistant principal of the Hackensack High School, has been the guest of her brother, Rev. Dr. Winfield C. Snodgrass, of Central avenue, for a few days.

Mrs. George H. Babcock and son, George L. Babcock, and Nathan E. Lewis, of West Eighth street, left yesterday afternoon for Long Lake, in the Adirondacks, where they will spend the summer.

Miss Mamie Miller, a former resident of this city, but now of New York, a granddaughter of Mrs. George Goodwin, graduated from School No. 14, New York, and will enter the Normal College in September.

Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis and family will leave their present home on Central avenue next week and take possession of their camp near Washington Rock. Rev. A. E. Main and family will then occupy the parsonage of the Seventh-day Baptist church.

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For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Additional local news on the third page.

—Good trunks, cheap, Doane & Edsall's.

—UnXLd fireworks at Harper's, 411 Park avenue.

—Unity Lodge, No. 102, K. of P., will hold a meeting this evening.

—The preparatory lecture at the Congregational church will be held this evening.

—A meeting of the officers of the Gesang and Turn Verein will be held this evening.

—The singing section of the Gesang and Turn Verein met last evening and held a rehearsal.

—No doubt your thoughts turn to summer underwear these days. Peck has just what you need.

—All bills against the city must be presented at the City Clerk's office not later than this evening.

—The Borough Council will hold their regular monthly meeting on Friday evening of this week.

—Order your salmon, lobsters and soft crabs from Rogers' seafood market at once for the Fourth.

—The Crystal Society will hold a meeting next Tuesday at the home of Raymond Stevens, of Grandview avenue.

—The Sunday-school of the Monroe Avenue church will meet hereafter at 9:45 o'clock in the morning instead of at 9:30 as heretofore.

—Meeting of the Christian and Missionary Alliance Thursday evening at 7:45 o'clock at the rooms of the W. C. T. U., Watchung avenue.

—An informal opening of the Washingtonville Hotel will take place this evening. Mr. Greenwood, of this city, is on the reception committee.

—Tomorrow Edward White will commence a special clearing sale of shirt waists for ladies. Every waist in the store will be sold at cost and below.

—Tomorrow evening the newly-elected officers of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., will be installed. Other important business will be transacted.

—Gavett is having his annual sale of his odds and ends of stock missmatched. Slightly damaged pieces in china ornaments and fancy pottery can be had now at almost any price.

—A summons was issued by Justice Moffett yesterday in the contract case of Rushmore & Co., against William S. Clark, returnable July 6th. Pope & Runyon are counsel for the plaintiff.

—Director Heywood will conduct the business men's class in gymnastics at 5:30 o'clock on Thursday afternoons, and the boys' classes as usual on Tuesday afternoon and Saturday morning.

—Motorman Timothy McCarty, of the street railway, spends most of his spare time at work on the crematory being erected by the Plainfield Sanitary Company. It is expected that the plant will be completed in a very short time.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Bessie Day, of Mercer avenue, has gone to Asbury Park to visit relatives.

Frank Vanderhoff, of Somerville, was the guest of friends in town last evening.

Councilman Murray Burtis, of the borough, went to Philadelphia today on business.

Motorman Dennis Kane, of the Plainfield Street Railway, spent yesterday in Brooklyn with friends.

A. D. Thompson, of Netherwood, and Councilman R. I. Tolles, of Westervelt avenue, left last evening for Buffalo on business. They will return home Saturday.

Councilman William N. Runyon, of East Ninth street, leaves this evening for New Haven, Conn., to attend the reunion of the class of '92 of Yale, of which he was a member.

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists 75c.

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BIG CUT IN BICYCLES.

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for the Columbia and Hartford wheels. I know nothing about the Pope Manufacturing Company's cut in prices except that it will go into effect tomorrow. I received a circular letter yesterday announcing that fact. The truth of the matter is that while the Pope Company has kept prices up, never cutting below the list, the other makers have been secretly cutting their prices. It is a common practice to give away bells, lamps and cyclometers with machines, which is practically a reduction in price. Then in New York city wheels of well-known makes are sold at auction for whatever they will bring. I saw a wheel listed at $100 go for $40 yesterday, and shortly afterward an $80 wheel was knocked down for $26. This sort of thing has made it impossible for the Columbia people to maintain their price, and rather than indulge in secret cutting, while ostensibly maintaining the price, they have decided to make the reduction openly that all may know and take advantage of it. As to agreements among makers to maintain prices, the past history of the trade shows that they are always broken and amount to nothing in the end."

Manager George W. Macintyre, of the F. L. C. Martin Cycle Company's store, said: "The Cycling Board of Trade's agreement to maintain prices has been smashed by the Pope Manufacturing Company. The action was taken, I believe, without consulting the other makers. I am convinced that there will be no reduction this year in the price of the wheels we handle. Of course, the smaller manufacturers will feel the effects at once, and they will be forced to come down. Many of them will probably be forced to the wall. In fact, I am not sure that is not designed expressly to accomplish this. When the small makers are partly exterminated, a trust may be formed of the larger concerns. If this should happen the price of high grade wheels will be maintained at $75 or a figure slightly less."

Wm. H. Rogers, the North avenue bicycle dealer, was also interviewed. He said:

"The cut in Columbia bicycles is undoubtedly made by agreement with the other dealers, and they will soon do likewise. The reason for the cut is that people have been buying the '96 models instead of the '97, until they have exhausted the stock of the former. The demand for the old model continued, and rather than manufacture more '96 wheels the makers have decided to close out their '97 stock, which is quite large, at a reduced price."

Successful Entertainment.

The members and friends of Hope Chapel were given a treat last evening when they had the privilege of witnessing a cinemetrograph exhibition which was given under the direction of J. Hervey Doane, of the Camera Club. The entertainment was one of the best ever held in the chapel and the large crowd present fully enjoyed the excellent views displayed. Mr. Doane worked the machine to perfection and he was complimented highly for the evening's entertainment.

—Justice Moffett has issued a summons in the contract case of Morris Ballentine against S. C. Rogers, of the Hotel Tuilleries. Pope & Runyon are attorneys for the plaintiff. The summons is returnable July 6th.

NOTICE!

As July 4th will be celebrated Monday, July 5th, fireworks of any kind will be prohibited until after 12 o'clock Sunday night.

GEO. W. GRANT,

Chief of Police.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mr. Mead, of Roselle, has been visiting his son, William Mead, of the borough.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyer, of the borough, are entertaining their son from Brooklyn.

Frank Cokefair and Louis Walz, of Plainfield, were visitors in the borough yesterday.

Mrs. T. C. Bodine, of Church street, is the guest of friends at Flemington for a few days.

Mrs. Ella Wilcox, of the borough, is stopping for the present on Stebbins place, Plainfield.

The many friends of Charles Beekman will be sorry to learn that he is critically ill at his home.

L. H. Kuehn and family, of Front street, moved yesterday into their new house on Washington avenue.

Master Percy Abbott, of the borough, is visiting his grandparents, Mr, and Mrs. Abbott, of Somerville.

Bert Apgar, of the borough, rode his wheel to Flemington yesterday where he is visiting his sister, Mrs. Cooley.

George Moore, of Brooklyn, has returned home after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Terry, of Church street.

The Junior Epworth League of the M. E church will meet Friday afternoon instead of Saturday, as heretofore announced.

Miss Sadie Giles, of North avenue, is spending a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Samuel Giles, of Port Richmond, S. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Manning, of Flemington, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Runyon, of Washington avenue, have returned home.

At the next meeting of the Borough Council it is sincerely hoped that some action will be taken regarding the sprinkling of the streets in the borough.

The hay carter from Pluckamin who was obliged to leave a sick horse in the borough a few days ago, was not able to take the animal with him when he returned home. The horse was shipped to Pluckamin yesterday. He has not entirely recovered from his illness and it will be sometime before he can be used again.

The members of Wm. G. Holton Council, J. O. U. A. M., are steadily completing arrangements for their Fourth of July celebration. A large strip of land near the end of the trolley is being cleared away so that a dancing pavillion and all necessary refreshment stands can be erected. The place selected for the affair is one of the best to be found in Dunellen and the attendance should be large. Prof. O'Reilly, of Plainfield, will furnish music afternoon and evening, and the various games will probably be held close to the above place. The cycle races will be held in the road and the course will extend from the end of the trolley to Taylor's Hotel and back. The Council held a meeting last evening and the committee reported that everything looked exceedingly bright for a glorious time on July 4th. They stated that the merchants about the borough were responding heartily to the appeal for funds.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

C. DeC. Richards was in town yesterday on business.

Mr. Oliver, who has been visiting John Flannery, has returned home.

Miss Nancy Wade and Miss Louise Robinson are entertaining friends from out of town.

Mr. and Mrs, T. R. Gruman, of Clinton, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh R. Healy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Strong, of Boston, Mass., are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Westcott.

Thomas M. Paff, Sr., is now prepared to furnish Tier's ice cream to his patrons at all hours.

About $40 was realized from the recent lawn festival given by the ladies

WESTFIELD

VARIOUS BITS OF NEWS.

WESTFIELD HAPPENINGS SERVED UP TERSELY FOR THE PRESS.

Many People Go and Come in the Pretty Suburban Town—Items Interesting Because of Their Brevity.

The I. O. O. F. will install officers at its meeting tonight.

Kenneth Harbison is suffering with an attack of mumps.

Miss Mabel Green is spending a few days in Philadelphia.

Arthur Richardson is spending a week's vacation in Brooklyn.

Miss Anna D. Cooper spent yesterday with friends in Springfield.

J. Kaminetzky has been entertaining friends from New York city.

Mrs. J. J. Taylor and children are spending the summer at Ocean Grove.

The four young children of Mr. Ray, of Westfield avenue, are ill with measles.

Dr. F. Gilpin, of Newfoundland, Pa., is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. T. R. Harvey.

Mrs. Rufus S. Green, of the Boulevard, is recovering from an attack of nervous prostration.

Mrs. Rosenthal, of New York city, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Davis, of Mountain avenue.

William Schoonover, the new postmaster at Mountainside, will enter upon his duties tomorrow.

Master Stacy Alder, of Brooklyn, is spending the week with Sherman W. Reese, of Elm street.

A woman's prayer meeting will be held in the Methodist church parlors tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Eliza Ransom, of Jersey City, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Newton Hoffman, of Mountain avenue.

Miss Florence Cruttenden of Norfolk, Conn., will spend next week with Mr. and Mrs. George T. Cruttenden.

Mrs. John Tremain has returned to her home in New York city, after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Cook, of Elm street.

Arthur Brunner, of Westfield avenue, is recovering from a bad shaking-up received by falling from his bicycle.

H. P. Condit left yesterday for the Adirondacks after spending two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Condit, of Elm street.

Max Schwinefurth has rented his place on the county road to some Garwood parties, who will utilize it for a bottling establishment.

The straw ride to Orange, which was planned for last evening by members of the I. O. S. and their friends, was postponed on account of the rain.

Mrs. Darrow, of Westfield avenue, has succesfully undergone a surgical operation in the Elizabeth General Hospital and will return home this week.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet in the Bible class room tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The Park Hotel on North avenue was sold yesterday by Wm. Holtz to Lawrence Powers, of Cranford. The new landlord took immediate possession of the place.

The many friends of Mrs. B. H. Woodruff are rejoicing to learn that a Newark specialist has diagnosed her disease as something much less serious than was at first feared.

The suit of James T. Pierson against James Moore, of Cranford, to collect a bill of $51 for building materials alleged to have been furnished the defendant in 1891, will come up for trial in Justice Collins' court tomorrow.

A popular stereopticon lecture on "Persia and Persian Life" will be delivered by Eschoo Jacob, a native Persian, in the Baptist church, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. The lecture is given under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society.

Charles Smith, a twelve-year-old boy, was attacked by a large dog yesterday morning while entering the yard of Wm. Patterson's place on Cumberland street. Smith is employed by Archbold & Scudder to deliver meat, and was carrying an order into Patterson's house when the dog leaped upon him. One of the boy's hands was bitten several times. Dr. Cooper dressed the wounds.

—Go to Harper's for firecrackers.

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TWENTY-EVEN MILLIONS.

Amount of Taxable Property in Middlesex County.

The annual meeting of the Board of Assessors of Middlesex county was held yesterday in the Court House, at New Brunswick. Charles E. Kelly, of Piscataway township, presided, and County Collector David Serviss was chosen secretary.

The total amount of taxable property was given as $27,577,303, divided as follows:—New Brunswick, $10,340,926; South Brunswick, $1,190,400; East Brunswick, $1,251,844; North Brunswick, $445,995; Cranbury, $849,686; Monroe, $740,625; Madison, $458,175; Sayreville, $746,820; South Amboy, $1,114,800; Perth Amboy, $3,545,115; Woodbridge, $2,342,600; Piscataway, $1,402,217; Dunellen, $424,475; Helmetta, $176,245; Jamesburg, $298,275; Milltown, $317,500; Raritan, $1,934,505.

Collector Serviss announced that the State school tax to be raised in the county was about $75,000, and the county tax was given as $207,874, about $30,000 more than last year.

THIS TRAMP WON'T TRAMP.

Miller Controls a Wheel and Pedals About While on Begging Expeditions.

Locked up at New Brunswick is George Miller, a bicycle tramp. He has been begging about that town for a number of days. When run down he wore a nondescript bicycle costume. He was dressed in blue bloomers such as some women wear, black stockings, white tennis shoes, a negligee shirt and a linen duster.

Miller told a peculiar story as to how he got the wheel. He claims he paid $2 for his suit and $25 for the wheel. He bought the latter, he said, from a man in Paterson. It is a "Wynnewood," of 1896 model, No. C, 63,416.

The Eye.

The human eye seldom fulfills all the requirements of a perfect optical instrument. When, however, the error is slight it may be disregarded; but when sufficient to produce headache, pain in the eyes, or poor vision it should be corrected at once by wearing properly adjusted glasses. If your eyes are causing you pain or anxiety call on Leech, Stiles & Co's specialist, at 107 East Front street, every Thursday from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

To Store Wheels at Stations.

Within a short time the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad Company will provide bicycle rooms at stations in the Oranges and Montclair and check wheels for commuters. Many commuters who ride from their homes to the station now take their wheels with them to New York, and the railroad officials think it will be cheaper to check the bicycles and store them than to carry them on the trains.

—Blank cartridges at Harper's, 411 Park avenue.

Westfield, N. J., May 28, 1897.—I had a severe attack of rheumatism and the medicine I was taking did not relieve me. I resorted to Hood's Sarsaparilla, which accomplished a cure. Mrs. Mary Kimmey.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills. 25c.

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you have urgent business with someone in another town or city, remember that your telephone is adapted for Long Distance talking, and that there are hundreds of towns and cities connected by the Long Distance lines, and thousands of people in them having metallic circuit service, with whom you can talk as easily as with a subscriber of your own exchange.

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WHY

pay 10 cents a piece for jelly rolls when you can buy them tomorrow (Thursday) at the Golden Rule Bakery, 110 Somerset street, for 8 cents. Delicious bread, cakes, and pies of all kinds made fresh daily.

E. F. TITUS,

Proprietor.

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115 Chambers St., New York City.

The Trustees of this institution have declared interest on all sums remaining on deposit during three and six months ending June 30, 1897, at the rate of Four Per Cent per annum on amounts from $1 to $3,000, payable on and after Monday, July 19th, 1897. Deposits made on or before July 10th will draw interest from July 1st.

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THURSDAY, JULY 1st,

at 2 p. m., next, the

COAL AND WOOD YARD

of John A. Thickstun, located at the corner of Madison Avenue and Third street, will be sold at public auction. The property is 330 feet long, has a railroad siding the entire length of the yard, sheds for storage of coal, large platform scales, two office buildings, large barn, and is in a good condition. Undoubtedly it is the best available site in this city for the coal and wood business. $7,000 of the purchase money can remain on the property on bond and mortgage. The property must be sold, and the sale affords an excellent opportunity for a good investment.

6 29 2 IRVING L. BRADY, Assignee.

NOTICE!

The North Plainfield Board of Education are now open to receive bids for 100 tons of hard Lehigh coal, (stove size,) to be delivered at the school building in North Plainfield at such times and in such quantities as the Board may suggest. R. M. Fountain, D. C.

HIGH TESTIMONIAL.

Mr. Silas D. Drake, President New Jersey Mutual Realty Co.

Dear Sir:

Last March, 1897, four months ago, you induced me to subscribe for a number of shares of stock of the New Jersey Mutual Realty Co., at par, and I hereby certify that on this date you have sold five shares $100 each of said stock for $1,000.

Yours Truly,
C. E Dunham.

Bound Brook, June 26, 1897.

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Assessor Hubbard

will be at the office.

109 Park Avenue,

until July 10th. "Evenings by appointment."

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Randolph Runyon,

Funeral Director

and Embalmer,

Residence, Over Office. Office 43 Somerset St., Plainfield, N. J.

DIED.

McCARTHY—In this city, June 30th, 1897, Mary Isabel McCarthy, aged 3 months and 12 days.

Funeral from her parents' residence, 1129 South Second street, Thursday, July 1st, at 2:30 p. m. Friends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

THE Mutual Guarantee Building Loan Association has opened new series; no back dues; unusual advantages. Particulars, Ira L. LaRue, Secretary, Marsh building.

WANTED—Neat experienced girl for general housework. 413 East Sixth St.

LARGE pleasant rooms with first class board. 62 Sanford Ave. 6 29 6

FOR SALE or to let, (bakery) store and dwelling with stable, 120 West Fourth street. Mulford, broker. 6 16 tf-w s

A man wanted with some knowledge of agriculture to solicit orders for fruit and ornamental nursery stock. Steady work; liberal terms. Address Chase's Sons & Co., Sta. A., Philadelphia, Pa. 6 14 12 e o d.

LOST—A feather boa on Fourth street between Hope chapel and

Plainfield's Busiest Store.

We sell goods cheaper than any Plainfield store.

Business Reputations are not made by selling penny prints or three cent stockings—there is something better in this store than that. You will find at all times useful merchandise here that you can buy with confidence and wear with satisfaction. Cheap goods are not always

Goods Cheap.

A BIG WEEK

in the Wash Goods. We are facing a condition here—half the season gone and no wash goods weather—only one thing is to be done and we are not slow in doing it. We will have less yards of goods a few days hence—all our Lawns, Dimities, Cambrics, Challies that have been 12, 15 and 18c, all to go for 8c. the yd.

MEN'S OUTING SHIRTS.

You can afford to buy liberally of these lots for we are going to reduce the stock. The goods and prices talk stronger than we can. Here they are—

	Were.	Now.		Were.	Now.
Men's silk striped shirts,	75c, $1	49c	Men's cambric laundered shirts	75c	48c
Men's cheviot striped shirts	50, 75c	32c	Men's balbriggan shirts and drawers		25c

HOSIERY FOR

Ladies, Gentlemen and Children. You can buy better hosiery here for less money than ever before.

Ladies' fine lisle hose, drop stitch	15c	pair; value	22c
Ladies' plain lisle hose	15c	"	25c
Children's ribbed bicycle hose	10c	"	15c
Children's plain hose, extra fine	15c	"	25c
Men's extra fine fast black hose	13c	"	25c
Men's tan hose, very fine	15c	"	25c
Men's fancy ½-hose	18c	"	35c

SALE OF SUMMER

Underwear for ladies and children. The weather is to blame for it this time. A month ago they would have brought double—now they go at half.

Ladies' ribbed vests were 10c, now 4c	Ladies' ribbed vests were 12c, now 7c
Ladies' lisle vests were 25c, now 15c	Ladies' lisle vests were 37c, now 25c

Children's ribbed vests, were 20c, now 10c.

SPECIAL BARGAIN LOTS

They come from every department in the store and all well worth seeing.

34-in check suiting	10c yard	36-in French nainsook	10c yard
36 in fine percales	5c yard	30-in fine dimities	6c yard
Extra heavy bath towels	10c	4-button chamois gloves	67c
Fine seamless matting, 20-yd rolls	2 49	Porch rugs, 3x6	1.19
Ladies' silk belts	19c	Heavy all-linen crash	5c
Fine figured doylies	45c doz	A good summer corset	39c

40-in black or blue all-wool suiting.....25c
54 in all-wool bicycle suiting.....49c
Boy's wash suits 49c, 59c and 69c.....reduced from 69c, 79c and 98c

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We are cleaning out all odd and damaged pieces of

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Have heard of **Hanan's Shoes**. They have been on sale for nearly fifty years, and in all that time have stood the fire of the just as good kind. They are Crack-a-Jacks. Come and see them.

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THE AUTOCRAT of the North Plainfield High School, containing pictures and essays of the graduates, will be found for sale on newstands. 6 29 2.

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85 AND STILL AT IT.

WHAT NEW ENGLAND GRIT DID FOR ONE BOY.

Charles L. Tiffany Was but a Country Lad 15 Years Old When He Began Business in a Village Store—Now He is at the Head of the Jewelery Trade of the World

On the 15th of February, in the historic year of 1812, in Danielsonville, Windham County, Conn., was born Charles Lewis Tiffany, founder of the house of Tiffany & Co. Mr. Tiffany is now 85 years old.

The first fifteen years of this remarkable man's life were spent much as the average country boy's, in working from time to time on the farm, and during the Winter months attending the little red schoolhouse. When Mr. Tiffany was only fifteen years of age, his father, Comfort Tiffany, opened a little country store in Danielsonville, giving his son Charles complete charge, and it was in this humble and modest way that the great jeweler made his start in life. In the capacity of village storekeeper Mr. Tiffany spent the following ten years of his life, making frequent trips to New York City to buy merchandise for his store, and where he formed many valuable business acquaintances. In 1837 he decided to move to New York and establish a business there for himself.

CHARLES L. TIFFANY.

Borrowing $1,000 from his father, he entered into partnership with John D. Young, a former neighbor and schoolmate, who had come to New York some six months previously.

By 1841 the business had grown to such proportions that it was decided to send a member of the firm abroad to purchase stock from the foreign markets. To-day this would seem a step of little or no importance, but at that time it was an almost unheard-of thing for an American to send a buyer abroad, and it was considered a bold and hazardous business venture. But this idea, which was Mr. Tiffany's, like all other of his ideas, proved to be full of wisdom and success.

In 1850 the Paris branch of the house was established. As in the case of the New York house, the Paris branch rapidly developed, and soon became one of the largest jewelry establishments of France.

Mr. Tiffany can look back with satisfaction at the results he has accomplished not only in the mercantile world, but in the mental as well, for it is largely due to his efforts that the minds of the general public have become as well educated in the fine arts as they have.—New York Times.

4,000 DUELS A YEAR IN GERMANY.

1,000 a Year in France and 2,759 Duels in the Last Ten Years in Italy.

More duels are fought in Germany than in any other country. Most of them, however, are student duels, which culminate in nothing more serious than slashed cheeks or torn scalps. Of all German university towns little Jena and Goettingen are most devoted to the code. In Goettingen the number of duels averages one a day, year in and year out. On one day several years ago twelve duels were fought in Goettingen in twenty-four hours. In Jena the record for one day in recent times is twenty-one. Fully 4,000 student duels are fought every year in the German Empire. In addition to these there are the more serious duels between officers and civilians. Among Germans of mature years the annual number of duels is about one hundred.

Next to Germany, France is most given to the duelling habit. Of the serious duels, France can boast fully 1,000 from New Year's to New Year's. The majority of those are among army officers. More than half of these result in wounds; nearly 20 per cent in serious wounds.

Italy has had 2,759 duels in the last ten years, and has lost fifty citizens by death on the field of honor.—New York Sun.

A Re-adjusted Programme.

"Things seldom turn out as we expect," remarked Mr. Harkins thoughtfully. "When I first went to the city I made up my mind that I would live in a suburb and lead a double life."

"Sir!" exclaimed the lady to whom he was talking.

"I merely meant I would have two suits of clothes. I would be a swell in the city and a farmer in the village."

"And didn't this plan work?"

"Not the way I expected it to. It wasn't six weeks before I acquired the firm impression that I was a farmer in the city and a swell in the country.—Washington Star.

Prospective Purchaser—You say he is a savage watchdog?

Owner—Yes, indeed.

Prospective Purchaser—But how am I to know that?

Owner—Try 'im; jes' go outside with me, and climb in at that winder!—Chicago Record.

HOW KENNAN LEARNED.

By Perseverance He Lost the Fear that Had Possessed Him.

"When I was 17 or 18 years of age," said Mr. Kennan, "I went as a telegraph operator to Cincinnati. I had become so morbid and miserable by that time that I said to myself one day, 'I'm going to put an end to this state of affairs here and now. If I'm afraid of anything, I'll conquer my fear of it or die. If I'm a coward I might as well be dead, because I can never feel any self-respect or have any happiness in life; and I'd rather get killed trying to do something that I'm afraid to do than to live in this way. I was at that time working at night, and had to go home from the office between midnight and 4 o'clock A. M. It was during the Civil War, and Cincinnati was a more lawless city than it ever has been since. Street robberies and murders were of daily occurrence, and all of the 'night men' in our office carred weapons as a matter of course. I bought a revolver, and commenced a course of experiments upon myself. When I finished my night work at the office, instead of going directly home through well-lighted and police-patrolled streets, I directed my steps to the slums, and explored the worst haunts of vice and crime in the city. If there was a dark, narrow, cut-throat alley down by the river that I felt afraid to go through at that hour of the night, I clenched my teeth, cocked my revolver and went through it—sometimes twice in succession. If I read in the morning papers that a man had been robbed or murdered on a certain street, I went to that street the next night. I explored the dark river banks, hung around low drinking dives and the resorts of thieves and other criminals, and made it an invariable rule to do at all hazards the thing that I thought I might be afraid to do. Of course I had all sorts of experiences and adventures. One night I saw a man attacked by highwaymen and knocked down with a slungshot, just across the street. I ran to his assistance, frightened away the robbers and picked him up from the gutter in a state of unconsciousness. Another night, after 2 o'clock, I saw a man's throat cut, down by the river, and a ghastly sight it was, but although somewhat shaken I did not become faint nor sick. Every time that I went through a street that I believed to be dangerous, or had any startling experience, I felt an accession of self-respect.

"In less than three months I had satisfied myself that while I did fear, I was not so much daunted by any undertaking but I could do it, and then I began to feel better.

"Soon after this time I went on my first expedition to Siberia, and there in almost daily struggles wth difficulties, dangers, and sufferings of all sorts, I finally lost the fear of being afraid which had poisoned the happiness of my boyhood.—From the Atlantic.

HER HANDS ARE MAGNETS.

Wonderful Power Demonstrated by a Georgia Girl.

A strange exhibition of a wonderful power was recently given in the presence of Governor W. G. Atkinson, of Georgia. The demonstration occurred in the Governor's reception room in the Capitol at Atlanta, and the possessor of the marvelous power was Miss Fannie Hester, of Greene County, Georgia.

The first experiment tried with the young lady before Governor Atkinson and his party was with a silver dollar. This was placed near the palm of her hand, and the muscles immediately began to twitch and jump. Several of those present felt her hand, and noticed the strange pulsation. A large, round stick was then placed in her hand, and as long as it touched the palm it kept continually in motion, whirling around with great rapidity. Several tried to push against her, but she could not be moved from her tracks. The Governor's private secretary, a strong, powerful young man, used all his strength to push the girl back, but could not move her.

Experiments were then tried with a chair, and although four men caught hold of it and attempted to keep it still, Miss Hester moved it easily in all directions with one hand. She seemed to use no exertion whatever, yet the four men opposing her were powerless in resisting her. It was the greatest difficulty to lift her from the floor, and when she stood on wood it was an impossibility to lift her feet more than an inch from the floor.

In this respect Miss Hester's abilities are very similar to the celebrated Lulu Hurst, but the magnetic palms are a distinctive feature.—New York Journal.

Test for Seasickness.

Many people have a genuine curiosity to know if they would be seasick in case they should take an ocean voyage.

An easy way to put the matter to a test is to stand before the ordinary mirror that turns in its frame, and let some one move it slowly and slightly at first, and gradually growing faster while you look fixedly at your own reflection.

If you feel no effect whatever from it, the chances are that you can stand an ordinary sea voyage without any qualm.—Golden Days.

Toys of Ancient Egypt.

It seems very odd to have unearthed the playthings as well as the tablets and weapons of antiquity, and yet among the objects found recently in the Assiob necropolis, in Egypt, was a whole company of wooden soldiers, fifteen inches in height. The soldiers carry lances, and give a good idea of the style of military equipment prevailing in the time of the Pharaohs.

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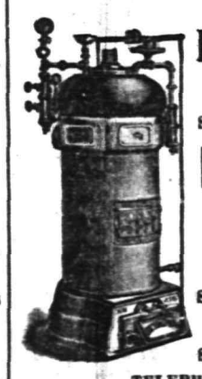

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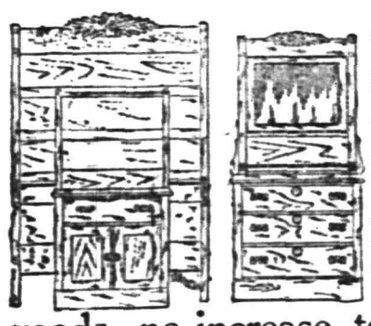

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 30, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28, p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16, a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 am; 12 m., (12 45 and 1 00 Saturdays only) 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45 (5 00 except Saturdays) 5 45, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p. m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 28, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, am; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 28, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 50, 8 35, 9 03, 10 05, a. m; 1 15, 1 35, 2 25, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 19, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 8 50, 9 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 15, 9 05, 9 35, 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20.

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 1 01, (1 40, Saturdays only) 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 16, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 39, 5 09, 6 35, 10 35, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 45, 8 19, 9 02, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 35, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 40, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 05, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 35, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 1 01, 2 11, 4 56, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 06, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a. m; 6 30, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 7 10, 9 54 a m; 2 11, 5 03, 5 15 p. m. Sundays, 8 06 a. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

1 01 p. m.—way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—High Bridge Branch for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 56 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

FOR LONG BRANCH, OCEAN GROVE, ETC.

Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m. 11 10, 2 07, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 8 52 a. m.; 12 28, 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 10 27, a.m. 11 10, 2 07, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 03, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 12 28, 3 30 p. m.

For Boynton Beach, 8 13, 10 27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 7 03 p. m. Sunday, 8 25 a. m.; 12 28 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 5 32 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 37*, 1 17 night, Sundays—5 17, 5 45, 9 55, 10 44 a. m., 2 26, 4 55, 5 09* 6.45 p. m. 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 4 36, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a.m., 2 26, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m., 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m., 2 17, 5 34* 6 45 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 10 44 a. m., 5 09*, 6 45, p. m., 1 17 night.

For Buffalo, Chicago and all points West, week-days at 9 54 a. m., 8 21 p. m. Sunday 6 35 p. m.

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10 07 a. m. 3 34, 5 22, 7 32 p. m. daily except Sunday. (Sundays 11 39 a. m.) Local for Bound Brook.

11 54 a. m. Daily except Sunday. Local for Mauch Chunk.

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6 25 p. m. daily. Local for Easton.

7 10 p. m., daily except Sunday, for Slatington and principal intermediate stations.

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For Perth Amboy and intermediate stations 6 48, 7 50, 10 05 a. m. 12 13, 2 33, 5 20, 7 10 p. m. Sunday 8 00, 9 00 local a. m. 2 20 and 7 10 p. m.

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A CORNELL BANQUET.

Arrangements Being Made For a Grand Reception to the Crews.

Ithaca, N. Y., June 30.—The business men and citizens of Ithaca held an enthusiastic meeting in Music hall last evening to make arrangements for a grand reception to the Cornell crews on their return to this city. The navy management has sent word that the crews will probably arrive in Ithaca at 8 o'clock on Saturday evening. It was decided last night to have a display of fireworks, general illumination of the city, a parade and a banquet in honor of the occasion. Several well known speakers will be invited to be present at the banquet.

The reception will be the largest ever given to a victorious Cornell crew. Cornell alumni of Syracuse, Rochester, Buffalo, Elmira, Binghamton, Albany, Troy and other cities of the state will be invited to be present. An active movement was also inaugurated to raise a testimonial fund to Charles Courtney in recognition of his years of efficient service as coach of the Cornell crew.

A considerable amount has already been subscribed to this fund, and the alumni all over the country will be given a chance to contribute. At last night's meeting the work of raising the fund was placed in charge of Professor E. H. Hulent, president of Cornell's athletic council, and Hon. D. F. Van Vleet. In case the varsity race on Friday is postponed until Saturday the reception to the crews will occur on the following Monday.

INSURANCE DECISION.

Kansas Insurance Commissioner Deprived of a Certain Power.

Topeka, June 30.—Judge Foster, in the United States district court, has made a decision that deprives State Insurance Commissioner Webb McNall of the power he has assumed in preventing certain big eastern life insurance companies from doing business in Kansas.

The case was one brought by the Metropolitan Life Insurance company to restrain the commissioner, who had attempted to stop the company from transacting business in this state because it had not paid certain claims. Judge Foster holds that Commissioner McNall has no right to revoke a company's license unless the holder of the policy has secured a judgment against the company and this judgment has remained unpaid 90 days.

It is understood that this opinion carries with it the right of the New York Life, Mutual Life of New York and the Connecticut Mutual to continue business, although licenses had been refused them on the ground of nonpayment of the Hillmon claims.

RIGHTS OF POLICY HOLDERS.

Attorney General Knowlton on the Case of a Massachusetts Company.

Boston, June 30.—Attorney General Knowlton, in response to a request by Governor Wolcott for an opinion as to whether the rights of the policy holders in the Massachusetts Benefit Life association has been infringed upon improperly and whether, if this be the case, any remedy exists, has filed his answer with the executive.

In it the attorney general criticises sharply the legislature of 1885 for its action in legalizing such methods of insurance and corporations which had been condemned by Commissioner Tarbox, and he charges the officers of the association with deceiving and misleading the policy holders, but he finds that the commonwealth has no right to interfere, and that the policy holders themselves must fight their own battles. He does not find that the insurance commissioner is derelict in his duty.

The Queen to Receive Commoners.

London, June 30.—In the house of commons Mr. Arthur J. Balfour, the first lord of the treasury and government leader, read a message from the queen in reference to the reported dissatisfaction of certain members of the house of commons with the arrangements made for the reception of commoners at Buckingham palace last Wednesday. In the message the queen expressed a desire to receive all members of the house of commons, with their wives, at Windsor castle on Saturday next.

Gang of Boy Thieves.

Schenectady, N. Y., June 30.—For some time past this city has been afflicted with numerous petty burglaries. Almost nightly stores have been entered and cash registers and drawers ransacked. Boys were suspected of the crimes, and six of them, whose ages range from 13 to 17 years, have been arrested. The boys are all sons of respectable and industrious parents. The gang was regularly organized. The boys have been sent to the State Industrial school at Elmira.

Plans For Immigration Buildings.

New York, June 30.—Mr. John L. Smithmeyer, a Washington architect, has left Washington by direction of Secretary Gage, for Ellis island, where he will make an examination of the soil and topography of the island with a view to submitting plans and specifications for the erection of new buildings for use of the immigration service in place of those recently destroyed by fire. It is understood that congress will be asked to appropriate $600,000 for this purpose.

Searched For Concealed Weapons.

Franklin, Ky., June 30.—The trial of Green Dinning, the negro who is charged with the killing of Joe Conn, a farmer, has begun. Eighty-seven members of the Kentucky state guard are present to protect the negro from the hands of a mob. Acting on instructions from Governor Bradley, Colonel F. H. Gaither searched every person who entered the courtroom for concealed weapons.

The President to Visit Portsmouth.

Portsmouth, N. H., June 30.—Captain H. W. Lyons of the United States dispatch boat Dolphin stated that President McKinley would visit this city some time this summer, in the course of an extensive cruise along the coast in the Dolphin. It is his intention while here to stop at the Wentworth and also at the isle of Shoals. From here he will go to Bar Harbor and Sorrento.

Earthquake Shocks In Virginia.

Richmond, June 30.—Wytheville, Salem, Radford and other points report

MURDEROUS ASSAULT

A Perth Amboy Woman Brains Another With a Hatchet.

THEIR QUARREL WAS OVER A MAN.

One Accused the Other of Trying to Attract Her Husband — Desperate Attempt Made to Kill Her Victim. She Acted Like a Fiend.

Perth Amboy, N. J., June 30.—A young girl, pretty and of good family, developed an awful streak of jealousy, and in her rage assaulted in a fiendish manner her next door neighbor.

The girl's name is Agnes Brett, 18 years old, living on Penn street, and her victim, who is at death's door, is a Mrs. Martin Shumley.

The Brett girl buried a hatchet in the woman's head, tried to bite off a finger, and finally, in an excess of blind rage, jumped on the prostrate body and tried to stamp out the woman's life. Even then, not satisfied, she called a large dog and set it upon her victim.

The two women quareled because Mrs. Shumley accused Agnes of attempting to attract the admiration of her husband.

Words ran high, and finally Mrs. Shumley struck the girl in the face.

Struck Her With a Hatchet.

The Brett girl ran into her house and emerged a moment later carrying a hatchet. Rushing at Mrs. Shumley, she whirled the hatchet wildly around and struck the luckless woman just behind the ear.

As Mrs. Shumley fell she threw out her hand and struck her assailant in the mouth. The girl closed her teeth with an angry snap and bit nearly in two one of the fingers.

The Shumley woman lay groaning on the ground, and the girl in her frenzy jumped on the prostrate form. She then called a dog from the house, and the animal, inflamed by the sight of blood, caught and tore the woman's arm almost to shreds.

The shrieks and cries from the Shumley yard had attracted other residents in the street, and neighbors arrived just in time to tear the dog away and to drag away the Brett girl, who had stamped on the face of the unconscious woman until the features were hardly recognizable.

Mrs. Shumley was carried to the house, and doctors who were summoned said that she was in a very critical condition.

The blow from the hatchet had been enough to make her hold on life precarious, and the attack of the dog will probably make amputation of the arm necessary if Mrs. Shumley should recover sufficiently to stand the operation.

Dr. Brace said that, in his opinion, the wound inflicted by the hatchet would prove fatal.

Agnes Brett was arrested after a hard fight with the policemen and taken to Perth Amboy jail, where she is held awaiting the outcome of her assault.

Must Obey Court Orders.

Cleveland, June 30.—It appears that officials of the United States government must obey the orders of courts whether they are engaged in government business when summoned or not. Some time ago Major W. B. Stockman of the weather bureau was fined for failing to answer a summons to appear as a witness before Judge Ong. Failing to pay the fine, he was committed to jail, but was almost immediately released. He appealed to Washington, and Judge Ong suspended the fine until Stockman could hear from the government. Stockman has just received a letter from Secretary Wilson advising him to pay the fine. Judge Ong feels vindicated and is disposed to let Stockman off with the costs.

To Preserve Jersey's Records.

Trenton, June 30.—Governor Griggs has appointed William Nelson of Paterson, William S. Stryker of Trenton and Henry S. Haines of Burlington, a commission under a law of the recent legislature to examine the condition of the records of the state and of the different counties and cities, with a view of recommending necessary changes in the matter of preserving these records. The law under which the commission is appointed recites that some valuable records have been lost because of the poor provisions for preserving them, and the recommendations that this commission is expected to make are designed to remedy this defect.

Result of Butter Shipping Experiment.

Washington, June 30.—As a result of the recent experimental shipment of American butter to England under the patronage of the agricultural department an order has just been placed by a London firm of merchants for the entire daily product of the Iowa Agricultural college, which was one of the two places from which the butter was taken. The product is 800 pounds daily, and other merchants are attesting in letters the good results achieved by the experiment.

Denies a Reported Railroad Sale.

Marinette, Wis., June 30.—Vice President John Bagley of the Wisconsin and Michigan road, denies the reported sale of the road and car ferry line to the Big Four and scouts the rumor that Peshtigo South Chicago route is to be abandoned, as this would render useless a line of new track extending from Peshtigo to Fathom Junction on the Soo road.

Fell From a Scaffold.

Rome, N. Y., June 30.—Evans W. Parry, a painter, while working on a swinging scaffold 40 feet above the ground lettering a store front, was precipitated to the sidewalk by the slipping of a rope, which caused the scaffold to fall. It was first thought he was fatally hurt, but it is now believed he will recover.

Bank Robbers Surrendered.

Deadwood, S. D., June 30.—The posse in pursuit of the Belle Fourche bank robbers has succeeded in surrounding them on the Three V ranch, 15 miles west from Belle Fourche. After exchanging many shots, the bandits surrendered.

Sheriff Closes Wholesale Liquor Store.

Syracuse, June 30.—The sheriff has closed the wholesale liquor store of Groton & Dunfee on judgments aggre-

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 4:31 a. m.
Sun Sets: 7:35 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 8:35 p. m.

GOSSIP OF THE CYCLERS.

TEMS INTERESTING TO DEVOTEES OF THE STEEL STEEDS.

The Popular Exercise Provides Incidents and Expressions That are of Especial Moment When Wheeling is the Rage.

Fred Harold and Walter Frey, of this city, will ride their wheels to South Beach next Sunday, weather permitting.

A 10 mile bicycle road race is announced for Saturday afternoon, July 24th, over the Rahway Elizabeth course on St. George avenue. Entry blanks and full information may be obtained by addressing H. J. Smith, captain of the U. C. R., Rahway.

Frank E. Maxson, who has been employed in the Potter Press Works, of Plainfield, started from here Monday morning for his home in Westerly, R. I. He will make the entire trip on his wheel, following the road along the shore of Long Island.

A league bicycle run has been arranged by members of the Y. M. C. A for Thursday night. The route will be to Montclair and return, a distance of twenty-four miles, and in order to finish in good season the start will be made from the Y. M. C. A. building at 6 o'clock.

The first 100-mile bicycle race to be given in this country will be held at Manhattan Beach, New York, Saturday, July 10, under the auspices of the Harlem Wheelmen. This sort of race has been quite popular in the larger cities in Europe. The secretary of the club has already received a large number of requests for entry blanks, as the prizes will aggregate considerably over $500.

"Cycling Knowledge" is the title of a handy volume just issued in the interest of patrons of the wheel. It is replete with information touching every conceivable subject likely to interest cyclists, and will doubtless be warmly welcomed by those who desire to know about the bicycle and all that relates to cycling—mechanical, general and racing. The work has been carefully compiled by George Isaiah Breakey. Gibb Bros. and Moran, publishers, 45-51 Rose street, New York.

One week from next Saturday the Manhattan Bicycle Club, of New York, will hold a double century run over the route from Weehawken to Plainfield, winding through the Jersey towns on the route. Each rider who finishes the double century will earn two points, and each survivor of the single century one point for the club to which he belongs. The club which scores the greatest number of points will receive a costly silver trophy, appropriately engraved, and bearing the names of the men who won it for their club.

The bicycle fete to be given at Long Branch on Saturday, July 17, promises to be very fine and the parade will be much larger than last year. The road extending from Long Branch to Pleasure Bay will be brilliantly lighted with torches of varied colored fires, and lanterns will be suspended from all the trees, fences and houses. The grounds at Pleasure Bay will be brilliantly illuminated with thousands of incandescent electric lights of different colors, a fine display of fireworks will be given both on land and water, and there will be lots of music for dancing.

WITH ROD AND GUN.

Edward Marshall and wife, Miss Brown and Dr. Pocock, of this city, left Plainfield this morning at 5 o'clock for Boynton Beach, where they will spend the day fishing.

Deserved Honors.

The clerks of the Republican representatives in Congress have formed the Congressional Clerk's Republican Club. Paul Ackerly, secretary to one of the Connecticut Congressmen, was elected treasurer. Mr. Ackerley is a bright young man who formerly resided in this city and was a member of the Press reportorial staff.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

SOCIAL SEASON ENDED.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Monroe Avenue Church Held its Last Social.

The social season for the members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church came to a very successful close last evening, when an entertainment and sociable was held in the church. The rain of the early part of the evening kept a few at home but the attendance was good and the affair proved very successful.

The programme occupied the first part of the evening. Rev. W. C. O'Donnell acted as master of cermonies. Vocal solos were given by Miss Alice Carroll, Miss Grace Carroll and Miss Charlotte Messersmith, and a vocal duet by the Misses Carroll. Fred Van Eps and Fred G. Smith gave a very pleasing banjo duet. Miss Amy G. Burt gave a recitation and responded to the hearty applause with an encore. The rest of the programme consisted of a number of charades, the titles of which were guessed as follows: "Childhood," "Cicero," "Patch work," "Attenuate," and "Metaphor."

The committee in charge of the programme consisted of Mrs. Grannett, Miss Brouwer and Miss Forster.

After the programme, the guests were invited to one of the adjacent rooms to partake of ice cream and cake. The evening was a warm one and the tables were soon crowded. The refreshments were served by the members of the Aid Society.

PLAINFIELD REPRESENTED.

Republican Members of the County Boards of Election.

The Republican members of the County Election Boards, for all of the counties except Cape May and Cumberland, were appointed yesterday by Gov. Griggs:

The following is the list of appointments in the neighboring counties:

Middlesex—Bernard Roddy, South Amboy; John E. Elmendorf, New Brunswick.

Somerset—Chas. H. Bateman, Somerville; George W. Cooper, Somerville.

Union—E. C Woodruff, Elizabeth; John W. Murray, Jr., Plainfield.

The appointments were made upon nomination of Edward J. Anderson, vice-chairman of the Republican State committee, who is acting chairman in the absence of Franklin Murphy.

Dropped the Wood and Saved the Child.

Yesterday afternoon a Plainfield woman, accompanied by her baby in a carriage, stood near the corner of Park avenue and Second street looking in one of the store windows. She was intently watching things in the window and did not see the carriage rolling toward the gutter with the prospect of seriously injuring her child. As the carriage approached the gutter someone called to the woman to catch the wagon, but she was not quick enough, and before she could capture the rolling vehicle, William Addis, Jr., happened along on his wheel just in time to stop the carriage and save the child. Mr. Addis was carrying a heavy load of wood, but he dropped the wood as well as his wheel just in time. The mother was so delighted to know that her child was saved that she burst out crying for joy, and profusely thanked the hero of the moment.

Martha Washington's Officers.

At the regular meeting of Martha Washington Council, No. 23, D. of A., Jr. O. U. A. M., held in the Washington building last evening, after the routine and other important business was transacted the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Jr. past councilor, Eliza Radin; assistant Jr. past councilor, G. S. Mattis; councilor, Amanda McComas; assistant councilor, Agnes Randolph; vice-councilor, Fred Walsh; assistant vice-councilor, Mary Walsh; assistant recording secretary, Emma Angleman; conductor, Maria Horton; warden, Elizabeth Kinsey; inside sentinel, Millie Bunn; outside sentinel, Sarah J. Higgins; trustee, 18 months, G. S Martin.

The Inn Is Filling Up.

The Daily Press is pleased to say that the rooms and cottages at Mountain Park Inn are rapidly filling up and there are not many more rooms left. The Inn is practically filled with guests and most all of the cottages are taken. There is no doubt but that the season will be a great success on the mountains this year

HEALTH OF THE CITY.

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gravel pits beyond Berckman street, as the people have been dumping refuse there and then burning it. It was decided that some action must be taken to prevent the continuance of such a practice.

Inspector Addis was called before the board and highly commended for his very efficient service during the last month when the scarlet fever made its appearance.

The board did not take action on the closing of the city jail for that matter is left to the discretion of the president of the board, and he has not yet decided on any immediate action.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

L. H. DuBois, of Putnam avenue, is away on his summer vacation.

Miss Elma Thayer, of East Ninth street, has gone to San Francisco.

W. B. Fisk and family, of LaGrande avenue, are summering at Liberty, N. Y.

Mrs. George Lewis, of Kensington avenue, has gone to Watch Hill, R. I., for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Ginna, of Watchung avenue, are sojourning at Watch Hill, R. I., for the summer.

Mrs. Volkman, of Richmond street, is not much improved from a recent accident and is not yet able to leave the bed.

"Uncle" Dan and Mrs. D S. Roberts, of North avenue, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary next Sunday in a very quiet manner.

Mr and Mrs. William Roberts, of Tobyhanna, Pa., who have been visiting "Uncle" Dan and Mrs. Roberts, of North avenue, have returned home.

PUSS IS SAFE NOW.

She Won Forgiveness by Her Wonderful Feline Intelligence.

Mrs. Mary J. Hawkins, of 437 West Fourth street, has a cat which possesses to a marked degree that feline accomplishment known as "coming back."

One day in May Mrs Hawkins decided to get rid of the cat, and taking it in her carriage she drove to Scotch Plains and dropped it in one of the streets. Nothing more was seen of puss until yesterday, when she was found asleep in the sun in her accustomed place on Mrs. Hawkins' front piazza.

Mrs. Hawkins is full of admiration for the cat's intelligence in finding its way so long a distance, and declares she will not send it away again.

Will Celebrate Later.

The members of John Hand Camp, No. 28, Sons of Veterans, at their meeting held last evening, decided not to celebrate the anniversary of the camp for the present. The event will probably be held in the fall. At the next meeting of the camp there will be a muster of one candidate.

To Test Fire Alarm System.

Tomorrow morning, Chief Doane, of the fire department, will test fire alarm boxes 12, 13 and 21. The test will take place at 10 o'clock.

—Big assortment trunks, Doane & Edsall's.

Following Instructions.

"Um—ah," said the Rev. Mr. Wilgus, as he looked over the scanty missionary collection: "I asked this congregation to aid in the illumination of the benighted heathen mind. And I must say that such a lot of light givers it has never before been my experience to meet."—Indianapolis Journal.

Somebody Else Was.

Young bride—I didn't accept Tom the first time he proposed.

Miss Ryval (slightly envious)—I know you didn't.

Young Bride—How do you know?

Miss Ryval—You weren't there.—New York World.

A Great Artist.

He—They tell me your husband is a great artist.

She—That he is. He painted a picture of some onions for the last exhibition, and they were so natural that the committee put them on the top line, so that people wouldn't smell them.—Yonkers Statesman.

The Oldest Love Letter.

The oldest love letter in the world is in the British Museum. It is a proposal of marriage for the hand of an Egyptian princess, and it was made 3500 years ago. It is in the form of an inscribed brick.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the accounts of the subscriber, Assignee of John V. Berkaw, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the twenty-eighth day of July next. J. AUGUSTUS SMITH.
Dated May 25th, 1897. 5 26 10 oaw w

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